



## **In The News...**

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### **City should welcome Seneca casino jobs**

Controversy surrounds the Seneca Buffalo Creek Casino. There is a mix of information thrown out to the public by the media. The creation of new jobs, something desperately needed in Western New York, is mentioned in passing.

I want the public to know that Seneca Gaming Corp. is an excellent employer. Just walk through the Seneca Niagara Casino and you will see all kinds of people working there. There is variety in race, nationality, sex, age, physical appearance, disabilities and so on. If people are qualified for a job, they are given an opportunity to work.

The Gaming Corp. complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act, not only in word, but in action. After being disabled for 14 years, the Senecas gave me the opportunity to try to work full time. My health, however, did not allow it. So the Senecas worked with me on various work schedules, and today, I work there part time.

Instead of giving the Senecas a hard time, Buffalo should welcome and embrace them.

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