Health & Human Services Committee June 25, 2013 Minutes

Members Present: Committee Chair James Nabywaniec, Legislators Michael Docteur,

Michael Montigelli, Anthony Doldo

Others Present: Legislators Allen Drake, Barry Ormsby, Robert Ferris, Scott Gray, and

Jennie Adsit, County Administrator Robert Hagemann, Deputy

Administrator Michael Kaskan, County Attorney David Paulsen, Public Health Director Ginger Hall, Emergency Medical Services Director Charlie Brenon, Undersheriff Paul Trudeau, Real Property Tax Director Paul Warneck, Human Resources Director Valerie Borland, Alcohol & Substance Abuse Program Director Anita Seefried-Brown, Alcohol & Substance Abuse Task Force Member Ron Cole, Watertown Daily Times

Reporter Daniel Flatley, representatives of the media, Confidential

Secretary Jill Jones

Chairman Nabywaniec called the meeting to order at 6:45 p.m. The minutes of the June meeting were approved as presented.

Chairman Nabywaniec introduced a resolution authorizing agreement with NYS Department of Health in relation to Early Intervention (EI) administration and Child Find Grant and entertained a motion for consideration. A motion was duly made by Legislator Docteur seconded by Legislator Doldo and there being no discussion, the Committee agreed to sponsor the resolution as presented.

Chairman Nabywaniec introduced a resolution authorizing agreement in relation to Immunization Action Plan funding and entertained a motion for consideration. A motion was duly made by Legislator Montigelli seconded by Legislator Doldo and there being no discussion, the Committee agreed to sponsor the resolution as presented.

Chairman Nabywaniec introduced a resolution appointing member to the Samaritan Summit Village Board of Directors and entertained a motion for consideration. A motion was duly made by Legislator Docteur seconded by Legislator Doldo and there being no discussion the Committee agreed to sponsor the resolution as presented.

Chairman Nabywaniec stated that with the letter in the agenda from Sheriff Burns expressing support for Deputy Sheriff's carrying Narcan in their duty bags while they are working it looks as though we are one step closer to implementation of that program. Legislator Doldo agreed noting that there was a front page article in the Post Standard recently concerning the use of Narcan, and there have been 8 overdoses in Jefferson County in the first four months of this year which has doubled from last year. He thanked Anita Seefried-Brown and Charlie Brenon for their presentation last month and said implementing this in Jefferson County could be a lifesaving measure. Chairman Nabywaniec stated that the next step is to have Attorney Paulsen

look at the legalities of the issue, and have Administration draft a resolution to come back before this Committee and if agreeable then it will be forwarded to General Services Committee as they have direct oversight of the Sheriff's Department. Following brief discussion, Chairman Nabywaniec directed staff to prepare a resolution for action by the Committee next month.

There being no further business of the Committee, on a motion by Legislator Docteur seconded by Legislator Montigelli and unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned at 6:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert F. Hagemann, III

Clerk of the Board