



**Jack Schierenbeck, representative, Camelot Counseling Centers:** "Will (Staten Island under secession) have more sympathy in its heart and money in its budget (for social services)? Let's get serious. There isn't a chance."



**Ann Deinhardt, executive director, Society for Seamen's Children:** "I wonder if Staten Island as a separate entity would see the priority of some of those (social) services."



**Arlene Koeppl, president, Community Agency for Senior Citizens:** "I would vote yes, obviously with the option to be able to say no later. My major concern is that social services is funded . . ."



**Tom Naples, president, S.I. Alliance for the Mentally Ill:** "You think everything is going to collapse with Staten Island seceding? I think things will get better with Staten Island seceding."

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