Tioga County Sheriff's Office

## from Sheriff Gary W. Howard

**News Release** 

Wednesday, July 15, 2015

On July 14, 2015, the Tioga County Sheriff's Office arrested Amanda L. Pizzardi, age 35, of 240 Betty Lane Rd., Newark Valley for the following:

- 2 counts of Criminal Possession of a Forged Instrument in the 1st Degree, a class C felony
- 1 count of Welfare Fraud in the Third Degree, a class D felony
- 1 count of Offering a False Instrument for Filing in the First Degree, a class E felony

These charges are the result of an investigation conducted by the Tioga County Department of Social Services. Ms. Pizzardi was arraigned in the Town of Owego Court before Justice Patrick Hogan and was committed to the Tioga County Jail. Based upon the Tioga County District Attorney's bail recommendation the bail was set at \$10,000 cash bail or \$20,000 bond.

Ms. Pizzardi is scheduled to reappear in Town of Owego Court on August 11, 2015.

Approved by Sr. Investigator Moulton
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