



Sullivan County

Health & Human Services

Meeting Minutes - Final

Chair Catherine Scott
Vice Chair Amanda Ward
Committee Member Brian McPhillips
Committee Member Matt McPhillips
Committee Member Luis Alvarez

Thursday, March 12, 2026

11:30 AM

Government Center

Call To Order and Pledge of Allegiance

Chair Scott called the Health and Human Services Committee meeting to order at 12:05pm.

Roll Call

Present: Catherine Scott, Amanda Ward, Brian McPhillips, Matt McPhillips and Luis Alvarez

Comments:

Joshua Potosek, Michelle Bowers, Robert Freehill, Sharon Jankiewicz, Dan Hust, John Liddle, Dr. Jessie Moore

Shiley Kennedy of Fearless, Lou Setren, Lise Kennedy, Dorothy Sanchez, Chris Lesser, Matt from the Democrat and Kim WJFF

Reports:

Legislator Scott made a comment regarding some influential women in our history for women's history month.

Shiley Kennedy gave an update on Fearless.

Commissioner John Liddle gave an update on the Division of Health & Human Services.

Dr. Jessie Moore gave an update on Public Health Services.

At this point Luis Alvarez left the meeting at 12:10pm and returned to the meeting at 12:11pm.

1. Division of Health & Human Services

[ID-8206](#)

Attachments: [2026-03 HHS Monthly Report](#)

Discussion:

Public Comment

1. Lise Kennedy made a public comment.
2. Chris Lesser made a public comment.
3. Yakoff Mendelwitz made a public comment.

Lise Kennedy Public Comment at March 12 Health and Human Services

[ID-8228](#)

Resolutions:

1. Accept a donation of Briefs and Pullups to the Care Center at Sunset Lake

[ID-8170](#)

A motion was made by District 1 Legislator Matt McPhillips, seconded by District 3 Legislator Brian McPhillips, that this Resolution be carried at Committee to the County Legislature meeting on 3/19/2026. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Chairwoman Scott, Vice Chairwoman Ward, District 3 Legislator McPhillips, District 1 Legislator McPhillips and District 6 Legislator Alvarez

2. To extend agreement with Mid-Hudson Psychiatric Consultants for a period of six (6) months for psychiatric services at Community Services.

[ID-8217](#)

A motion was made by District 6 Legislator Luis Alvarez, seconded by Vice Chairwoman Amanda Ward, that this Resolution be carried at Committee to the County Legislature meeting on 3/19/2026. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Chairwoman Scott, Vice Chairwoman Ward, District 3 Legislator McPhillips, District 1 Legislator McPhillips and District 6 Legislator Alvarez

Adjourn

There being no further business, Brian McPhillips moved to adjourn, seconded by Matt McPhillips. The Health and Human Services Committee was declared adjourned at 12:53pm