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Seneca County Chamber

THIS ISSUE

*Keep up to date with
community happenings
that impact business in
our community*

THIS WEEK'S HEADLINES

GOV. HOCHUL VETOES BILL THAT WOULD BAN NONCOMPETE AGREEMENTS

NY State of Politics: Non-compete agreements stop a worker's ability to leave a job and work for a different business of the same type. She called the bill a one-size-fits-all approach.

HOCHUL SIGNS AMENDED VERSION OF THE LLC TRANSPARENCY ACT

NY State of Politics: Bill forces LLCs to report the names of owners to the NY Department of State where the information will be gathered into a database accessible by law enforcement agencies.

HOCHUL SIGNS BILL MOVING LOCAL ELECTIONS TO EVEN YEARS

New York State of Politics: Many county and town elections will be moved to even-numbered years under legislation signed Friday by the governor. Hochul said the move will increase voter participation in local elections by aligning them with the timing of state and federal races.

NYS SEES BUMP IN STATE SALES TAX COLLECTION

NY Business Brief: Local sales tax collections once again increased across New York State, as November saw a 5% bump compared to the same time a year ago. The increase amounted to \$1.8 billion in total collections, an almost \$90 million increase from 2022.

HOCHUL SIGNS EMS DIRECT PAYMENT BILL INTO LAW

Rochester First: Before this bill was signed into law, insurers could pay ambulance fees directly to customers unless they had a preferred provider agreement with EMS. EMS would then bill the customers, who were to pay them using the insurance money.

STUDY: AMBULANCE COMPANIES SHOULD MERGE

Finger Lakes Times: A recommendation was made in a study by the Center for Governmental Research of Rochester that would have North Seneca Ambulance and South Seneca Ambulance merge, creating one emergency service provider contracting with Seneca County.

ONESENECA CONTINUES MEETINGS INTO THE NEW YEAR

Finger Lakes Times: The Times wrote an article detailing the One Seneca meetings and their importance in the community along with directions on how to attend.

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JANUARY: • 1/18: Annual Dinner; Ventosa Vineyards
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JOIN US FOR THE NEXT ONE SENECA MEETING

When: Thursday mornings at 10 a.m.
Where: Zoom
Meeting ID: 885 5612 6750
Password: 974642

Open to members of the community who want to know things that are happening or have something to add to the conversation.



2024 AWARD WINNERS:

- Business Of The Year



- Humanitarian of the Year: Menzo Case



- Project/Initiative of the Year



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