

February 4, 2014

LeAnn Tinney, Director
Tioga County Economic Development & Planning
56 Main St.
Owego, NY 13827

Dear Ms. Tinney:

Please accept this letter on behalf of the Candor Town Planning Board in support of the expansion of casino gaming at Tioga Downs in Nichols.

Over the years, Tioga Downs has exemplified many of our Boards' goals that are included in our town's comprehensive plan, which include attracting & recruiting businesses, maintaining & improving property values, and encouraging recreation facilities while fostering services for children and the elderly.

By the State awarding Tioga Downs the available casino license in the Eastern Southern Tier area, and therefore being able to expand and improve this proven business, there will be a positive impact on our County's economy with increased revenues, additional jobs & continued tourism development growth.

We strongly encourage the selection committee to approve Tioga Down's submission.

Respectfully,

[Handwritten signatures of Candor Town Planning Members]
Kenneth Kofke
Patti Reichert
Arthur Cacciale

Candor Town Planning Members

cc: Candor Town Board

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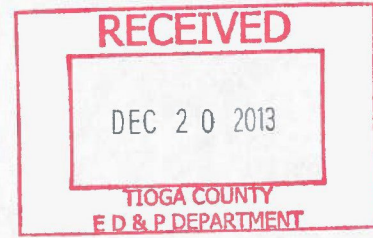
Business Name: *Chemung County Industrial Development Agency*
Name: *Jill Kaski*
Address: [REDACTED]
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Contact #: [REDACTED]
Email: [REDACTED]

I support the Gaming License for Tioga Downs.

Jill Kaski *3/21/14*
Signature Date



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December 16, 2013

LeeAnn Tinney, Director
Tioga County Economic Development & Planning
56 Main Street
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Re: Support of Award of Casino License
to Tioga Downs, Nichols, NY

Dear Ms. Tinney:

This letter supports the expansion of casino gaming at Tioga Downs in Nichols, NY. The award of the one available casino licenses in the Eastern Southern Tier area would be well deserved and essential to the continued economic and tourism development in Tioga County and its neighbors.

Tioga Downs has made a significant private investment converting a long-time, vacant horse track into a fabulous tourism destination. In anticipation of the passage of the Upstate New York Gaming and Economic Development Act, preparations for the expansion of the current facility into a full casino are readied for immediate implementation.

The impact of the annual revenue to our local schools and municipalities generated by the expansion of Tioga Downs into a gaming facility would bolster the regional economy. The direct benefit to Chemung County as a contiguous municipality as well as the indirect benefit to Schuyler and Steuben cannot be overlooked. The influx of jobs that this project would generate is important to our three counties where unemployment has been at or above the state average.

Tioga Downs has our backing for this effort and we encourage the selection committee to approve their submission.

Sincerely,

Charles M. Peacock Jr.
Executive Director.



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March 21, 2014

Ms. Lee Ann Tinney, Director
Tioga County Economic Development and Planning
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Re: Tioga Downs Gaming License – Support

Dear Ms. Tinney:

The Delaware County Economic Development Office supports the award of the Gaming License in the Southern Tier of New York to Tioga Downs. Tioga Downs has proven to be an economic generator for the Southern Tier Region of Upstate New York. It provides a safe, high quality entertainment environment. Tioga Downs is the best location for a full casino at its Nichols, NY, Interstate 86 location. Casino entertainment at this location will have the greatest economic impact on the entire Southern Tier Region.

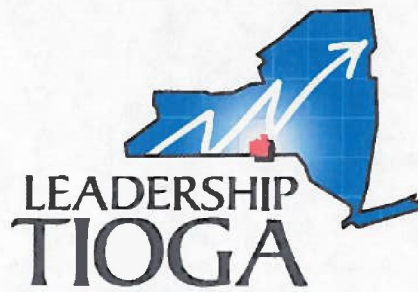
Please contact me if Delaware County Economic Development can be of any assistance in this initiative to award the Southern Tier Gaming Casino license to Tioga Downs.

Respectfully,

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Glenn Nealis, Director
Delaware County Economic Development

February 27th, 2014



LeeAnn Tinney, Director
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Owego, NY 13827

Re: Support of Award of Casino License to Tioga Downs, Nichols, NY

Dear Ms. Tinney:

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The impact the annual revenue to our local schools and municipalities generated by the expansion of Tioga Downs into a gaming facility would bolster the economy. In 2011, Tioga County was devastated by flooding. The losses the community and businesses endured were staggering,

Tioga Downs has been a first rate community partner and we encourage the selection committee to approve their submission.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Drew E. Griffin", followed by a long horizontal flourish.

Drew E. Griffin
Chairman Leadership Tioga Advisory Board

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February 20, 2014

LeeAnn Tinney, Director
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**RE: Support of Award of Casino License
to Tioga Downs, Nichols, NY**

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Sincerely,

Diane W. Lantz
Executive Director

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December 5, 2013

LeeAnn Tinney, Director
Tioga County Economic Development & Planning
56 Main Street
Owego, NY 13827

Re: Support of Casino License to Tioga Downs

Dear LeeAnn:

We support the expansion of casino gaming at Tioga Downs in Nichols, New York. The award of the one available casino license in the Eastern Southern Tier area would be well deserved and essential to the continued economic and tourism development in Tioga County.

It is evident that Tioga Downs has made a significant investment converting a long-time vacant horse racing track into a tourism destination.

The impact of revenue to the region will be significant with annual revenue to local schools and municipalities generated by the casino license and bolster the economy.

We would encourage the approval of their submission.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "J. Kelsey Jones", is written over a circular blue stamp or seal. The signature is fluid and cursive.

J. Kelsey Jones
Executive Director



LeeAnn Tinney, Director
Tioga County Economic Development & Planning
56 Main Street
Owego, NY 13827

Re: Support of Award of Casino License
to Tioga Downs, Nichols, NY

Dear Ms. Tinney:

With the passage of the Upstate New York Gambling and Economic Development Act, gambling will be allowed in New York State.

Southern Tier Central Regional Planning and Development Board recommends that Tioga Downs in Nichols, New York be awarded the one available casino license in the Eastern Southern Tier area.

Tioga Downs has made a significant private investment, converting a long-time, vacant horse track into a successful tourism destination. In fact, plans that would enable the expansion of the current facility into a full casino are ready for immediate implementation.

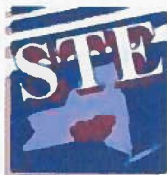
The owner of Tioga Downs has experience in the gaming industry at other facilities across New York State as well as at the existing facility in Tioga County.

Because Tioga Downs has already proven to be a valued community partner through job creation, capital investment, and revenue generation, and because of the owner's experience in the state, at its January 16, 2014 board meeting, Southern Tier Central Regional Planning and Development Board voted to support the awarding of the Eastern Southern Tier Region Gaming License to Tioga Downs.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dennis A. Fagan".

Dennis A. Fagan
Board Chair



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Development Board**

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LeeAnn Tinney, Director
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56 Main Street
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Re: Casino License to Tioga Downs, Nichols, NY

December 9, 2013

Ms. Tinney,

The Southern Tier East Regional Planning Development Board, representing eight counties in New York's Southern Tier, **fully supports the application for a Casino License to Tioga Downs** through the Upstate New York Gambling and Economic Development Act.

Tioga Downs's application in Nichols, NY is ideally positioned both in place and in presence. Its location along Interstate I-86 boasts ease of access and visibility; there have been multiple private investments in the facility and the local community to position itself ready for access. Tioga Downs presence in the community is as a significant employer. Through this application for an expanded casino, Tioga Downs will not only be situated to bring additional jobs to the community but also assist in diversifying the local and regional tax base.

The applicant is well suited to represent the region as a model with this application for licensure. Tioga Downs is an invested community partner in all aspects of its existing operations. This forthcoming business approach has been well received by its host municipality as well as the County as a whole and we look forward to their continued growth.

The proposed project could not be more aptly timed as regional support is at an all-time high. Thank you for your consideration of the Tioga Downs Casino Licensure Application.

Sincerely,

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Erik Miller, Director
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December 11, 2013

Ms. Lee Ann Tinney, Director
Tioga County Economic Development & Planning
50 Main Street
Owego, New York 13877



RE: Tioga Downs Gaming License – Support

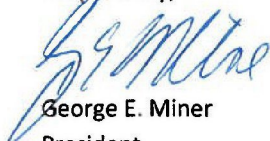
Dear Ms. Tinney:

Southern Tier Economic Growth, Inc. (STEG) is the economic development agency for Chemung County and its municipalities, including the Elmira MSA and Elmira Empire Zone.

STEG supports the award of the Gaming License in the Southern Tier of New York to Tioga Downs. Tioga Downs has proven to be an economic generator for the Southern Tier Region of Upstate New York. Tioga Downs provides a safe, high quality entertainment environment. Tioga Downs is the best location for a full casino at its Nichols, Interstate 86 location where casino entertainment will have the greatest economic impact on the entire Southern Tier Region.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if STEG can be of any assistance in this initiative to award the Southern Tier Gaming Casino to Tioga Downs.

Respectfully,



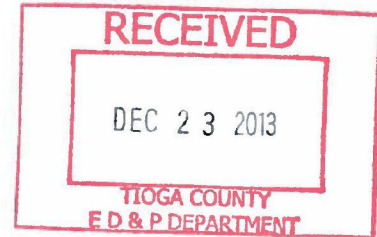
George E. Miner
President



December 18, 2013

LeeAnn Tinney, Director
Tioga County Economic Development & Planning
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Re: Support of Award of Casino License
to Tioga Downs, Nichols, NY



Dear Ms. Tinney:

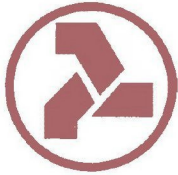
This letter supports the expansion of casino gaming at Tioga Downs in Nichols, NY. The award of the one available casino license in the Eastern Southern Tier area would be well deserved and essential to the continued valuable economic and tourism development in the region.

Tioga Downs has made a significant private investment converting a long-time, vacant horse track into a fabulous tourism destination. In addition in anticipation of the passage of the Upstate New York Gaming and Economic Development Act, preparations for the expansion of the current facility into a full casino are readied for immediate implementation.

The addition of this asset to the Southern Tier will further facilitate the growth of tourism benefiting communities throughout the area. I encourage the continued development of this asset and support this project.

Sincerely,

James C. Johnson
Executive Director



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December 30, 2013

LeeAnn Tinney, Director
Tioga County Economic Development & Planning
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Dear Ms. Tinney:

The passage by referendum on November 5, 2013 of the New York Gambling and Economic Development Act, will allow casino gambling in New York State. Support from the NYS Business Council and local economic development agencies will benefit local communities and the State of New York who were justified to provide revenue to support schools, and municipalities in their everyday drive to promote good service to residents and businesses.

The Southern Tier Regions will be allowed to have one casino destination. Tioga Downs has made a significant private investment converting a long-time, vacant horse track into a fabulous tourism destination. In addition, in anticipation of the passage of the Upstate New York Gaming and Economic Development Act, preparations for the expansion of the current facility into a full casino are readied for immediate implementation.

This letter supports the expansion of casino gaming at Tioga Downs in Nichols, New York. The award of the casino gambling license would be well deserved and a major piece of the economic and overall tourism development in Tioga County and the Southern Tier Region of New York.

Tioga Downs has been a top-rated community partner and we encourage the selection committee to approve their submission.

Very Truly,



Jack Benjamin
President

C: T. Tranter



Department Of Economic Development and Planning

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December 12, 2013

Tom Osiecki
Tioga Downs
2384 West River Road
Nichols NY 13812

Dear Tom:

The Tioga County Economic Development and Planning Department is pleased to offer our assistance in the Tioga Downs quest to be awarded the gaming license for the Southern Tier Region.

In anticipation of showing evidence of community support for the award, our Department has reached out to each municipality in the County requesting supporting resolutions and will gladly act as the interface in the gathering of these documents. In addition, we have made contact with area businesses and organizations and requested their written support of the Tioga Downs award.

The Tioga County Economic Development and Planning Department is prepared to coordinate the issuance of press releases and letters to the editors as Tioga Downs may deem appropriate. We will also be willing to post to our social media site a request for public support.

It is our hope that by meeting with Tioga Downs officials, the Tioga County Tourism Office, the Tioga County Chamber of Commerce and Town of Nichols officials today, we can all assist in the effective planning to garner public and community support of the Tioga Downs award for the Southern Tier.

Thank you for taking the time to meet with us and we look forward to working together toward this important designation for all of Tioga County.

Sincerely,

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LeeAnn Tinney
Director, Tioga County Economic Development and Planning



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Tioga County Planning Board

February 21, 2014

LeeAnn Tinney, Director
Tioga County Economic Development and Planning
56 Main Street
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Dear Ms. Tinney,

Please accept this letter of support from the Tioga County Planning Board for the expansion of casino gambling at Tioga Downs in Nichols, NY.

The existing Tioga Downs facility has met the Tioga County Planning Board's goals of job creation, capital investment and increase of revenue. They have shown experience in the gaming industry not only in their Tioga County facility, but also in other facilities in New York State.

The award of the one available casino license in our region will enable Tioga Downs to expand and continue their development at this vital establishment in Tioga County.

Respectfully,

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Douglas Chrzanowski
Chair, Tioga County Planning Board

Cc: file

A regular meeting of the Tioga County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") was convened in public session at the offices of the Tioga County Industrial Development Agency at 56 Main Street, Owego, Tioga County New York on Wednesday, January 8, 2014 at 5:30 o'clock p.m., local time.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairperson and upon roll being called, the following members of the Board were:

PRESENT:

Ralph E. Kelsey	Chairperson
Martha Sauerbrey	Vice Chairperson
Dean Daniels	Secretary
Aaron Gowan	Treasurer
Tracey Monell	Board Member
Kevin Dougherty	Board Member
William J. Woods, Jr.	Board Member

ABSENT:

None

THE FOLLOWING PERSON WAS ALSO PRESENT:

Ruth Fiato	Executive Administrator
Cathy Haskell	Administrative Assistant
LeeAnn Tinney	Economic Development and Planning
Joseph Meagher	Attorney

The following resolution was offered by Ms. Sauerbrey and seconded by Mr. Woods, Jr., to wit:

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF TIOGA DOWNS FOR SELECTION AS EASTERN SOUTHERN TIER REGION CASINO GAMING LICENSE AWARDEE

WHEREAS: In November 2013, New York State voters approved a constitutional amendment to allow casino gaming in the State; and

WHEREAS: Tioga County voters showed overwhelming support of said constitutional amendment with 69.2% of voters in favor; and

WHEREAS: Tioga Downs has already proven to be a valued community partner by way of job creation, capital investment and revenue generated; and

WHEREAS: Tioga Downs owner has also shown experience in the gaming industry, not only at the existing facility in Tioga County but also in other facilities across New York State; and

WHEREAS: in anticipation of the passing of the Upstate New York Gaming and Economic Development Act, Tioga Downs has made substantial improvements to their already existing facility located in Tioga County; and

WHEREAS: the Tioga Downs existing facility is centrally located within the identified Eastern Southern Tier Region to best serve all residents of the region; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the Tioga County Industrial Development Agency pass this resolution in support of Tioga Downs being awarded the Eastern Southern Tier Region Gaming License.

The question of the adoption of the foregoing Resolution was duly put to a vote on roll call, which resulted as follows:

Aaron Gowan	Aye
Martha Sauerbrey	Aye
William J. Woods, Jr.	Aye
Ralph E. Kelsey	Aye
Tracy Monell	Aye
Kevin Dougherty	Aye
Dean Daniels	Aye

The foregoing Resolution was thereon declared duly adopted.



February 19, 2014

Ms. LeAnn Tinney
Director of Economic Development and Planning
Tioga County

Dear Ms. Tinney,

I give my support to Tioga Downs in regards to receiving a Casino's gaming license. As the Real Property Director for Tioga County and a new resident to the community I can realize the great benefit and growth that it would bring to this area. Tioga County has a lot to offer and it is very centrally located and within 1 hour drive you have covered the heart of the Finger Lake and Central New York region.

Tioga County has suffered enough and has come back stronger after 3 major floods. The local community supports the local businesses and if one falls on hard times they invest in it so it succeeds. A good example is the Tioga Theater on Main Street in the Village of Owego. It is vital that New York State be fair and supports our area.

Currently Tioga County Medicaid is 38% of its budget, so it is vital that Albany considers this when making their decision to allow to create more opportunities for economic growth to come to our area in ways of job creation and development.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Terie Huseby", is written over the typed name.

Terie Huseby, CCD
Real Property Director
Tioga County

TIOGA COUNTY R.E.A.P. LDC

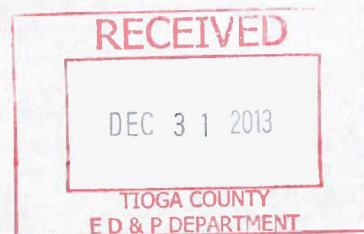
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Re: Support of Tioga Downs Casino Licensure

To: LeAnn Tinney, Director of Economic Development & Planning

The Tioga County Rural Economic Area Partnership (REAP), one of only five such areas in the US is comprised of representatives of every municipality throughout the County, wishes to express their whole hearted support of the licensure application for Tioga Downs Racino to expand into a Casino in Nichols, Tioga County, NY.

REAP, founded in 1999, has as its primary mission to encourage economic growth in Tioga County. Expansion of this existing business would be a great enhancement to Tioga County's economy, and most importantly job growth.

Tioga Downs has had considerable community support, including overwhelming County support of proposition 1, allowing for the Upstate New York Gambling and Economic Development Act, under which this application falls.

Local and regional investment in this resource is substantial. The potential expansion through this application and the pending application for direct access off of Interstate I-86 through the Consolidated Funding Application would be a huge benefit to the regional economy assisting in the fulfillment of our mission.

We look forward to continuing our support of positive economic activities within Tioga County and particularly the Tioga Downs Casino expansion. Please consider this support letter in your review process.

Sincerely,

Dick Bierl, President Tioga Co. REAP, LDC

Tioga County REAP, LDC, provides equal program and employment opportunities.



February 4, 2014

LeeAnn Tinney, Director
Tioga County Economic Development & Planning
56 Main Street
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Re: Support of Award of Casino License
to Tioga Downs, Nichols, NY

Dear Ms. Tinney:

This letter supports the expansion of casino gaming at Tioga Downs in Nichols, New York. With only one available casino license in the Eastern Southern Tier, Tioga Downs is best positioned with its existing facility and statewide experience to succeed. It will also be essential to the economic vitality by generating revenues and supporting regional tourism.

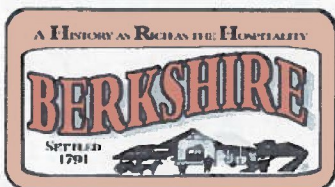
The new expansion and development of Tioga Downs will promote growth in the tourism industry and contribute to the economic well being of Tioga County schools, municipalities and residents with the increase in generated revenues and employment opportunities.

With the expansion of Tioga Downs, the partnership with this invested generous community partner will continue to strengthen the region by bringing in out-of-state dollars with the visitors traveling to the region. Other tourism related industries such as wine country and local craft beer brewers will benefit along with the local agricultural industry, as the casino's buffet will feature locally grown products.

For these reasons and the opportunity to strengthen the greater Southern Tier Region, we encourage the selection committee to approve Tioga Downs submission.

Sincerely,

Michael Stamm
President



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February 19, 2014

LeeAnn Tinney, Director

Tioga County Economic Development and Planning

56 Main Street

Owego, NY 13827

Dear Ms. Tinney,

Please accept this letter of support from the Berkshire Planning Board for the expansion of casino gambling at Tioga Downs in Nichols, NY.

The existing Tioga Downs facility has shown a commitment to our community and has met the Town of Berkshire and the Berkshire Planning Board's goals of job creation, capital investment and increase of revenue. They have shown experience in the gaming industry not only in their Tioga County facility, but also in other facilities in New York State.

The award of the one available casino license in our region will enable Tioga Downs to expand and continue their development at this essential establishment in Tioga County and be vital in sustaining and creating job opportunities.

Respectfully,

Town of Berkshire Planning Board

Cc: file

December 30, 2013

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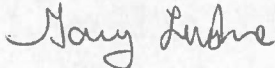
Re: Support of Award of Casino License to Tioga Downs

Dear Ms. Tinney,

I am writing this letter on behalf of the Valley Economic Development Association (VEDA) to show support of Tioga Downs being awarded the available casino license in the eastern Southern Tier. It is the mission of VEDA to "assist, promote and preserve economic development in the Valley". "The Valley" includes western Tioga County. VEDA believes the expansion of Tioga Downs as a result of receiving this license would have a significant impact on western Tioga County's economic growth by bolstering its tourism and associated industries, including restaurants, museums, bed and breakfasts and retail stores.

Furthermore, Tioga Downs has a reputation for providing a top-notch establishment and has made significant investment to ensure they can continue to be top-notch as they accommodate more guests and therefore maximize the economic impact to the community.

Sincerely,



Gary Lougher
Chairman
Valley Economic Development Association



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Mayor

March 4, 2014

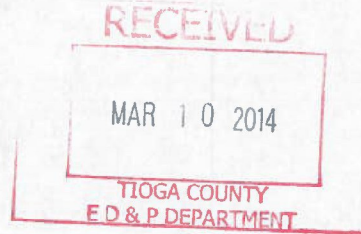
MICHELE WOOD

Clerk/Treasurer

BETTY J. KEENE

Attorney

LeeAnn Tinney, Director
Tioga County Economic Development and Planning
56 Main Street
Owego, NY 13827



Dear Ms. Tinney,

Please accept this letter of support from the Village of Waverly Planning Board for the expansion of casino gambling at the Tioga Downs in Nichols, NY.

The existing Tioga Downs facility has met the Village of Waverly Planning Board's goals of job creation, capital investment and increase of revenue. They have shown experience in the gaming industry not only in their Tioga County facility, but also in other facilities in New York State.

The award of the one available casino license in our region will enable Tioga Downs to expand and continue their development at this vital establishment in Tioga County.

Respectfully,

Village of Waverly Planning Board Members

Cc: file





ALL IN!

**Support TIOGA DOWNS in becoming a
FULL CASINO GAMING FACILITY**

Since 2006, Tioga Downs has contributed over \$155 million in aid to EDUCATION and in the same period our organization has donated over \$900,000 to various nonprofit organizations.

We are ALL IN entering our 9th year in operation as the regions premier destination for gaming, racing and entertainment. We owe our long standing success to the continual support of the good people in this region; and we, in turn, take great pride in sharing this success by creating more and more winning experiences.

We are ALL IN. Are You?

YES I'm ALL IN!

Name Lindsay Wickham
Players Card No. New York Farm Bureau
Email Tioga Co. Farm Bureau

Comments We officially support your bid for a casino license.

Thank You for your support.

You must be 18 to play video gaming machines. Please play responsibly.



June 5, 2014

To whom it may concern:

The Tioga County Farm Bureau, in October of 2013, passed a resolution fully supporting Tioga Downs' application for a full-fledged casino license in the Southern Tier Region of New York State, as outlined by the Governor.

Additionally, at the New York Farm Bureau State Annual Meeting, held in December 2013 in Albany, delegates representing all county Farm Bureaus across the state, passed a resolution stating: "If and when full-scale casinos are licensed and cited in New York State, we support them at race track locations that are currently licensed for gaming".

For the Southern Tier Region, this means that Tioga Downs has the full support of Farm Bureau statewide, as they are the only applicant that falls under these parameters.

Tioga Downs receiving a casino license would be good for agriculture in the area, as it would not only expand the equine industry, but all those entities that support it, including large animal veterinarians, hay and straw producers, feed growers and dealers, and equipment dealers.

If there are any questions regarding Farm Bureau's support for Tioga Downs application for a casino license, feel free to call me, [REDACTED], or our Area Field Supervisor Lindsay Wickham, [REDACTED].

Sincerely,

Kevin Frisbie, President
Tioga County Farm Bureau