

Tioga County Sheriff's Office



**From
Sheriff Gary W. Howard**

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On April 27, 2024, the Tioga County Sheriff's Office partnered with the Tioga County Department of Public Health and participated in the National Drug Take Back Event sponsored by the Drug Enforcement Administration. The event, which was located at State Route 38 in the Town of Owego, was a success. The total amount of unused and unwanted medications collected in a four-hour period was approximately 262 pounds.

The Tioga County Sheriff's Office delivered approximately 440 pounds of unused and unwanted prescription and non-prescription medications to an incinerator facility in Syracuse NY for destruction. The total amount destroyed included items collected from medication drop boxes at the Tioga County Sheriff's Office.

Approved by Captain Yaeger
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