

*Eighth Special Meeting*  
December 22, 2020

The Eighth Special Meeting of 2020 was held on December 22, 2020 and was called to order by the Chair at 10:03 a.m. with eight Legislative members present and Legislator Monell arriving at 10:05 a.m.

Chair Sauerbrey asked Legislator Mullen to have a moment of prayer. "Heavenly Father, we thank you for the gift of your Son. This time of year, especially in this difficult year, remember the salvation He brings is the reason we celebrate. May we all find peace in our hearts and goodwill towards our fellow man; today, tomorrow, and for the rest of our lives."

Legislator Mullen led all Legislators and those in attendance in the Pledge of Allegiance.

There were five people in attendance.

Legislator Roberts moved for the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Legislator Weston.

REFERRED TO:	LEGISLATIVE WORKSESSION
RESOLUTION NO. 285-20	<i>RATIFY COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT (CSEA)</i>

WHEREAS: The collective bargaining agreement between Tioga County and the CSEA Unit #8850 will expire December 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS: At this time Tioga County is uncertain of the full financial impacts of COVID-19 or its duration and therefore proposed to CSEA that the current collective bargaining agreement be extended for one year in order to allow the County to gain a better understanding of the impacts of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS: The proposal is comprised of no salary adjustments for 2021 and for the County to pay any increase in health insurance premiums for 2021; and

WHEREAS: The CSEA membership held a vote and ratified the proposal; therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the County Legislature hereby ratifies the rollover of the terms of the 2018-2020 collective bargaining agreement for 2021 with the additional stipulation that the employee contributions for 2021 health insurance shall not increase above their 2020 contributions; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the Chair of the Legislature, along with the Sheriff, is authorized to sign the Agreement as a joint employer; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the County Legislature does hereby agree to implement the funds necessary to carry out the terms and provisions of said contract.

Legislator Mullen spoke. "I would like to thank Bethany, the Personnel staff, and all the representatives from CSEA for working with us. This was a group effort and I thank you."

ROLL CALL VOTE

Yes – Legislators Mullen, Roberts, Sauerbrey, Standinger, Sullivan, Weston, Balliet, Hollenbeck, and Monell.

No – None.

Absent – None.

RESOLUTION ADOPTED.

The meeting adjourned at 10:06 A.M.