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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

St. Lawrence County Office for the Aging Grateful for Companion Pet Program

The New York State Office for the Aging and the Association on Aging NY recently donated several Robotic Companion Pets to the St. Lawrence County Office for the Aging. The pets were distributed to clients that have reported feeling lonely and isolated. The robotic companion pets come in cat or dog versions and feature life-like actions such as movement and sound. They also provide comfort and much desired companionship; which is needed now more than ever by many of our clients. For more information about the pet program, please call 315-386-4730.

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In Photo 1: Cynthia Fuller

In Photo 2: James Bice

About St. Lawrence County Office for the Aging:

The Office for the Aging provides service and advocacy for county residents 60 years and older. Programs and services includes: Nutrition Centers and Home Delivered Meals; Home Care Services; Family Caregiver Support; Medical Transportation; Legal Services; Health Insurance Information Counseling and Assistance. The Office's mission is to develop a service system specifically designed to best meet the social and human needs of the elderly.

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