

Youth & Recreation Department Program Coordinator Jillian Gorman-King Speaks on State Funding for Youth Programs



From left: Amherst Youth Bureau Senior Program Coordinator Mary-Diana Pouli, Cheektowaga Supervisor & Association of Erie County Governments President Mary F. Holtz, Cheektowaga Youth & Recreation Department Program Coordinator Jillian Gorman-King and Erie County Legislature Chairwoman Barbara Miller-Williams

Cheektowaga Youth & Recreation Department Program Coordinator Jillian Gorman-King along with Amherst Youth Bureau Senior Program Coordinator Mary-Diana Pouli, both executive board members of the WNY Association of Youth Boards and Youth Bureaus (WNYAYBYB) updated the Association of Erie County Governments on the status of funding for youth programming by New York State. A total of 43 cities, town and villages in Erie County receive youth services and recreation funding from the State annually. Erie County Legislature Chairwoman Barbara Miller-Williams was among those in attendance for the presentation. Supervisor Mary Holtz, President of the Association of Erie County Governments, invited the WNYAYBYB to provide an update on the cuts made in youth program funding.