



**JOINT SENATE AND ASSEMBLY PUBLIC HEARING**

Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019, 10:00 A.M.

Memorial Art Gallery Ballroom, University of Rochester

**WITNESS LIST**

1. Lovely Warren, Mayor, **City of Rochester**
2. Robert Duffy, Former Lt. Governor/President & CEO, **Greater Rochester Chamber of Commerce**
3. David G Curry, PhD, APRN, Professor Emeritus & NYSNA Member, **New York State Nurses Association**
4. Agnes McCray, Disability Rights Advocate, **ARISE Child and Family Service, Inc.**  
Kathryn Carroll, Director of Advocacy, **Center for Disability Rights**
5. Becca Forsyth, Organizer/Steering Committee Member, **Elmira Poor People's Campaign**
6. Corey Kirkland, Materials Processing Specialist, **1199 SEIU**  
Marcella Taylor, Certified Nursing Assistant, **1199 SEIU**
7. Cornelius J Drost, President and CEO, **Transonic Systems, INC**
8. Zoe Kostarellis, MD, **NYS Academy of Family Physicians**
9. Mitch Gruber, Chief of Strategy and Partnerships, **Foodlink**  
Tom Silva, Community Advocacy Specialist, **Foodlink**
10. Claire Labrosa, ENL Teacher/Birth Doula, **Rochester Central School District/Team Doula**
11. Susan Beckley, Member, **Finger Lakes for NY Health**
12. Grant Loomis, Vice President of Government Affairs, **Buffalo Niagara Partnership**
13. Patrick Braswell, Co-Founder, **Rochester Homeless Union**
14. Scott Desnoyers, Advocate, **DannyStrong**

15. Rae-Ellen Kavey, MD, **Rochester Campaign for NY Health**  
Mike Sportiello, Advocate, **Campaign for NY Health**  
Michael Powell, Volunteer, **Campaign for NY Health**  
Joe Rapchick, Patient Advocate, **Campaign for NY Health**
16. Mohini Sharma, Lead Organizer, **Metro Justice**
17. Crispin Hernandez, Member, **Workers' Center of Central New York**  
Kayla Kelechian, Member, **Workers' Center of Central New York**
18. Christina Ann Pittman Ballard, Director of Education and Informatics, **Pandion Optimization Alliance**
19. Catherine Middlesworth, Resident, **Syracuse, NY**  
Kathleen Barrett, Resident, **Syracuse, NY**  
Mary Bridget House, Patient Advocate, **Campaign for NY Health**  
Ray Trudell, Resident, **Solvay, NY**
20. Paul Markwitz, President, **Teamsters Local 118**
21. Michael King, Committee Chair, **NYS Association of Health Underwriters**  
Matthew Maines, Legislative Co-Chair, **NYS Association of Health Underwriters**
22. Stephen Schultz, MD, FAAP, **Department of Family Medicine, University of Rochester Medical Center**  
Scott Hartman, MD, **University of Rochester Medical Center**  
Mahima Iyengar, Medical Student, **University of Rochester School of Medicine**  
Jeanette Zoeckler, PhD, **SUNY Upstate Medical University**
23. Jacqueline Parks, Resident, **Avon, NY**  
Alice Carli, Conservator, **University of Rochester Library**  
Kristin Reisch, Resident, **Greece, NY**
24. Elizabeth Henderson, Organic Farmer, **Northeast Organic Farming Association of NY**
25. Michael Kracker, Executive Director, **Unshackle Upstate**
26. Joan Elizabeth Seamans, Business Owner/Former NYS Senate Candidate, **Short Street Photographers**  
Betty Warrick, General Manager/Board member, **Yorkville Sound INC/Lewiston-Porter Schools**  
Richard Clements, Retired Former Employer, **Western NY Healthcare for All**  
William Walker, Owner, **Walkers Natural Juices**
27. Rohith Palli, Community Group Liaison, **University of Rochester Students for a National Health Program**
28. Suzanne Krull, Executive Director, **Cuba Cultural Center, Inc.**