

Tompkins Community Action

April 2022

News & Updates



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Check it out!

We've updated the building entrance of our main office! From the outside you will notice a new sidewalk railing to improve the safety of our staff and visitors. The old storefront was removed and replaced with a thermally broken aluminum system and insulated glass that will improve the efficiency of the building and decrease future energy costs. Inside of the new storefront is a 42" entrance door that will improve accessibility into the building.

Thank You Welliver!





Upcoming Hiring Events

Childcare and Summer Camps Job Fair

Tompkins Cortland Community College (TC3) and the Child Development Council are sponsoring a hiring event for childcare providers and summer camps on Thursday, April 14, 2022, 12:00 - 2:00 pm at TC3 in Dryden, NY. Stop by and check out TCAction's opportunities.

[Click here to register](#) by April 12, 2022

Spring. into Action.

Jobs, Careers, and Opportunities Fair

TST BOCES
TOMPKINS • SENECA • TIOGA

Wed 11am- April 20th 2pm

Ithaca Commons

Join us at the Department of Labor, Southern Tier Regional Virtual Job Fair on April 21, 2022 from 11am to 2pm

[Click here to register!](#)

Housing Services: Fair Housing Month

April is Fair Housing Month!

This year, we celebrate the 54th anniversary of the Fair Housing Act,



the landmark civil rights law signed by President Lyndon B. Johnson on April 11, 1968, that made discrimination in housing transactions unlawful.

The Fair Housing Act prohibits discrimination in housing because of race, color, national origin, religion, sex (including gender identity and sexual orientation), disability, and familial status.

The Act is intended to provide for fair housing throughout the country.

For more information visit :
[Department of Housing & Urban Development](#)
[New York State](#)
[Tompkins County Office of Human Rights](#)

Community Services: Victory Garden Project



Are you thinking about gardening?
We are!!!

TCAction's Victory Garden Project is entering its 12th year. The Victory Garden Project was established in 2010 and is a collaboration between TCAction and Cornell University Department of Horticulture. The project provides households with starter vegetable plants for a home or community garden space.

All TCAction program participants are eligible! Stop by the Main Office, email info@tcaction.org or call (607) 273 -8816 to request your Registration & Plant Selection Form.

Registration forms are accepted April 4 to May 6. Plant pick up appointments will be scheduled with households for May 19 and May 20, 2022.



TCAction HEAD START OPEN HOUSE



**Currently enrolling for the
2022-23 school year!**

**Learn about our programs, complete your
application, and see the classrooms!**

**Scan to start the application
process!**

WWW.TCACTION.ORG



**When ?
Where?**

April 5, 2022

4:30PM-6:30PM

Harriet Center

661 Spencer Road,
Ithaca, NY 14850

April 13, 2022

4:30PM- 6:30PM

Sally Center

210 Hancock Street,
Ithaca, NY 14850

April 21, 2022

4:30PM- 6:30PM

Casey Center

29 Union Street,
Dryden, NY 13053

April 25, 2022

4:30PM- 6:30PM

Donna Center

110 Sykes Street,
Groton, NY 13073

**For more information or
questions contact
Rachel
607-273- 8816**

Community Spotlight



Affordable & Safe Senior Living.

- **1 bedroom apartment for rent**
- Handicap accessible
- 24 hour emergency maintenance
- Off-street parking
- Community room
- Interactive activities
- Close to grocery stores, library,
and other shops
- Pets allowed

AVAILABLE NOW

*Newfield Garden Apts
261 Main St, Newfield, NY*

To Apply:

Tompkins Community Action

(607) 273-8816

info@taction.org

www.taction.org



Our Mission:
*Tompkins Community Action collaborates
with individuals and organizations to
sustain and improve economic opportunity
and social justice for families and
individuals impacted directly or indirectly
by poverty.*



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