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## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Community Action has made essential contributions to individuals and families across this nation by creating economic opportunities and strengthening communities, and

WHEREAS, Community Action is a robust state and local force connecting people to life changing services and creating pathways to prosperity in 99% of all American counties, and

WHEREAS, Community Action builds and promotes economic stability as an essential aspect of enabling and enhancing stronger communities and stable homes, and

WHEREAS, Community Action promotes community-wide solutions to challenges throughout our cities, suburbs, and rural areas, and

WHEREAS, Community Action delivers innovative services and supports that create greater opportunities for families and children to succeed, and

WHEREAS, Community Action insists on community participation and involvement ensuring that all sectors of the community have a voice and will be heard, and

WHEREAS, Tompkins Community Action represents this national network in Tompkins County and has a 57-year history of collaborating with individuals and organizations to sustain and improve economic opportunity and social justice for families and individuals impacted directly or indirectly by poverty, now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Tompkins County Legislature does hereby proclaim the month of May 2024, as

## **COMMUNITY ACTION MONTH**

in Tompkins County.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Dan Klein, have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of Tompkins County, State of New York, on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024.

Dan Klein, Chair Tompkins County Legislature