

Tioga County Sheriff's Office



From
Sheriff Gary W. Howard

News Release
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On April 25, 2026, the Tioga County Sheriff's Office partnered with Tioga County Public Health and participated in the National Drug Take Back Event sponsored by the Drug Enforcement Administration. The event, which was held at 1062 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 100 pounds.

On Saturday April 25, 2026, the Tioga County Sheriff's Office delivered approximately 200 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 the medication drop box at the Tioga County Sheriff's Office, as well as drug take back events held by our agency since October 2025.



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