



New York State Association of Personnel and Civil Service Officers

February 13, 2024

2024 Annual Civil Service Training Conference in Saratoga Springs, NY

To my fellow NYSAPCSO members,

On behalf of the executive committee, I am excited to announce the 2024 Annual Civil Service Training Conference to be held June 9–12 at the Saratoga Hilton in Saratoga Springs, New York.

We have a full schedule of interesting and currently hot topics, as well as expert presenters, and we are thankful to have the NYS Department of Civil Service's MSD staff in-person to provide their expertise. The one thing that we have that no other conference has is... EACH OTHER – the only source for real-life experiences relating to the administration of NYS Civil Service at the local level.

On Monday, our schedule includes Civil Service Updates, a session on Sections 71, 72, 73 and 75 and sessions on FLSA and Police Recruitment.

For Tuesday, we will have the Testing Services Update presented by NYS DCS and there will be sessions on Traineeships, Bridging the Gap in a Multigenerational Workforce and Payroll Certifications.

Wednesday will be a dual session-you can choose either Decentralized Exams or 55a-Workers with Disabilities.

In addition to the training sessions, the Executive Committee is excited about our social events. This year we have decided to switch it up a little. As many members leave on Tuesday and do not have the chance to attend our semi-formal dinner, we are changing the dinner from Tuesday night to Monday! Monday evening's semi-formal dinner is being held at the historic City Center in Saratoga Springs. Monday night will also be the point at which my term as your President comes to an end, and Kerry Brennan will be sworn in as the next President. Nicole Yaggle will be elevating to 1st Vice President, and we will be swearing in a new 2nd Vice President. Please come out and show your support for our new President and her Officers! Tuesday night will now be our casual social event TBD-stay tuned!

Enclosed you will find: the Conference Registration Form (**to be returned directly to Kerry Brennan at the address provided on the form**). Please make your reservations for the hotel using the link provided, per the instructions on the form.

Please make every attempt to book your hotel reservations and register with the Association prior to May 3, 2024. We cannot guarantee registrations/meal accommodations made after May 3rd.

Thank you! I hope to see you all at conference for a well-deserved time of learning and networking with new and old friends!

Beth Mortas

Beth Mortas
NYSAP&CSO President

President
Beth Mortas
Onondaga County
(315) 435-3995
elizabethmortas@ongov.net

1st Vice President
Kerry Brennan
Yates County
315-536-5112
kbrennan@yatescounty.org

2nd Vice President
Nicole Yaggle
Montgomery County
518-853-8368
nyaggle@co.montgomery.ny.us

Secretary
Kim Godreau
Franklin County
518-481-1675
kim.godreau@franklincountyny.gov

Treasurer
Laura Granger
Seneca County
315-539-1712
lgranger@co.seneca.ny.us