



**Tompkins County Legislature**

Governor Daniel D. Tompkins Building  
Ithaca, NY 14850

Meeting: 10/17/17 05:30 PM  
Department: Social Services Department  
Category: Agreements, Bids, Contracts, Grants  
Functional Category: Child Welfare

**SCHEDULED**

**RESOLUTION NO.**      *DOC ID: 7365*

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1                    **Authorization to Accept Substance Abuse and Mental Health**  
2                    **Services Administration (SAMHSA) Funds and Execute Associated**  
3                    **Contract - Social Services Department (Pending Committee action**  
4                    **10-16-17)**

5                    WHEREAS the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) of the Federal  
6 Department of Health and Human Services has awarded Tompkins County Family Treatment Court a 5-year grant  
7 worth \$500,000 annually, and  
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9                    WHEREAS the approved grant budget included \$45,000 for the Department of Social Services to purchase  
10 from Liberty Resources the services of a Social Worker to work with Family Treatment Court client families, and  
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12                    WHEREAS the grant year corresponds to the Federal Fiscal Year, which runs from October 1<sup>st</sup> through  
13 September 30<sup>th</sup>, now therefore be it  
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15                    RESOLVED, on recommendation of the Health and Human Services Committee, That the Department of  
16 Social Services is authorized both to accept its share of the SAMHSA grant and to execute 100%-funded agreement  
17 with Liberty Resources to provide psycho-social assessments of Family Treatment Court participants,  
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19                    RESOLVED, That the Director of Finance be and is hereby directed to make the following adjustments to the  
20 2017 Budget (a second resolution to adjust Social Services' 2018 budget to follow early next year):  
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22                    Appropriation:	6010.54400 Program Expense	\$11,250
23                    Revenue:	6010.42770 Other Misc. Revenues	\$11,250

24                    **SEQR ACTION: TYPE II-20**



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2 This resolution pertains to Social Services' 4th Qtr 2017 share of a Federal grant awarded to the county's Family  
3 Treatment Court (FTC) through the NYS Office of Court Administration.  
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5 The Department felt that it was important to seek the Legislature's approval so that Liberty Resources' can begin  
6 providing the enhanced services to FTC clients as soon as possible. However, this has necessitated our using the  
7 object code for "Misc. Revenues" as a temporary expedient.  
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9 Upon receipt of the correct object code for this Federal revenue stream from the State, we will either submit an  
10 amendment to the Legislature (if this resolution has not yet passed) or submit a budget transfer request so as to move  
11 the anticipated revenue from "Misc Revenues" to the appropriate category of Federal revenue.