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TIOGA COUNTY

COVID-19 UPDATE – SEPTEMBER 30, 2020

Owego, NY – Tioga County Legislative Chairwoman Sauerbrey reported the following Tioga County COVID-19 Statistics:

- **270 Confirmed Cases** – Total confirmed cases, to date.
- **246 Individuals in Mandatory Quarantine** - These are individuals who have had close contact (6 ft.) with someone who has tested positive, but is not displaying symptoms for COVID-19; or individuals that have traveled to China, Iran, Japan, South Korea, or Italy and is displaying symptoms of COVID-19; or individuals who traveled outside of New York State to one of the states identified by the Governor with a mandatory 14-day quarantine period upon return.
- **204 Recovered** – Total number of individuals who had a confirmed case of COVID-19 and are now symptom and fever-free that meet the criteria to be released from Isolation.
- **40 Active Cases**
- **26 Deaths**

This is a snapshot of data provided to Tioga County Public Health at this point in time. Administered tests are tracked in various ways. Test results are reported.

Tioga County Legislative Chairwomen Sauerbrey regrettably reports the loss of another life due to COVID-19. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends during this difficult time.

Tioga County has seen a significant spike in our numbers in the last week to ten days, and that is because of community spread, not one specific area but in bars, salons, offices, everywhere. This is a problem involving the entire community and can be contained by the entire community. During this challenging time, we need to stay vigilant to protect ourselves and our families. Follow the Public Health advisory to wear a mask, social distance, wash your hands and if you feel ill, stay home and away from others.

For further information, please refer to the following resources:

- **NEW!** <https://covid19.tiogacountyny.com>
- **NEW!** **Tioga County Coronavirus Response Hotline – 687-8225**
- **Facebook** @Tioga County Public Health
- **Facebook** @TiogaMH (Tioga County Department of Mental Hygiene)
- **Tioga County Public Health Voicemail Line** – 687-8623
- **NYS Coronavirus Hotline:** 888-364-3065 (for general questions or information about COVID-19)
- **Tioga County Emergency Food Hotline** – 607-354-0965

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