

MEDIA ADVISORY

Saratoga County Launches Women in Government Leadership Program

The new program for young women will focus on increasing engagement and representation in local government.

SARATOGA COUNTY, NY – On Tuesday, Saratoga County officials will launch a Women in Government Leadership program. The program, developed in coordination with the New York State Association of Counties (NYSAC) and Soroptimist International of Saratoga County, is designed to expand the participation of women in local government and educate students on leadership opportunities and the role of local government in Saratoga County.

NYSAC's Women's Leadership Coalition view this program as a pilot for potential expansion to counties across the state. Participants will be selected based on a comprehensive application process by their respective Supervisor. Saratoga County is working alongside local schools and organizations to make certain the program reaches young women who may not recognize leadership potential in themselves.

This event will also be streamed on the Saratoga County Board of Supervisors [Facebook page](#).

WHO:

Lt. Governor Kathy Hochul, via pre-recorded statement
Supervisor Theodore Kusnierz, Chairman of the Saratoga County Board of Supervisors
Supervisor Tara N. Gaston, City of Saratoga Springs
Supervisor Jean Raymond, Town of Edinburg
Supervisor Sandra Winney, Town of Providence
Marcy McNamara, Saratoga County Director of Human Resources
Sandra Reulet, President of Soroptimist International of Saratoga County
Stephen Acquario, Director of New York State Association of Counties
Hon. Martha Saurbrey, Chairwoman of Women's Leadership Council, New York State Association of Counties

WHERE:

Board of Supervisors Chamber
Saratoga County Office Building
40 McMaster Street
Ballston Spa, NY

WHEN:

Tuesday, April 20, 2021
10:00 a.m.