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# COUNTY OF ERIE

**MARK C. POLONCARZ**  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

November 27, 2012

Erie County Legislature  
92 Franklin Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Buffalo, NY 14202

**Re: Appointment of Erie County Commissioner of Mental Health**

Dear Honorable Members:

Pursuant to Section 1301 of the Erie County Charter, I hereby appoint Ellery Reaves as Commissioner of Mental Health effective November 5, 2012. I certify that Mr. Reaves meets the qualifications for the position as established by the Charter and New York State law.

Thank you in advance for your courtesies.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mark C. Poloncarz".

Mark C. Poloncarz  
Erie County Executive

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