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## 1,600 homes could receive sewer access from \$25 million grant

### Bipartisan effort to secure funding from all levels of government

BY SAM DESMOND

On Tuesday, July 18, Suffolk County executive Steve Bellone (D) and other local elected officials and stakeholders, held a press conference at the Snapper Inn, in Oakdale, to announce \$25 million

in awards from the Water Infrastructure Fund that would be utilized in advancing three sewer projects in the hopes of obtaining additional federal funding within the Town of Islip, specifically sites in Oakdale, Holbrook, and West Islip.

The \$25 million includes \$20 million to help fund construction of Phase 1a and design of Phase 1b of the Oakdale/Connetquot River Sewer Project, \$3 million to help fund construction of project to

sewer the Main Street business district in Holbrook, and \$2 million to complete design of a project to connect 518 parcels in West Islip to the Southwest Sewer District.

Bellone thanked host and owner of Snapper Inn, Richard Remmer, quipping that “normally when we’re here, it’s not in a suit.” He referred to Remmer as “not only a business leader, but community leader.”

Bellone said the Connetquot River was

a “tremendous natural asset” that is vital to the economy and the community’s way of life.

Characterizing Suffolk County residents as being “forced” to rely on septic systems, Bellone said, “Government has never solved the riddle of how to replace those systems with sewers and waste-water technology.”

Regarding the impetus to implement sewers, Bellone said it was to undo “decades of decline” with reliance on

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## Audrey magic in Sayville

McKenna Loper, 5, said she “felt like a movie star” during her “Breakfast at Tiffany’s” photoshoot with West Islip photographer Diana Vasquez, in downtown Sayville earlier this summer. Dressed as the glamorous Audrey Hepburn in her quintessential little black dress, Loper enjoyed the day as a lady of leisure and took in all the fun shopping Main Street had to offer. See story on page 14.

-Sam Desmond



Photo by Diana V Photography

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## Patron not pleased with Taylor Swift performance at drag show

As part of a summer series of drag bingo, Annie Manildoo and Ivy Stalls once again hosted a raucous night of song, dance, and games at the Shabby Tabby Cat Café

**SAYVILLE** on Friday, July 14. Another drag bingo will be held on Saturday, Aug. 26.

Stalls, who had actually injured her knee prior to the event, rallied and put on the high-energy performance she is known for treating audiences to.

Dressed in sequins, Manildoo and Stalls coordinated for the evening.

Some controversy erupted when Stalls went to perform a Taylor Swift song and a 9-year-old in the audience, whose mother said he abhorred the performer, possibly because of her status as a Swiftie, announced, "I will be in the bathroom for this," as the music started.

Shabby Tabby Cat Café, since its inception in 2018, has been able to get over 1,000 cats their forever homes.

-Sam Desmond

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## Good Samaritan helps car crash victim

A Sayville mom driving an SUV was rear-ended by a box truck on Railroad and Lakeland on Thursday, July 13, around 12:25 p.m.

**SAYVILLE** "Thank god the kids weren't in the car with me! Just me," said Cynthia Ruf, the driver of the SUV.

Immediately after the crash occurred, Ruf said she was approached and helped by a good Samaritan, an unknown member of the Sayville Community Ambulance who was off duty.

"They were so kind and so helpful," said Ruf, "and the young police officer who came was also incredibly kind." Following the accident, Ruf posted on a Sayville community group about the stellar treatment she received and only lamented that she did not know the



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name of the young man who helped her from Community Ambulance.

Dozens of people reacted to the post and commended what a "wonderful community we live in."

-Sam Desmond

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# Are you ready for the Sayville Rotary Beefsteak?

BY LINDA LEUZZI

There are so many funny, endearing stories about the Sayville Rotary Beefsteak fundraiser, you can't make them up.

Like the time the area's electricity was wiped out during the Northeast blackout, in 2003.

The weather was fine, but with cooking and refrigeration underway at the Long Island Maritime Museum, it could have been a disaster. Talk about cooperation: Word got around, and the Kiwanians came to the rescue with a generator.

The recent stories about the Rotary Beefsteak are not as dramatic, just fun. They include newly installed president Chris Imperato, who heads up Long Island Coin, and who attended his first event seven years ago, then joined. "We'll be supporting a lot of different charities," he said of the money raised. "There's the oyster and scholarship projects to the school lunchbox program. The Guatemala Literature Project, Sustainable Cambodia, and money given to guest speakers, where we also donate to the organizations they represent."

Don Hester, president at Percy Hoek Inc., a family generational firm, has been at the barbecue grill cooking the tender morsels of meat since the 1960s.

"The original cook was George from Beers Soda Fountain shop," he said. "George knew about the secret sauce. So did Chuck Raynor of Raynor & D'Andrea." The secret sauce remains so to this day.

Do not ask. But it is delicious.



SCN/Leuzzi

## A blooming library with a peace pole

### Sayville Rotary makes donation

BY LINDA LEUZZI

Several gorgeous hues of cone flowers, coral Bells, Labrador violet and summer-sweet are among the 34 flowering and green things in the Native Plant and Pollinator Garden, a lush greeting near the entrance by the Sayville Library.

Make sure you gaze at the Sayville Rotary-donated peace pole as well.

The Native Plant and Pollinator Garden was an initiative pushed through by assistant library director Tim Sicorella. But community leaders jumped on board to help, including the Sayville Garden Club, Friends of the Sayville Library, and Sayville Rotary Club.

The plantings cost \$9,000. The Sayville Rotary Club contributed \$2,500; Friends of the Sayville Library donated \$1,500; and the Sayville Garden Club kicked in \$1,000. (There's a link where you can see the native plants via sayvillelibrary.org under "About the Library.")

The peace pole is inscribed with the message, "May Peace Prevail on Earth," on every side in a different language.

It's a nice addition to the pollinator garden; they are popping up all over, and there's a reason. Read on.

Besides garden clubs, local communities like Bellport Village have been in the forefront encouraging native plantings, which attract pollinators like bees and butterflies, but also beneficial insects like ladybugs.

The village hosted an environmental community forum in March with native plant and landscaping experts and established a 1000 Yards initiative, where villagers who pledge through an honor system



ABOVE: The Sayville Library, Sayville Rotary Club, Sayville Garden Club and Friends of the Sayville Library celebrated a ribbon-cutting ceremony recently heralding the library's Native Plant and Pollinator Garden as well as the Sayville Rotary Club peace pole. BELOW: A view of the pollinator garden.

SCN/Leuzzi

along with a host of other initiatives. There's also a vegetable garden in the back. The library is in the midst of qualifying as a sustainable library.

Sicorella started the native garden research, conferred with community outreach staffer and Sayville Rotarian Jonathan Pryer, and the connection was made. Sicorella made a presentation about native plantings at a Rotary Land's End luncheon with former president Drew Baldwin.

Then it was on to Bayport Flower Houses and owner and general manager Karl Auwaerter to confer with which plants to choose.

"Karl was wonderful to work with," said Sicorella, who provides a monthly sustainable newsletter with tips. "Karl felt this is the future. And the library wants to be an example to the community for sustainability." ■

to set up a pollinator garden get a 1000 Yards wood sign to stick in their garden.

The reason: native plants provide a nutritious food source that birds and insects co-evolved with. Non-native, decorative plants are depleted of those nutrients. Add herbicides and pesticides that kill friendly insects (baby birds need soft insects to survive) and the water runoff from these applications and you have algae blooms, killing fish, underwater greens and other wildlife. Also, native plants require little maintenance or watering.

The pollinator garden was part of a bigger picture, explained library director Jennifer Fowler of the new blooms. "We're participating in a sustainable library initiative," she said. Besides the pollinator garden, the library's sustainable mission includes collecting soft plastic, installing LED lighting, and a water-filling station,





# The Long Island Conservancy hosts Plant Raiser fundraiser

The Long Island Conservancy is excited to announce its upcoming Plant Raiser fundraiser, taking place on Thursday, July 27 at 7 p.m. at South Shore Dive, a gastropub located at 65 West Main Street, West Sayville.

The event aims to raise funds for the establishment of The Isaac Green Native Garden at Brookside County Park, a six-acre park situated across from Sayville High School and adjacent to The Great South Bay Audubon Society.

The Isaac Green Native Garden project aims to attract more songbirds to the park, once the estate of renowned 19th-century architect, Isaac Green. The new 20-by 20-foot garden will be fenced and maintained by SWEEP, Sayville High School's environmental club.

The Plant Raiser event promises an exciting lineup of activities and attractions, including:

- Native plant sale: Sayville High School's greenhouse will offer a variety of native plants grown from locally harvested seeds.
- Sales of local Sayville art: Attendees will have the opportunity to purchase artwork from local artist Susan Brown at <https://www.susanbrownarts.com/original-art-for-sale>.
- Trivia contest: Test your knowledge of Sayville's historic and natural landmarks in a fun and engaging trivia contest.
- Raffle baskets: Attendees can participate in raffles with enticing baskets as prizes.
- Presentation by The Long Island Conservancy: Gain valuable



Courtesy photo

insights on native, non-native, and invasive plants from the experts at The Long Island Conservancy.

- Live music: Enjoy live music performances throughout the evening.

In addition to supporting the fundraising goal of \$5,000 for The Isaac Green Native Garden, the event aims to contribute to other native plantings in Sayville. The Sayville Library and The Sayville Chamber of Commerce have expressed their interest in planting native species, and there are plans for additional native wildflower planting at Meadow Croft,

also known as The Roosevelt Estate.

"We are excited that the event has already garnered support from local civic groups, students, and officials," said Marshall Brown, co-founder of the Long Island Conservancy. "The Long Island Conservancy believes in the power of community to restore local nature and invites everyone to join in this important cause."

For more information about the event or to contribute to The Isaac Green Native Garden project, please visit <https://longislandconservancy.org/the-isaac-green-native-garden/>. ■

About The Long Island Conservancy: The Long Island Conservancy is a nonprofit organization dedicated to the preservation and restoration of Long Island's natural habitats. With a focus on local stewardship, experiential education, community engagement, and scientific innovation, the organization is working to recreate native habitat across Long Island.



## Town of Islip Community Development Agency

### Emergency Mortgage Assistance Program

**Mortgage Assistance for Eligible Applicants residing in the Town of Islip impacted by the COVID-19 Pandemic**

This program is for homeowners who live within the Town of Islip and have been financially impacted by the pandemic. Grant funds are available for Mortgage arrears. If eligible, funds will be paid directly to the Mortgage/Lender company.

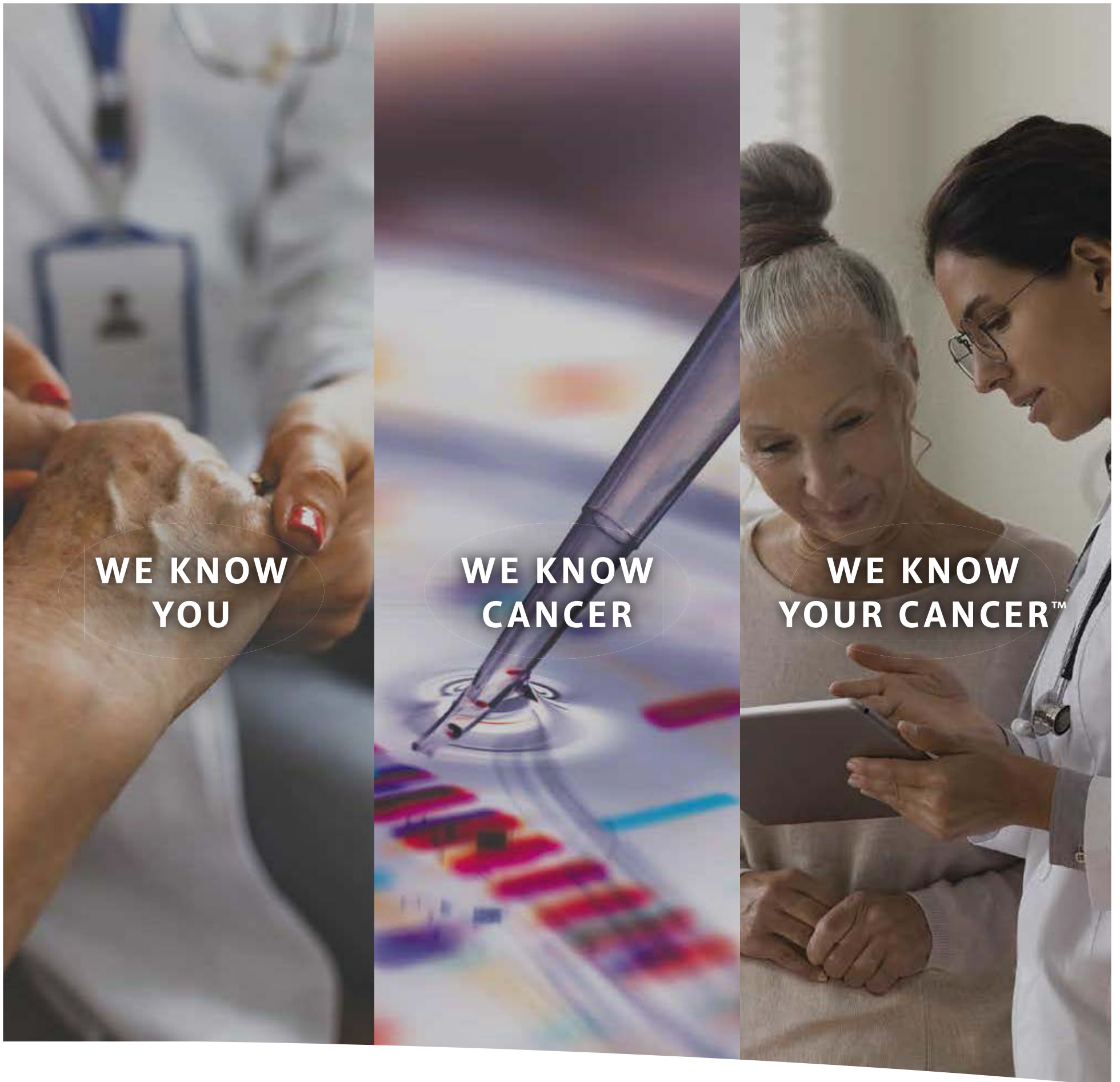
**Eligibility Requirements:**

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- Applicant must reside in the home as their primary residence, be the owner of record and must be obligated to the mortgage
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# 2,500 linear feet of gas mains to be replaced

## National Grid to complete work by fall 2023

BY SAM DESMOND

National Grid, which provides New York and Massachusetts with natural gas and electricity for homes and businesses, has been carrying out regular repairs on gas main lines in Blue Point—specifically, Blue Point Avenue from Middle Road and Danes Street from Blue Point Avenue to Nelson Avenue.

The work began in May after National Grid was granted a permit from the Town of Brookhaven Department of Highways and is expected to be completed by the fall of 2023.

“We are monitoring the situation to make sure National Grid finishes the job correctly,” said councilman Neil Foley (R-5th District).

The 2,500 linear feet of gas mains were identified by National Grid as due for regular repair and maintenance earlier this year.

Since earlier this summer, Blue Point Avenue has been dotted with fresh asphalt on points on its sidewalk following the gas main work.

Blue Point Civic Association president Jason Borowski said, “We were pleased to see National Grid being proactive by performing preventive maintenance on their distribution system, especially since it is at their own cost. An aging gas infrastructure can be a potentially dangerous situation, so we are happy to see National Grid doing their part to help ensure the safety of Blue Point residents that use gas in their homes.”



National Grid began replacing gas mains in spring after receiving a permit from the Town of Brookhaven and is slated to complete the project involving Blue Point Avenue and Danes Street by this fall. SCN/Desmond

The asphalt patches are temporary until final restoration work can be scheduled, according to National Grid.

“Safety is National Grid’s top priority... along with its skilled contractors, [we] will take every measure possible

to ensure the safety of the public and our crews while we complete the work. Crews will use work area protection, including traffic cones, utility work signs, and barriers to ensure the work is done safely,” said National Grid in a

public safety statement.

National Grid responds to gas emergencies 24 hours a day. If you smell gas, act fast and call the emergency line at 1-800-490-0045, or call 911. ■

## CAUTION: Mulberries falling!

A whimsical caution sign went up at a Blue Point home on Middle Road this summer warning walkers, human and canine alike, of fallen mulberries.

In addition, the sign said passersby could treat themselves to the summer fruit as it was “ok to pick.”

**BLUE POINT** The home, which was on the Bayport-Blue Point Heritage’s house tour this past fall, boasts an impressive mulberry tree in its front yard that decorates the sidewalk with its dark juice every summer.

Mulberries are deciduous and have toothed, sometimes lobed leaves, that are alternately arranged along the stems.

Individuals can be monoecious (bearing both male and female flowers) or dioecious (bearing only male or female flowers). The minute flowers are borne in tight catkin clusters. Each fruit develops from an entire flower cluster and is formally known as a multiple. The fruits somewhat resemble blackberries and ripen to be white, pink, red, or purple.

-Sam Desmond



SCN/Desmond



# BELLONE: Bipartisan support for sewer projects

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“old technology septic systems.”

In total, the projects will connect more than 1,600 parcels to sewers, reducing nitrogen discharge into the Great South Bay by thousands of pounds per year.

The county’s Wastewater Infrastructure Fund was created as part of the 2022 Operating Budget, using funding

from the federal American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA).

The Wastewater Infrastructure Fund includes \$125 million in funding and is also being used to advance projects in Wyandanch, Deer Park, Mastic, Saint James, and Smithtown.

While funding has been secured, all projects will have a ballot referendum to vote for the residential hookups to the

sewers.

Town of Islip supervisor Angie Carpenter (R) said, “We are pleased that more of our residents will have access to sewers here in Islip. Sewers help to protect our precious aquifer, and waterways, bays and harbors, and we look forward to continued expansion of this program.”

Echoing Carpenter was councilman

John Lorenzo (R-4th District), who said, “I am thrilled with today’s announcement as it will play a critical role in driving forward a clean-water initiative for parts of my district. Thank you to all my colleagues in government that have worked tirelessly to make this project a reality. I look forward to assisting in the development of this project in the near future.” ■



Suffolk County executive, Steve Bellone (D).

“Protecting water quality is a defining issue for Suffolk County... we cannot have a prosperous future if we do not protect our water quality.”



Legis. Anthony Piccirillo (R-8th District)

“I want to thank my colleagues in the legislature for bringing this important money forward to the Oakdale community. It was a true bipartisan effort. While this is an important step with the funding secured, the future of this project will be left up to the residents of Oakdale via ballot referendum. I am happy to have advocated for this critical step to secure the funding necessary to start Phase 1a of the Oakdale sewer project.”



State Sen. Alexis Weik (R-8th District)

“While I have the great privilege of representing all three of these communities—Oakdale, Holbrook, and West Islip—we heard from our communities, and not everyone is in agreement, but that’s fine. This is a positive step forward to finding solutions.”

All photos SCN/Desmond



Legis. Steve Flotterton (R-3rd District)

“I was also here in Oakdale when we were deciding, ‘should I take a shower today or do the laundry?’... so glad my colleagues and I all worked to get this done.”



Assemblyman Jarett Gandolfo (R-7th District)

“Once these sewers are constructed in Oakdale, that will be the lynchpin for the remaining part of the South Shore. I represent the Seventh Assembly District and that is entirely waterfront for the most part. We hear from all our communities on how important drinking water and recreational waterways are to their families.”



Councilman Jim O'Connor (R-2nd District)

“This is a really important initiative. Water quality is so important to our community... our most precious resource living here is access to our public waterfront, so whether you are a boater or not, it is critical for us to maintain this precious resource.”



Rhiannon Whelan, member of National Science Honor Society and sixth-generation Town of Islip resident

“I grew up here on the Connetquot River, swimming, boating with my friends, and I know it’s so important to so many other people as well, but nitrogen levels have been rising through the cesspool and septic systems have caused many changes in our rivers, such as algae bloom and fish population decline.”

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# Former Bayport resident to host book talk at library

Author credits high school teachers for 'becoming a writer'

BY SAM DESMOND

Former Bayport resident Ken Strange has released his new book, "A Cop's Son," and will be hosting a Meet the Author Night at the Bayport-Blue Point Library on Thursday, July 27 at 7 p.m. Strange will also be at a book signing at the Barnes & Noble in Smith Haven Mall, in Lake Grove, on Saturday, July 29 from 1 to 4 p.m.

The former FBI employee, who is currently living in the greater Los Angeles area, expressed his fondness for the formative time he lived in Bayport. Born in Brooklyn in 1955, Strange attended elementary school and one year in high school before moving to Bayport in 1970, where he graduated from the high school in 1973. After graduating from Le Moyne College in Syracuse as a modern language major, he returned to Long Island to teach Spanish and English as a second language at La Salle Military Academy in Oakdale, in 1977, before accepting a teaching job in the Middle East in 1979, where he taught English at a school for the Saudi Arabian royal family until 1985.

After obtaining graduate degrees, in 1989, Strange began his career with the Federal Bureau of Investigation's Joint Terrorism Task Force (JTTF) in the Newark, N.J., field office.

Nine years after retirement in 2019, Strange self-published "It's Your Camino: One Couple's 500-Mile Pilgrimage Across Spain."

The History Publishing Company pub-

lished his second book, a true-crime law enforcement memoir, "A Cop's Son: One G-Man's Fight Against Jihad, Global Fraud and the Cartels," this past June.

"Because my career was so varied and interesting, I always had the idea of sharing my experiences with the public in the form of a book," said Strange about his impetus for writing his second novel.

His father, a 38-year veteran of the New York Police Department, served as a "great inspiration" in choosing a law enforcement career.

"I hope to take the reader and attendees of the book signing behind fortress-like doors into the secret world of terrorists, financial predators, and sicarios."

During his time in Bayport, Strange wrote for the high school newspaper, called the *Daemon*, and wrote travel pieces for *The Suffolk County News*.

"Without *The Suffolk County News* and the confidence of their editorial staff, I'm not sure I would be making a book presentation at the Bayport-Blue Point Library," said Strange.

During his high school career, Strange said Jim Morgo was "a phenomenal English teacher" who introduced him to the works of James Joyce, whom he considers "one of the greatest writers of the English language."

In addition, Strange cites the influence of Charles Heineman, who introduced Strange to speech-making and presentations and oversaw the senior play "Flowers for Algernon," as a strong influence.

"Both were great men and teachers who played a significant role in my dream of becoming a writer," said Strange. ■

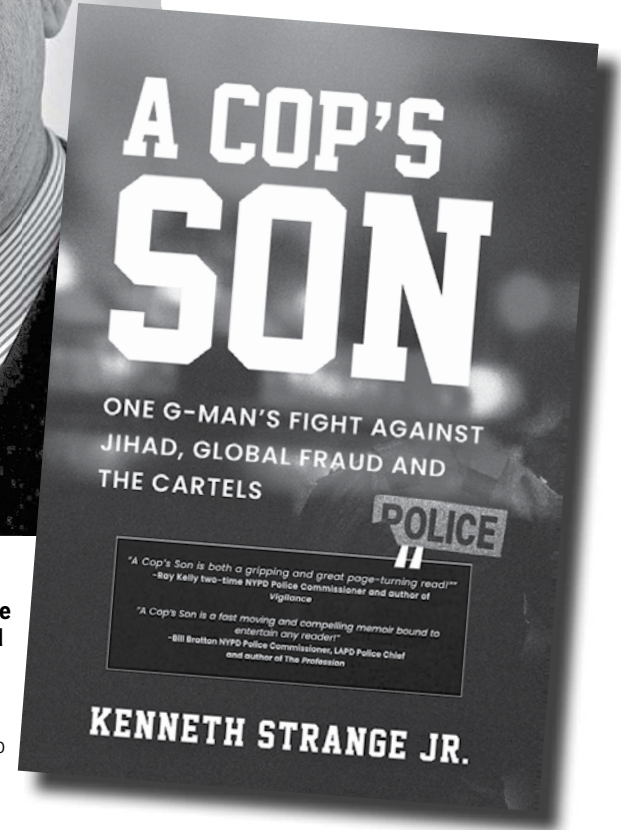


Strange's second book, which came out in June 2023, will be discussed at a Meet the Author Night at Bayport-Blue Point Library on Thursday, July 27 at 7 p.m.

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Former Bayport resident Ken Strange said he would advise young writers to "write and write often [as] writing is much like exercising a muscle. If you don't practice, the skill will wither away. Some of the best writers can write two hours per day; others try to write 1000 words per day... I would also counsel younger people to join a local writing club, where they will meet like-minded and talented writers."

Courtesy Photo



## Eye injury on ferry requires helicopter medical service

On Friday, July 14 at 8:09 p.m., a Suffolk County Police Department helicopter was deployed to the Sayville Ferry site in connection with a passenger that had an eye injury while on board the *Island Princess*. When a medical emergency occurs on the ferries while en route, standard Coast Guard procedures are followed to ensure the person's treatment and safety.

SAYVILLE

-Sam Desmond



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**Health Info & Blood Pressure Check** – Representatives from Northwell Health will be in the lobby of Sayville Library to provide help finding a doctor, health info, and perform blood pressure checks, noon to 3 p.m.

**Tech Talk: Smartphones for Beginners** – Program at Sayville Library will cover all you need to know to get the most out of your smartphone, 3-4:30 p.m. Bring your cellphone with you. Register online or call 631-589-4440, ext. 305.

**Friday, July 21**

**Family Fridays** – Free family entertainment at The Common Ground in Sayville features Darlene Graham Song and Dance, 6:30 p.m. Visit TheCommonGround.com for more information.

**Saturday, July 22**

**Pottery Exhibit** – EarthenWood Artisans, a creative collaboration of Bobbie and Bob Dalpiaz, will be on display at BAFFA Art Gallery, and can be viewed July 22-23, 29-30, noon to 4 p.m. Call 631-589-7343 or visit www.baffa.org.

**Sunday, July 23**

**Yoga in the Park** – Free yoga session at The

Common Ground in Sayville, provided by Om Shanti Yoga and Reiki Center, 8:30 a.m. All ages and skill levels. Visit www.TheCommonGround.com for information.

**Heckscher State Park Free Concert** – As part of Islip Arts Council's free summer concert series, the band "Easy Street" will perform in Park Field 8 at the park, 2 p.m. \$10 parking fee or free with Empire Pass.

**Wednesday, July 26**

**Wednesdays in the Park** – Concert by "Hokis Pokis," performing disco, Doo-wop, Motown and soul, at The Common Ground in Sayville, 7 p.m. Rain date: July 27. Visit TheCommonGround.com for more information.

**Monday, July 24**

**Cellphone Clinic** – Teen volunteers will be at Sayville Library to provide assistance and answer your cellphone questions, 4-5 p.m. Register online or call 631-589-4440, ext. 305.

**Tuesday, July 25**

**Afternoon Book Group** – The Sayville Library book group will meet at a local restaurant to talk about "The Guest List" by Lucy Foley, 1 p.m. Contact Adult Services to reserve a spot. Call 631-589-4440.

**Thursday, July 27**

**Outdoor Concert** – Patrons of both Bayport-Blue Point and Sayville libraries are

invited to bring a lawn chair to the grounds behind Bayport-Blue Point Library for a live performance by the Como Brothers Band featuring a mix of originals and popular music from the 50s through today, 6:30-8 p.m. Register online at either library or call 631-363-6133.

**Of Note ...**

**Author Talk** – Meet local author Linda Leuzzi during Bellport Day, July 29. Leuzzi will be signing copies of her book "My Year with the Italian Girl," at Pam Lerner Home & Design, 145 S. Country Rd., Bellport, 1-3 p.m.

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**Defensive Driving** – Save on insurance and reduce points with a driver education class offered by the Saint Lawrence Knights of Columbus on Saturday, July 29 at the Bethany Parish Center, St. Lawrence the Martyr Church in Sayville, 9 a.m. \$45 fee in advance or \$50 at the door includes breakfast and lunch. Register by calling 631-589-4839 or email drivingclass2458@gmail.com.

**Sayville Pet Parade** – Pre-register for the Sayville Rotary Club's annual, free, family and

pet event on Saturday, Sept. 9. Parade down Main Street starts at 9 a.m. with registration at 8 p.m. Register now at bit.ly/3qMllh3.

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**SUFFOLK COUNTY NEWS YEARS AGO****70 Years Ago**

JULY 1953

In way of keeping step with advances in modern newspaper production, **The Suffolk County News** has installed a photo electric engraving machine capable of turning out high-speed photo engravings. It will be teamed with a photographic dark room.

The Bayport Couples Club enjoyed a family picnic at the home of **Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lechner** and **Mrs. Quentin Beitel**.

Films of a recent trip to Europe were shown by **Dr. Eugene Bard** at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Sayville Rotary Club at the Foster House.

**Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Windle**, of Handsome Avenue, Sayville, are sailing aboard their cruiser for Nantucket, where they intend to spend a week.

**Mr. and Mrs. Smith M. Durland**, of Bayport, visited their son and daughter-in-law, **Mr. and Mrs. William Durland**, and attended the Islip Town Volunteer Firemen's Drill.

**Mr. and Mrs. Byron Borst** and their children, **Byron** and **Lois**, of Oakdale, attended a dinner at Camp Baiting Hollow in honor of the Boy Scout District Finance Committee.

**Cpl. Gilbert Sonin**, of Connetquot Drive, Oakdale, left Korea and is on his way home after serving 15 months, 12 of which were on the front lines. A big welcome home party is planned.

**Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lama** and their son, **Alfred Lama Jr.**, of Oakdale, sailed on the *Conti Bianca Mano* for a two-month tour of Europe, where they will proceed through the French Riviera, Paris, Switzerland, and Naples.

**Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Albrech III** were married at St. Lawrence R.C. Church, Sayville. The bride is the former **Ms. Joan Marie Winter**, of Sayville.

**Nicholas Paglia**, of Rollstone Avenue, West Sayville, was married to **Ms. Barbara Baker**, of Oakdale, at St. Ann's Episcopal Church in Sayville.

**Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Ball** and **Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders**, all of West Sayville, left for a motor trip of several days through upper New York State and Niagara Falls.

**Mr. and Mrs. H. Lewis Herring**, of Colton Avenue, Sayville, announced the engagement of their daughter, **Barbara May Herring**, to **Kenneth H. Meierdierks**, of Hampton Street. Ms. Herring attends Cortland State Teachers College and Mr. Meierdierks is in his junior year at Columbia University.

Playing this week at **The Sayville Theater**: "Shane," starring Alad Ladd and Jean Arthur.

**55 Years Ago**

JULY 1968

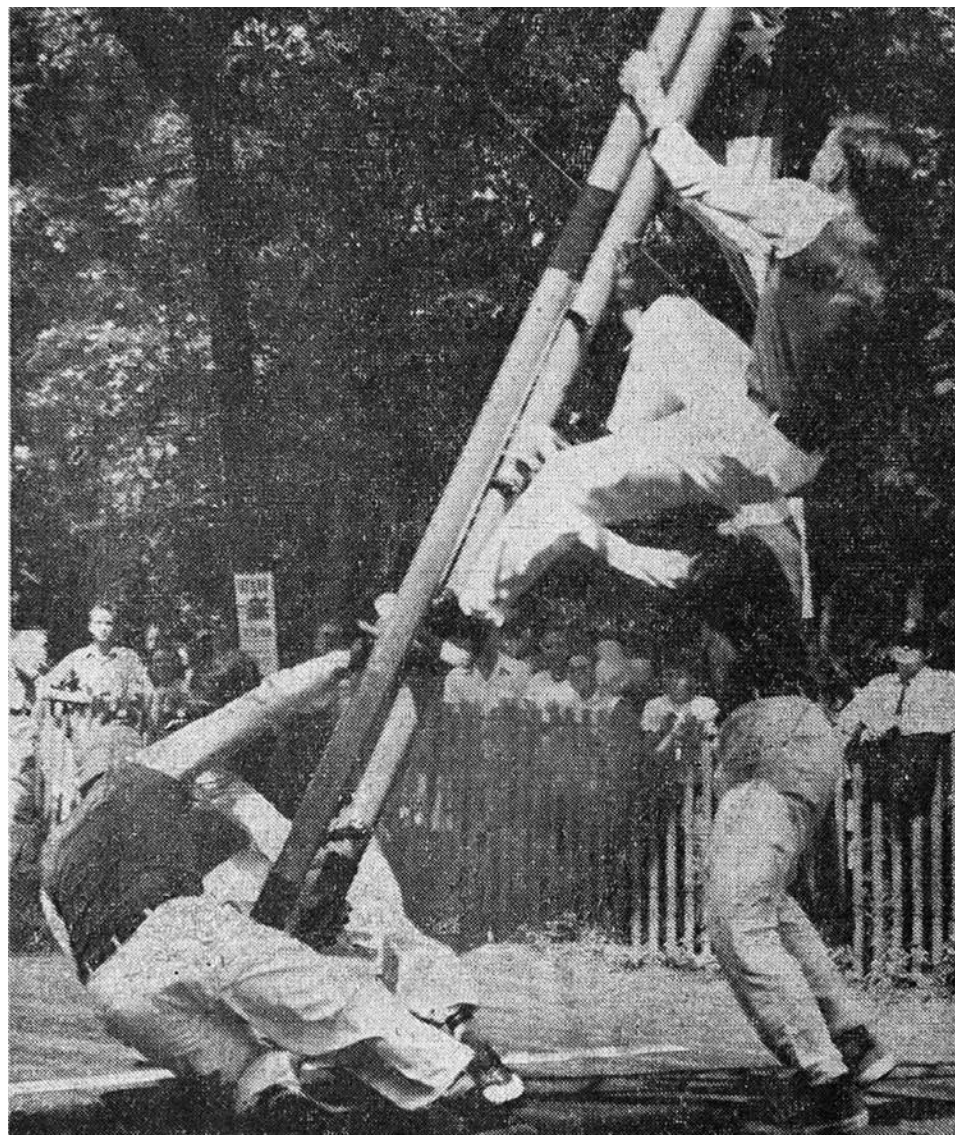
Two of the latest members of the FBI are **Barbara Brady** and **June Billera**, both of West Sayville, who will be working in clerical capacities at FBI headquarters in Washington, D.C.

**Ralph Ostuni**, of Sayville, is a private first-class military policeman serving in Vietnam, handling war dogs in a canine unit.

The annual luncheon and meeting of the Sayville Cabinet for the Sick Inc. was held at 21-White House Restaurant, in West Sayville, marking the 21st year of the group's service to the community. **Mrs. Adolph Mampe Sr.** conducted the meeting and **Mrs. Margaret Todd Richter** was hostess. In memory of **Ms. Mary Gerard**, who was locally well known, **Ms. Louise Ockers** presented a chair for the volunteers to use at the office on Collins Avenue, Sayville.

Machinist's Mate Third Class **Richard Lane**, of Smith Street, Sayville, received his honorable discharge after four years of service with the S.S. Navy, serving in Vietnam aboard the tanker *Shipola*, and the ammunition ships *Nitro* and *The Canner*.

The Wet Paints Studio Group of Sayville met at the Sayville Community



**July 1953: It appears that Sayville's racing team overshot its mark in the speed ladder climb at the town fire drill in Bayport, with Walter Jurgensen making the ascent.**

House. The theme painting, "Favorite Subject, Mixed Media," was won by **Mrs. Howard Weeks** and second place by **Mrs. Robert Dvorak**. Members were entertained with songs performed by **Susan and Linda**

**Allers**, written by their mother, **Mrs. George Allers**.

**Eileen Malone** and **Regina Quinn**, both of Sayville received executive secretari-

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# THE SUFFOLK COUNTY NEWS

## SPORTS

### Jake Tripptree looks forward to nearing season

#### Q & A with Sayville's quarterback

BY JORDAN STANKOVICH

Sayville quarterback Jake Tripptree led his team to an undefeated season last fall, culminating in a Long Island Championship and a Rutgers Trophy. This year, Tripptree and the Golden Flashes are looking to duplicate their success and along the way, look to make more memories that last a lifetime.

#### QUESTION AND ANSWER

**Suffolk County News:** Obviously, last year could not have concluded any better than that. You've been playing football since you were very young, and what every young athlete dreams of became your reality last November. Can you put into words winning the Long Island Championship?

**Tripptree:** I don't know if I can put it into words; it was just so exciting because growing up I would watch people go to the LIC, whether they won it or not. To be actually playing in it and then winning it is what we dreamed of.

**SCN:** Do you have a favorite memory from last season?

**Tripptree:** I'd have to say LIC, but just spending the time with my teammates, whether it was out to eat or anything building relationships.

**SCN:** Do you think there were any signs, either early in the season or midway through last year, that pointed to that you guys were going to accomplish something special?

**Tripptree:** From the start, we did take a new coach (Coach Blatter) just to, I guess, give ourselves an advantage. I guess when we played East Islip, that was kind of a big welcome to our future, only because last year was such a tough game and this year was not so tough.

**SCN:** I know you play lacrosse in the spring, but Coach Sands trains you guys all year 'round, so talk a bit about what your training consists of from last winter to now, where you're ready for training camp in a couple weeks.

**Tripptree:** I'd like to say two weeks after LIC. He didn't give us much of a break [laughs]. We were right back into the weight room and then upcoming now, we do weight room every day, seven on sevens, once or twice a week. We were doing three times sometimes and now

we're doing speed training with rebo.

**SCN:** Of course, each year the roster changes a lot. For example, Anthony Morrione, Michael Milo and Benny Sands graduated, and you still have a lot of key players from last year on this year's team: yourself, Luke Hansen, Anthony Contaldi, Kyle Messina, Mikey Sands, and many more. When it comes to play calling, does that change each year along with the roster, or does the concept stay generally the same?

**Tripptree:** Yeah, so it definitely depends on the roster. Two years ago, when we had Cheshire, we were throwing the ball like 100 times a game versus we have Kyle now, and we had a great line last year so we could run up the middle and then if we needed to pass it, we could pass it, too.

**SCN:** Talk about training camp in August. I'm sure it must be grueling with two practices a day; then you prepare for opening kickoff, which is the second week of September. Can you name one or two things you put a lot of focus on at practice in August?

**Tripptree:** Yeah, so, this season I want to work on keeping my vision downfield as well as staying in the pocket longer. Sometimes I get a little antsy and try to get out of the pocket too soon.



Sayville's quarterback Jake Tripptree looks ahead to next season.

Courtesy photo

**SCN:** Aside from team stuff, because everyone's goal is to repeat as champs, do you have any personal goals you want to accomplish on the field this season?

**Tripptree:** To be honest, just have fun. We've accomplished what we want. Obviously, we want the LIC, that's what we're chasing, but just have fun, don't stress about it, and enjoy my senior season. ■

## Boys and girls Little League teams win district championship

### Defeat Connetquot, Islip for New York No. 35 honors

BY SAM DESMOND

Sayville's Little League had some big winners this year for the annual Williamsport tournament, held in Pennsylvania and known as the Little League World Series.

The 9- to 11-year-old boys' team won the New York District 35 Championship, as did the 8- to 10-year-old girls' team.

Williamsport teams come from local Little League organizations and each player must be registered to play for a Sayville Little League team.

As the Little League season comes to a close in the summer (it begins around

the last week of March), the Little League board has each head coach fill out a ballot on what they have observed in their players during season's games.

Each team's coach votes on what players they would recommend to play on the Williamsport team.

Once the ballots are handed in, the board tallies up the votes and the players with the most are invited to play on the team. In addition, coaches are also voted on by their peers. Most teams consist of 12 players, with one or two alternates.

A few weeks prior to the tournament, coaches and players begin regular practices. "Not all of the players have played with each other, so there are some kinks that need to be worked out," said Mark Ruf, a board member.



"It was so much fun. I loved playing the field and being with my teammates," said player Madison Brink, age 9.

The tournament is a double elimination tournament (i.e., one loss still allows a team a chance at the championship). The first round is division, then sectionals, where as the team advances each level, they play teams from all over New York State.

The winner of the state tournament goes on to play at the Little League World Series, which is an internationally televised sporting event.

Manager of the winning Sayville boys' team, Steve Gennari, said that the players were "resilient" and "learned to find a way to win."

"There's nobody that works harder than us," said Gennari.

With two wins coming from behind to advance in the tournament, Gennari

said the players "don't quit and give it their all."

Richie Dumais, coach of the Sayville girls' team, said his experience leading the players was "extremely rewarding."

"They developed into both great players and great students of the game," said Dumais.

The girls' team had bonded early, and this gave way to a winning dynamic as a group.

"They showed resilience, pride, and drive throughout the tournament," said Dumais, who credited their win equally to fellow coaches John McLaughlan and Dave Tellier.

"I look forward to watching them grow next year and winning it again!" said Dumais. ■



"The Williamsport tournament is amazing! Playing in the games over the past few weeks have been my favorite games of my lifetime! I am having an awesome time taking the field with all of my friends, and the coaches are amazing! It is the best environment!" said player Jason Strand, age 10.

Courtesy photos



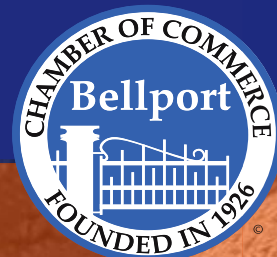
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# 'Breakfast at Tiffany's' photoshoot channels downtown 'character'

Photographer captures little girl's 'princess' side

BY SAM DESMOND

"Downtown Sayville has so much character to it. There is a certain charm to it as you walk Main Street. The buildings have that old vintage feel to it—brick buildings with brick stairs and iron railings... The town offers a welcoming feel to it and a slow pace,"

## SAYVILLE

said photographer Diana Vasquez about her photography site for a young girl's dress-up day as Audrey Hepburn.

"People stroll down the street, window shop while drinking their coffee, sit outside with a friend hearing laughter as the day passes. It reminded me of simpler times and not so modern, which I felt fit perfectly for our 'Breakfast at Tiffany's' theme," said Vasquez.

As a treat for McKenna, her mother, Jordan Loper, booked her daughter, a photoshoot, where she would channel the timeless Hepburn in her staple little black dress and pearls.

"Breakfast at Tiffany's' is forever iconic, and much of it is because of its fashion and scenery. When thinking of the film, two things come to my mind: Audrey's Givenchy dress and the opening scene where she is window shopping in Manhattan. I wanted to recreate this with McKenna and thought, what better aesthetics than Main Street in Sayville?" said Loper.

The costume came from Trish Scully, who has been in business for almost 25 years. Delighted with the photoshoot, the company said they "find immense joy in sparking imagination and creativity for little girls... we love helping little girls feel like the princesses that they are."

For her photoshoots, Vasquez said she first speaks with clients to "understand who they are," and ultimately what vision they have for the session.

After this, Vasquez creates a storyline to capture the essence.

"You see, to me, photos are a story, and I create a still movie through each shot to

tell that story," said Vasquez.

Loper had wanted to capture a moment in her daughter's life through a classic movie star in a child's eye.

To capture those singular moments, Vasquez said that she only focuses on what the frame of her camera sees in an instant.

"I try to tell everyone that this is your moment to create what you want to look back on," said Vasquez.

The natural charm of McKenna in her Sayville photos comes from Vasquez's practice not to pose her subject/models, and often tells them to close their eyes and to remember what brought them to the place they occupy.

"It's hard to explain, but you know when you watch a movie, and there's music, and the main character is maybe riding in the car looking out of a window, or having flashbacks to their memories—with each clip there is a look, a signature pose that makes you feel the moment... that's the pose I am looking for in each shoot," said Vasquez.

This approach is taken by Vasquez in her other endeavors, including maternity shoots, where she tries to capture the "excitement in their face, the protection a mother has for a child that isn't born yet, the strength, the beauty, the love, all of it. I want it to play out in the session."

In a cake-smash session, Vasquez opts for a playful "silliness" and that it's "okay to get messy."

Making it a family affair, Vasquez gets the parents involved and aims for the "belly-laugh" moments.

"I always try to avoid statue poses... if [my subject is] standing straight, [has an] unnatural smile... I will ask my models to look at each other, which is almost always followed with a natural laugh," said Vasquez.

As the Hepburn shoot with McKenna was in the summer afternoon sun, Vasquez was attuned to the natural lighting, which she characterizes as "both tricky and stunning."

With too much harsh light drowning out the subject's face, not enough light can darken the visage.

"During bright days I use subtle shades



Drawing from the elegance and humor of Audrey Hepburn's performance in "Breakfast at Tiffany's," photographer Diana Vasquez captured McKenna's easy grace.

when facing the camera, and I also use the light when the subject isn't directly pointed at me. The best time is overcast, and sunrise or sunset," said Vasquez.

Asked about the photographer who is her greatest influence, Vasquez named a local photographer in Pennsylvania, whose work was "all I want to be" because of her ability to convey the "emotion, the soul, the purpose to what's important in life."

While Vasquez admits that portraits have their place and can be beautiful, staid representations of what we aspire to, "it's the candid where you find the raw in people." Vasquez said that while she has always "loved taking photos and videos," she did not start on this path initially and was a senior buyer in New York City, but "wanted to be home more. I wanted to be in the moment of life and to leave some-

thing behind."

For almost a year, Vasquez's camera "sat in a box."

"I felt like, who am I? I'm not a photographer. I would compare myself to all of these artists online," said Vasquez.

With some encouragement from her husband, Vasquez got over her self-doubts and taught herself how to operate the camera.

"My advice to anyone starting out is be you in your work. Take the photo how you see it. A picture isn't a picture until you take it and edit it to create the picture. No one told Picasso how to paint. It was his style. You want bright backgrounds or creamy moody shots, do it. Watch 100 YouTube videos and TikTok's, and then watch a 100 more. You're going to make mistakes and want to cry when it's a paid job, but that's where you're going to learn. Don't give up." ■



Kay Cameron Jewelers steps in for Tiffany's for McKenna Loper's photoshoot.

Photos by Diana V Photography



What breakfast at Tiffany's would be complete without a sweet treat to eat while window shopping? McKenna browses Sayville Chocolatier for the perfect confection.



# Six arrests made in May break-in

## Police to arrest four more in Idle Hour mansion troubles

Suffolk County Police Department announced on Thursday, July 13 that they had arrested six people in connection with multiple burglary, criminal mischief, and criminal trespass incidents in May at the vacant Idle Hour mansion in Oakdale.

A group of males broke into 150 Idle Hour Boulevard sometime between May 25 and May 29 and painted graffiti on the wall that was later investigated by the Hate Crimes Unit for its anti-Semitic imagery. A second group of males also trespassed in the building on May 27 and May 29.

- The six males arrested and charged between the two incidents included:
- An 18-year-old was charged with burglary and criminal mischief.
- A 17-year-old was charged with burglary and criminal mischief as well as criminal trespass for the incident on May 29.
- Three 17-year-olds were charged with criminal trespass for the May 27 incident.
- A 17-year-old was charged with two counts of criminal trespass for the incidents on May 27 and May 29.
- The four 17-year-olds charged with criminal trespass were arraigned at Family Court in the past week.

The 18-year-old was arrested on July 11 and was arraigned at First District Court in Central Islip the same day.

The 17-year-old charged with burglary, criminal mischief and criminal trespass was arrested on June 30 and arraigned



**Suffolk County Crime Stoppers and the Fifth Squad detectives are seeking the public's help to identify and locate the people who burglarized an the Idle Hour building on 150 Idle Hour Boulevard on July 6 at approximately 10:30 pm. The group broke several windows and damaged items inside the building.**

Courtesy photo

at the Youth part of First District Court the same day.

Legis. Anthony Piccirillo (R-8th District), who has worked closely with community groups in Oakdale that both patrol and preserve the Idle Hour Mansion since its sale to Mercury International from the former Dowling College, said, "I am grateful for the work of the Suffolk County Police Department and commissioner Harrison on making six arrests at the former Dowling College. Having a working relationship with the

commissioner and inspector John Sumwalt of the 5th Precinct allows the residents to have the quality of life they deserve."

Sumwalt spoke of the enduring partnership between the police and the Oakdale community and characterized it as "combatting crime at this historical gem."

The police department is continuing a dialogue and collaboration with property management to "help identify and implement ways to better secure and protect

the property."

"We are also working to spread the message to area youth that criminal acts involving trespassing and damage will not be tolerated and will result in prosecution," said Sumwalt.

David Chan, an active community member who is the current president of the Oakdale Civic Association and who is a leader in the nightly patrol of the mansion, said, "We are so thankful for the hard work of the SCPD specially the detectives for the Hate Crimes Unit. Det. James Mosby kept an open communication with all the members of the Idle Hour Neighborhood Watch group."

Tom Alfano, who has been vocal with local elected officials, police, and media about the ongoing criminal activity at the Idle Hour Mansion, said, "I'm very pleased to see these arrests, and like the other arrests, it should serve as a warning that you will be caught, taken before a judge, your life negatively disrupted for a senseless act."

The Oakdale Historical Society, which helps to maintain and salvage parts of the mansion, was also in agreement that the recent arrests may serve as the deterrent the community has been seeking for years now.

"Oakdale is a community that is lush with history at every turn. Our ultimate goal is educating, preserving, and celebrating that history. It hurts our heart to hear of the ongoing vandalism and damage to our beautiful buildings with no regard for their importance to the community. We celebrate each and every time an arrest is made and another example of how these abhorrent behaviors will not be tolerated is made to the public," said OHS president Maryann Almes. ■

## OBITUARIES

### John G. Coughlin



John G. Coughlin, 77, of Port St. Lucie, Fla., formerly of West Sayville, died suddenly on July 14. Mr. Coughlin served in the United States Army during Vietnam and worked with

the NYPD for 20 years before retiring as a detective in 1989. He was a bagpiper in the NYPD Pipes and Drums and was a long-time member of the NYC Police Emerald Society. After retiring from the NYPD, Mr. Coughlin worked as manager of security at Estee Lauder in Melville.

Mr. Coughlin is survived by his wife, Carol; his four children, John and his wife, Alison, of Pennsylvania, Bridget Marazita of West Sayville, Lauren Griffin and her husband, Tim, of Long Island, and Elizabeth Belfiore of Florida; his two siblings, Gerald Coughlin and Mary Terrill; and his six grandchildren, Brianna and her husband, Blane, Alexandria, Emma, Madeline, John and James.

Friends and relatives will gather on Sunday, July 23, from 2 to 4:30 p.m. and 7 to 9:30 p.m. at Raynor & D'Andrea Funeral Home, West Sayville. A funeral Mass will be held on Monday, July 24 at 10 a.m. at St. Lawrence R.C. Church, Sayville, followed by interment in Calverton National Cemetery.



**PLEASE NOTE:** It is the policy of this newspaper that all obituaries, whether from a family member or funeral home, are edited for style and content. We charge a fee for all obituaries, but they must adhere to our format. To place a standard obituary or an obituary "as is" with no editing, please call our advertising department at 631-475-1000 ext. 11.

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## NOAH KALINOWSKI

Noah Kalinowski of Sayville and Moriches passed away on 6/29/23 at the age of 50. He was the loving son of Gerald (deceased) and Sandra Kalinowski. Noah graduated from Sayville High School and Cortland College. Following graduation, Noah spent over a decade as a U.S. Border Patrol Agent in the San Diego/I Centro area. Noah enjoyed many summers racing his Sunfish as a member of Sayville Wet Pants Sailing Association.

He is also survived by his sister

(Heather), Brother-in-law (Ben), and four nephews, Kylan, Harrison, Haydn and Ashton of Australia, and Uncle Michael and Aunt Leanne of Maine.

Caregivers Cathie and Chris, with whom he grew very close, will remember him fondly.

Noah had a gentle heart and a smile of pure joy. He possessed a kindness that touched many--some unknown to them. His star will shine brightly forever.



# EpiPen bill passed with unanimous vote in legislature

Police officers can't administer until state law changes

BY SAM DESMOND

On July 11, Suffolk County executive Steve Bellone signed into law a bill passed unanimously by the Suffolk County Legislature on July 5 requiring all police vehicles to be equipped with EpiPens, auto-injectors that treat life-threatening, allergic emergencies.

However, until the New York Assembly passes bill AO7018, introduced with bipartisan support in May 2023, police cannot legally administer the EpiPens.

The Assembly bill establishes the First Responder Epinephrine Preparedness Initiative (EPI) Act, creating a first responder epinephrine access program; authorizes the commissioner of health to approve and implement a municipal epinephrine bulk purchase program; authorizes taxpayers to contribute a gift for municipal epinephrine bulk purchases; and establishes a municipal epinephrine bulk purchase fund.

Local assemblymen Jarett Gandolfo (R-7th District) and Joe DeStefano (R,C-3rd District) both expressed their support the A07018 bill and the county's actions with its similar bill.

"This is another lifesaving tool for our Suffolk police," said DeStefano. "Hats



The Suffolk County Legislature and county executive are in agreement, as both have passed a law to mandate EpiPens in all police vehicles, but in order for police officers to administer the medication (which is done with a subcutaneous injection), New York State law needs to be amended.

Courtesy photo

off to Legis. Thorne and his colleagues for their unanimous vote in making EpiPens standard issue."

DeStefano said that as police are already equipped with Narcan devices,

EpiPens would be a "powerful addition to their lifesaving tool kit."

"Most times, severe allergic reactions and drug overdoses need a rapid response. Police can get there quickly,

and with this equipment, save lives," said DeStefano.

Gandolfo said allowing police to carry EpiPens "will undoubtedly save lives" and commended the legislature for the unanimous vote.

"We still need amendments to the state law to allow police officers to administer the treatment, and that is something I will be working on in the Assembly during the next legislative session," said Gandolfo.

Legis. Dominic Thorne (R-7th District), who first introduced the EpiPen bill to the Suffolk County Legislature, said, "It is a great day when government can introduce a law that will, without a doubt, save a life. Our decision to introduce this law is already being copied by Nassau and Westchester counties, and no doubt other municipalities in the state will follow suit."

Thorne said that after decades of serving as an EMS, he had "seen firsthand the effects of allergic reactions."

Fellow legislator Anthony Piccirillo (R-8th District) said he "fully supported" Thorne in his bill introduction and the subsequent bipartisan, unanimous vote.

"This well-crafted piece of legislation is supported by law enforcement. Having the ability to administer epinephrine in an emergency can save a life," said Piccirillo, who urged lawmakers in Albany that "the state needs to help us move this important piece of legislation forward." ■

## PUBLIC NOTICES SEND LEGAL NOTICES TO LIAOFFICE@LIADVANCE.NET

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that acquisitions have been proposed and contracts prepared under the New Suffolk County 1/4% Drinking Water Protection Program-Open Space-PayGo as follows:  
**SITE** Patchogue River  
**TAX MAP NO.** 0200-973.10-02.00-036.000  
**OWNERS** Interstate Home Loan Center, Inc.  
 Copies of the proposed contracts can be seen at the office of the Suffolk County Department of Economic Development and Planning, Division of Real Property Acquisition and Management, H. Lee Dennison Building, 2nd Floor, Veterans Memorial Highway, Hauppauge, New York. The undersigned will hold a final public hearing of this acquisition, pursuant to Section 247 of the N.Y.S. General Municipal Law, at the Division of Real Property Acquisition and Management on the 20th day of July, 2023 at 10:00 a.m., at which time all interested persons will be heard.  
 Michael Brown  
 Acquisition Unit Supervisor  
 Dated: July 13, 2023  
 Hauppauge, N.Y.  
**SCN, 2986, 7/20 |**

**\*\* 2023 \*\***  
**CONTINUOUS RUN NOTICE TO BIDDERS**  
 BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AND PUBLICLY OPENED AT THE SUFFOLK COUNTY OFFICE OF CENTRAL PROCUREMENT, 335 YAPHANK AVE., YAPHANK, NY 11980 631/852-5196 FOR THE FOLLOWING MATERIAL ON EACH MONDAY IN \*2022 AT 11:00 A.M. PLEASE REFER TO BUYER'S INITIALS WHEN MAKING INQUIRIES: JR MEATS  
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 PRODUCE  
 GROCERIES  
 FISH  
 DAIRY PRODUCTS  
 \*EXCEPT LEGAL HOLIDAYS, IN WHICH CASE IT WILL BE TUESDAY.  
 DEFINITE SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE ABOVE ITEMS MAY BE OBTAINED AT THE OFFICE OF CENTRAL PROCUREMENT.  
**SCN, 2428, 1/12 - 12/29 |**

Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2023-05-17. Office location: Suffolk County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to: Butterfly Seams LLC DBA Beyond Windows. Attn: Gilma Melara, Managing Member. 311 Delaware Avenue, Bay Shore NY 11706. Purpose: Any lawful.  
**SCN, 2876, 6/15, 22, 29 - 7/6, 13, 20 |**

**NOTICE OF FORMATION MAGRAS NA AMERICA LLC. ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION FILED WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF NEW YORK ON 06/05/2023. OFFICE LOCATED IN SUFFOLK COUNTY. SSNY HAS BEEN DESIGNATED FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS TO DIENE SILVA DE OLIVEIRA 52 POWELL AVENUE FARMINGVILLE, NY 11738, PURPOSE: ANY LAWFUL PURPOSE.**  
**SCN, 2894, 6/15, 22, 29 - 7/6, 13, 20 |**

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
 Application for Authority of Vanguard Claims Administration LLC filed with the Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/18/2023. The fict. name under which the LLC will do business in NY is Vanguard Claims Adjusters of New York, LLC. Formed in NJ on 7/6/2022. Office loc.: Suffolk County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The address SSNY shall mail copy of process to Corporate Service Bureau Inc., 283 Washington Ave., Albany, NY 12206. The office address required to be maintained

in NJ is 108 Euclid St., Woodbury, NJ 08096. Cert. of formation filed with Elizabeth Maher Muoio, State Treas., Div. of Revenue and Enterprise Services Business Support Services, Commercial Recording, P.O. Box 308, Trenton, NJ 08646. Purpose: Any lawful activity.  
**SCN, 2926, 6/22, 29 - 7/6, 13, 20, 27 |**

**NOTICE OF SALE**  
 SUPREME COURT COUNTY OF SUFFOLK, PHH MORTGAGE CORPORATION, Plaintiff, vs. DIANE RUSSO, ET AL., Defendant(s). Pursuant to an Order Confirming Referee Report Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly entered on February 11, 2020, I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the Riverhead Town Hall, 200 Howell Avenue, Riverhead, NY 11901 on August 3, 2023 at 12:00 p.m., premises known as 1673 Elsie Lane, Bay Shore, NY 11706. All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Town of Islip, County of Suffolk and State of New York, District 0500, Section 200.00, Block 02.00 and Lot 010.000. Approximate amount of judgment is \$150,242.33 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index # 600899/2016. COVID-19 safety protocols will be followed at the foreclosure sale. Daniel Fox, Esq., Referee Greenspoon Marder, 590 Madison Avenue, Suite 1800, New York, NY 10022, Attorneys for Plaintiff  
**SCN, 2935, 6/29 - 7/6, 13, 20 |**

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE

OF NEW YORK  
 INDEX NO. 205981/2022  
 COUNTY OF SUFFOLK  
 Plaintiff designates SUFFOLK as the place of trial situs of the real property  
**SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMONS**  
 Mortgaged Premises:  
 86 SYCAMORE AVENUE, CENTRAL ISLIP, NY 11722  
 District: 0500, Section: 080.00, Block: 03.00, Lot: 069.003

LAKEVIEW LOAN SERVICING, LLC  
 Plaintiff,

vs.  
 HEYDI ARGUETA LEON, if living, and if she/he be dead, any and all persons unknown to plaintiff, claiming, or who may claim to have an interest in, or general or specific lien upon the real property described in this action; such unknown persons being herein generally described and intended to be included in the following designation, namely: the wife, widow, husband, widower, heirs at law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors, and assignees of such deceased, any and all persons deriving interest in or lien upon, or title to said real property by, through or under them, or either of them, and their respective wives, widows, husbands, widowers, heirs at law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors and assigns, all of whom and whose names, except as stated, are unknown to plaintiff; KELVIN F. VELASQUEZ UMANZOR; BLANCA YAMLEITH ALFARO MEJIA; SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT; CLERK OF THE SUFFOLK COUNTY TRAFFIC AND PARKING VIOLATIONS AGENCY; US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION AS TRUSTEE FOR THE STRUCTURED ASSET INVESTMENT LOAN TRUST 2005-10; MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.; BNC MORTGAGE, INC.; THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; HARTON FRABON; "JOHN DOE" (REFUSED NAME); LINDA VELASQUEZ UMANZOR, "JOHN DOE #4" through "JOHN

DOE #12," the last nine names being fictitious and unknown to plaintiff, the persons or parties intended being the tenants, occupants, persons or corporations, if any, having or claiming an interest in or lien upon the premises, described in the Complaint, Defendants.

To the above named Defendants  
 YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED

to answer the Complaint in the above entitled action and to serve a copy of your Answer to the plaintiff's attorney within twenty (20) days of the service of this Summons, exclusive of the day of service, or within thirty (30) days after service of the same is complete where service is made in any manner other than by personal delivery within the State. The United States of America, if designated as a defendant in this action, may answer or appear within sixty (60) days of service. Your failure to appear or to answer will result in a judgment against you by default for the relief demanded in the Complaint. In the event that a deficiency balance remains from the sale proceeds, a judgment may be entered against you.

**NOTICE OF NATURE OF ACTION AND RELIEF SOUGHT**

THE OBJECT OF the above caption action is to foreclose a Mortgage to secure the sum of \$392,755.00 and interest, recorded on November 02, 2018, in Liber M00022974 at Page 792, of the Public Records of SUFFOLK County, New York, covering premises known as 86 SYCAMORE AVENUE, CENTRAL ISLIP, NY 11722.

The relief sought in the within action is a final judgment directing the sale of the premises described above to satisfy the debt secured by the Mortgage described above.

SUFFOLK County is designated as the place of trial because the real property affected by this action is located in said county.

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## YEARS AGO

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al diplomas from Browne's Business School, Bay Shore. Ms. Malone is now employed by an attorney and Ms. Quinn has secured a position at General Electric, New York City.

A Pyramid Party for the benefit of the Eastern Islip Unit of the American Cancer Society was given by Mrs. Henry Pfister, of Bayport. Among those in attendance were Mrs. Thomas Martin and Mrs. Lyle Thornbloom, also of Bayport.

Members of the English and histo-

ry classes at James Wilson Young High School, Bayport, are embarking on a 21-day student tour of England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales. The students on the trip are James Dixon, Arthur Schmitt, Robert Kiss, Robert Steinbach, Christine Jacobsen, Barbara Jaycox, Candy Lechner, Joan Griffin, Steven Newdell, Craig Rathbun, Robert Gray, Roger Disher, Marilyn Scherff, Sherry Adams, Lynda Moore, Nancy Lipson, Edith Menegus, Jenifer Steiner, Patricia Steele, Marlyne Salitsky and Martha Smith.

**Sam Napolitano**, formerly proprietor of a beauty salon in Sayville, has opened the Lestray Beauty Salon on Main Street in West Sayville.

**Sam Walton**, of Memphis, Tenn., was the guest of **James Dietz**, of Rollstone Avenue, West Sayville. For the past two years they have been teammates on the football team at East Texas State University, and Mr. Walton has signed a three-year contract with the New York Jets.

Compiled by Vanessa Graniello

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copy of the answer to the attorney for the mortgage company who filed this foreclosure proceeding against you and filing the answer with the court, a default judgment may be entered and you can lose your home. Speak to an attorney or go to the court where your case is pending for further information on how to answer the summons and protect your property.

Sending a payment to the mortgage company will not stop the foreclosure action.

YOU MUST RESPOND BY SERVING A COPY OF THE ANSWER ON THE ATTORNEY FOR THE PLAINTIFF (MORTGAGE COMPANY) AND FILING THE ANSWER WITH THE COURT.

Dated: June 20, 2023

ROBERTSON, ANSCHUTZ,  
SCHNEID, CRANE & PARTNERS,  
PLLC

Attorney for Plaintiff

Matthew Rothstein, Esq.

900 Merchants Concourse, Suite

310

Westbury, NY 11590

516-280-7675

SCN, 2941, 6/29 - 7/6, 13, 20 |

"Notice of Formation of Caribbean Executive Travel, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/20/2023. Office location: Suffolk County. SSNY designated as agent of Caribbean Executive Travel (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to Caribbean Executive Travel: 136 Sequams Lane W West Islip, NY 11795. Purpose: Any lawful purpose." SCN, 2948, 7/6, 13, 20, 27 - 8/3, 10 |

NOTICE OF SALE  
SUPREME COURT - COUNTY OF SUFFOLK

AJX MORTGAGE TRUST 1, A DELAWARE TRUST, WILMINGTON SAVINGS FUND SOCIETY, FSB, TRUSTEE

Plaintiff,

Against  
SANDY MARTINEZ, SANTOS RIVERA-MARTINEZ, et al.

Defendant(s)

Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale, duly entered 08/08/2022, I, the undersigned Referee, will sell at public auction, at the Islip Town Hall, 655 Main Street, Islip, NY 11751 on 8/9/2023 at 10:00AM, premises known as 73 4th Street, Brentwood, NY 11717, And Described As Follows;

ALL that certain plot piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being In The Town Of Islip, County Of Suffolk And State Of New York.

District 0500 Section 183.00 Block 04.00 Lot 023.000

The approximate amount of the current Judgment lien is \$383,815.07 plus interest and costs. The Premises will be sold subject to provisions of the aforesaid Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale; Index # 600809/2020

Thomas Zawyrucha, Esq., Referee.  
SHELDON MAY & ASSOCIATES  
Attorneys at Law, 255 Merrick Road,  
Rockville Centre, NY 11570

Dated: 6/1/2023 File Number:

37104 LD

SCN, 2951, 7/6, 13, 20, 27 |

Notice of formation of LJLM Homes LLC. Articles of Organization filed

with the Secretary of State of New York SSNY on 6/27/23. Office located in Suffolk County. SSNY has been designated for service of process. SSNY shall mail copy of any process served against the LLC 56 Chatham Dr., Oakdale, NY 11769. Purpose: any lawful purpose.  
SCN, 2954, 7/6, 13, 20, 27 - 8/3, 10 |

Notice of formation of JD YANG MANHATTAN LLC. Arts of Org filed with Secy of State of NY (SSNY) on June 8, 2023. Office location: Suffolk County. SSNY designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail copy of process against LLC to: Hong Yang at 355 Vanderbilt Pkwy, Dix Hills, NY 11746, USA. Purpose: any lawful act.  
SCN, 2956, 7/6, 13, 20, 27 - 8/3, 10 |

Notice of formation of JD YANG BROOKLYN LLC. Arts of Org filed with Secy of State of NY (SSNY) on June 13, 2023. Office location: Suffolk County. SSNY designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail copy of process against LLC to: Hong Yang at 355 Vanderbilt Pkwy, Dix Hills, NY 11746, USA. Purpose: any lawful act.  
SCN, 2964, 7/6, 13, 20, 27 - 8/3, 10 |

ADVERTISEMENT - NOTICE TO BIDDERS  
SUFFOLK COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS  
YAPHANK, NEW YORK

Sealed bids will be received at the Suffolk County Department of Public Works Purchasing Unit (Room #108), 335 Yaphank Avenue, Yaphank, New York 11980, until 11:00 AM local time on August 3, 2023, at which time they will be publicly opened and read for:

RECONSTRUCTION OF SHINNECOCK CANAL LOCKS, PHASE IX  
TOWN OF SOUTHAMPTON  
CAPITAL PROJECT NO. 5343

The work consists of the following: Gate Work shall consist of Cleaning and Repairing Tide Gates, Replacing Pintle System, Chamber Repair, Gate Anchorage and Frame Replacement, CCA Guide Wall Replacement with Greenheart Timber, Steel Bulkhead and Tie Rod System Replacement.

All Contract Documents may be examined on the plan review table at the Suffolk County Department of Public Works (Rudolph M. Kammerer Building), 335 Yaphank Avenue, Yaphank, New York 11980, between the hours of 9:00AM and 3:00PM daily, except Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, on or after Thursday, July 13, 2023. In order to obtain a set of Contract Documents, eligible bidders MUST visit <http://www.suffolkcountyny.gov>, click on "Doing Business", then "Bids & Proposals", then click "Please click here for access to Suffolk County's Procurement Announcement System". This will bring you to a home-page where you can "Log-in" to view and print the offerings. New users click on "Log In" to create a new account to register.

When creating your profile, ensure that you select NIGP codes 909, 910, 912, 913, 925, and 968 which will allow you to view the appropriate documents and receive future e-mails about Lettings/Capital Projects. You are responsible for downloading and printing all appropriate Contract Documents. You are also responsible for checking the

site frequently to ensure that you have all addenda. Note that there is no fee to create a user profile or to obtain documents. Questions for user login should be directed to the Suffolk County Department of Public Works IT division at (631) 852-4115. Eligible bidders must have registered and downloaded all Contract Documents from the Suffolk County Department of Public Works Purchasing Unit web site to be eligible to submit a responsible bid.

Bids for this contract shall be submitted in a separate sealed envelope with the name of the contract clearly noted on the outside of the envelope. Bids shall be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the total Base Bid, made payable to the Suffolk County Comptroller. This bid bond will be held as a guarantee that in the event the bid is accepted and contract awarded to the Bidder, the contract will be duly executed and properly secured. E-MAILED BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED UNRESPONSIVE.

Awards will be made to the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder in conjunction with Section A4-14 of the Suffolk County Administrative Code establishing an optional ten percent (10%) local (Nassau/Suffolk) preference program for Suffolk County contracts.

The bids shall be delivered in person, by the Bidder or his agent, at the time and place stated above.

NOTE: Notice to Bidders and Bid Results are posted on the Suffolk County Web Site at <http://www.suffolkcountyny.gov>. Go to Department Directory link, scroll down menu to choose Public Works, click on Bids and Contracts. Bid Results will not be given out over the telephone. You are requested to access the County website for this information. If you are not in attendance at the bid opening, please be patient while we process and post the results. Results will typically be posted within 24 hours after the bid opening.

Please note that all construction projects involving construction, reconstruction, improvement, rehabilitation, installation, alteration, renovation, demolition or otherwise providing for any building, facility or physical structure of any kind with a value exceeding \$250,000 will be subject to requirements pursuant to Article 8 §220-h of NYS Labor Law regarding OHSA training and Article 23 §816b of NYS Labor Law and Suffolk County Resolution No. 1866-2014 regarding Apprenticeship Training Programs, specifically requiring graduate apprentice(s) in the trade(s) called for in the construction contract within a specific time period preceding the bid date of project.

The County of Suffolk, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. §§ 2000d-4) and the Regulations, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full and fair opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Any questions regarding this project shall be directed to William Hillman, P.E., Chief Engineer and sent to:

HSWBids@suffolkcountyny.gov  
JOSEPH T. BROWN, P.E., COMMISSIONER  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

SUFFOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK  
SCN, 2973, 7/13, 20 |

Notice of Formation of Lyssen Up Health and Wellness, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2023-03-13. Office location: Suffolk County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to Alyssa Acompora: 59 Penney St, West Islip, NY 11795. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.  
SCN, 2985, 7/20, 27 - 8/3, 10, 17, 24 |

PUBLIC NOTICE  
OF PUBLIC HEARING  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN I.R.

No. 1387-2023 - "A Local Law to Amend Chapter 643 of the Suffolk County Code to Update Language to Accurately Reflect the Licensing Procedures for Parks Facilities Available for Residential Use and to Incorporate HUD-Established Fair Market Rent Based on Bedroom Size and Household Income into those Procedures" has been introduced in the Suffolk County Legislature. This local law would amend the County Code to accurately reflect the nature of the occupancy of parks housing, reflect the change in priority, incorporate HUD-established fair market rent based on bedroom size and household income and ensure appraisals remain current.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the County Legislature will hold a public hearing on the 25th day of July, 2023, at 2:00 P.M. in the Rose Y. Caracappa Auditorium of the William H. Rogers Building, 725 Veterans Memorial Highway, Hauppauge, New York. This will be an in-person participation only public hearing.

The Clerk will accept written testimony via mail to the Clerk's Office at the Suffolk County Legislature, William H. Rogers Building, 725 Veterans Memorial Highway, Hauppauge, New York 11788, or email to Frank.Tassone@suffolkcountyny.gov, as well as recorded voice testimony at (631) 853-3685 until 6:00 PM on the 25th day of July, 2023. Written and email testimony submissions will be attached to the minutes of this meeting as Addendum A. A transcription of the recorded voice testimony which was submitted will be attached to the minutes of this meeting as Addendum B.

Frank Tassone  
Clerk of the County Legislature  
SCN, 2987, 7/20 |

PUBLIC NOTICE  
OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN I.R. No. 1616-2023 - "A Local Law to Authorize Conveyance of Property Previously Taken for Delinquent Taxes (15 Horton Terrace, Southampton, SCTM No. 0900-112.00-01.00-044.002)" has been introduced in the Suffolk County Legislature. This local law would authorize the Division of Real Property, Acquisition and Management to re-convey a parcel located in Southampton to its prior owner.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN

that the County Legislature will hold a public hearing on the 25th day of July, 2023, at 2:00 P.M. in the Rose Y. Caracappa Auditorium of the William H. Rogers Building, 725 Veterans Memorial Highway, Hauppauge, New York. This will be an in-person participation only public hearing.

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Frank Tassone  
Clerk of the County Legislature  
SCN, 2988, 7/20 |

PUBLIC NOTICE  
OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN I.R. No. 1626-2023 - "A Local Law to Authorize Conveyance of Property Previously Taken for Delinquent Taxes (1378 Broadway Avenue, Holbrook, SCTM No. 0500-108.00-04.00-013.002)" has been introduced in the Suffolk County Legislature. This local law would authorize the Division of Real Property, Acquisition and Management to re-convey a parcel located in Holbrook to its prior owner.

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Frank Tassone  
Clerk of the County Legislature  
SCN, 2989, 7/20 |

NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME COURT SUFFOLK COUNTY

U.S. BANK TRUST, N.A., AS TRUSTEE FOR LSF10 MASTER PARTICIPATION TRUST, Plaintiff against LISA D. MOORE, et al Defendant(s) Attorney for Plaintiff(s) Fein Such & Crane, LLP, 28 East Main Street, Suite 1800, Rochester, NY 14614.

Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered May 26, 2022, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at Islip Town Hall, 655 Main St., Islip, NY 11751 on August 18, 2023 at 3:00 PM. Premises known as 23 Armstrong Street, Brentwood, New York 11717. Dis-



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tract 0500 Sec 163.00 Block 03.00 Lot 072.000. All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Town of Islip, County of Suffolk and State of New York. Approximate Amount of Judgment is \$219,814.81 plus interest, fees, and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index No 063642/2014.

The foreclosure sale will be conducted in accordance with 10th Judicial District's Covid-19 Policies and foreclosure auction rules. The Referee shall enforce any rules in place regarding facial coverings and social distancing.

Ryan Nicholas Brown, Esq., Referee  
AYSN401

SCN, 2990, 7/20, 27 - 8/3, 10 |

## Notice of Formation of Dream Chasers RE LLC.

Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2023-06-19 Office Location: Suffolk County. SSNY designated as agent of Dream Chasers RE LLC Upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to Dream Chasers RE LLC: 202 Schley Ave. Lindenhurst, NY 11757.

Purpose: Any lawful purpose.  
SCN, 2991, 7/20, 27 - 8/3, 10, 17, 24 |

Notice of Formation of 249 Holding Company, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/3/2022. Office location: Suffolk County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to: 249 Holding Company, LLC., 62 Glasgow Ave., Deer Park, NY 11779

Purpose: Any lawful purpose.  
SCN, 2992, 7/20, 27 - 8/3, 10, 17, 24 |

## NOTICE OF RESOLUTION ADOPTED SUBJECT TO PERMISSIVE REFERENDUM

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Bohemia Fire District at a regular meeting thereof, held on July 12, 2023, adopted the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED, pursuant to the provisions of the General Municipal Law and the Town Law of the State of New York that a sum not to exceed \$400,000 be expended from the Capital Building and Improvements Reserve Fund of said Fire District for a New Solar Panel Installation, at headquarters, 950 Pearl Street, Bohemia, NY, and Station 1, 492 8th Street, Bohemia, NY and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution is adopted subject to a permissive referendum as provided in the General Municipal Law of the State of New York, and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of the Fire District shall within ten days of the adoption of this resolution, publish a notice within the official newspaper for the Fire District setting forth the date of the adoption of the resolution and an abstract of the resolution concisely stating the purpose and effect thereof and that the resolution was adopted subject to a permissive referendum.

Dated: July 20, 2023

BY ORDER OF THE FIRE COMMISSIONERS

OF THE BOHEMIA FIRE DISTRICT  
Town of Islip, Suffolk County, New York

By: Gina M. Marrone

Fire District Secretary

SCN, 2993, 7/20 |

## ADVERTISEMENT NOTICE TO BIDDERS SUFFOLK COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS YAPHANK, NEW YORK

Sealed bids will be received at the Suffolk County Department of Public Works Purchasing Unit (Room #103), 335 Yaphank Avenue, Yaphank, New York 11980, until 11:00 AM local time on August 15, 2023, at which time they will be publicly opened and read for:

IMPROVEMENTS TO SUFFOLK COUNTY FARM  
SCHRAEDER HOUSE / VISITOR CENTER (C0831)  
town OF Brookhaven

## CAPITAL PROJECT NO. 1796

The work consists of the following: Demolition and disposal of roof assemblies, roof coverings, siding, walls, ceilings, slab, door, plumbing, and lighting.

Furnish and install all new general construction components not limited to concrete foundation and slab, new wood walls, metal roofing, siding, PVC decking, drywall partitions, doors, ceilings, custom millwork and cabinetry, laminate wall and door finishes, tile flooring, and painting.

Furnish and install all mechanical, electrical and plumbing items not limited to sinks, piping, hot water heater, smoke detectors, light fixtures, emergency exit lighting, fire alarm/strobe, sprinklers, LED lighting, and power outlets.

Site demolition to include removal of existing concrete curb, excavation of subbase and asphalt.

Site work to include placement of new concrete curb and side walk, leaching basin with metal frame and grate, asphalt and parking lot stripping, regrading and site restoration of areas.

All Contract Documents may be examined on the plan review table at the Suffolk County Department of Public Works (Rudolph M. Kammerer Building) 335 Yaphank Avenue, Yaphank, New York 11980, between the hours of 9:00AM and 3:00PM daily, except Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, on or after July 20, 2023. In order to obtain a set of Contract Documents, eligible bidders MUST visit <http://www.suffolkcountyny.gov>, click on "Business", then "Doing Business", then "Bids & Proposals," then click "Please click here for access to the Suffolk County Procurement System". This will bring you to a home-page where you can "Log-in" to view and print the offerings. New users click on "Log In" to create a new account to register. When creating your profile, ensure that you select NIGP codes 909, 910, 912, 913, 925, and 968 which will allow you to view the appropriate documents and receive future e-mails about Lettings/Capital Projects. You are responsible for downloading and printing all appropriate Contract Documents. You are also responsible for checking the site frequently to ensure that you have all addenda. Note that there is no fee to create a user profile or to obtain documents. Questions for user login should be directed to the Suffolk County Department of Public Works IT division at (631) 852-4115. Eligible bidders must have registered on the Suffolk County Department of Public Works Purchasing Unit web site to be eligible to submit a responsible bid.

CONTRACT NO.1 - GENERAL CONSTRUCTION

A mandatory pre-bid walk through is required on Tuesday, August 1, 2023 at 10:00 AM. Meet on-site at the Schraeder House (C0831), located at Suffolk County Farm, 350 Yaphank Avenue, Yaphank, New York 11980. Refer to Drawing GN-1 for site plan. Suffolk County reserves the right to reject bids from those contractors that did not attend the walk through. Note: This Project is to be bid as a single prime project. Bidders shall submit with their bids, a separate sealed list that names each subcontractor that the bidder will use to perform work on the contract, and the agreed-upon amount to be paid to each as applicable, for: (a) plumbing and gas fitting (i.e., Plumbing Work), (b) steam heating, hot water heating, ventilating and air conditioning apparatus (i.e., HVAC Work which includes fire sprinkler) and (c) electric wiring and standard illuminating fixtures (i.e., Electrical Work). The apparent low bidder's subcontract information will be opened and read aloud at the bid opening.

Bids for this contract shall be submitted in a separate sealed envelope with the name of the contract clearly noted on the outside of the envelope. Bids shall be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the total Base Bid, made payable to the Suffolk County Comptroller. This bid bond will be held as a guarantee that in the event the bid is accepted and contract awarded to the Bidder, the contract

will be duly executed and properly secured. E-MAILED BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED UNRESPONSIVE.

Awards will be made to the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder in conjunction with Section A4-14 of the Suffolk County Administrative Code establishing an optional ten percent (10%) local (Nassau/Suffolk) preference program for Suffolk County contracts. The bids shall be delivered in person, by the Bidder or his agent, at the time and place stated.

NOTE: Notice to Bidders and Bid Results are posted on the Suffolk County Web Site at <http://www.suffolkcountyny.gov>. Go to Department Directory link and scroll down menu to choose Public Works. Then click on Bids and Contracts. Bid Results will not be given out over the telephone. You are requested to access the County website for this information. If you are not in attendance at the bid opening, please be patient while we process and post the results. Results will typically be posted within 24 hours after the bid opening.

Please note that all construction projects over \$250,000 advertised after July 17, 2008 will be subject to training requirements pursuant to Section 220-h of the NYS Labor Law. Please note that all construction contracts involving construction, reconstruction, improvement, rehabilitation, installation, alteration, renovation, demolition of, or otherwise providing for any building, facility or physical structure of any kind with a value in excess of \$250,000 will be subject to Apprenticeship Training Program requirements pursuant to Article 23, Section 816b of the NYS Labor Law and Suffolk County Resolution No. 1866-2014, specifically requiring graduate of apprentice(s) in the trade(s) called for within the construction contract within specified time period preceding the bid date of project. The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Any questions regarding this project shall be directed to Robert A. Hardie, R.A. at 631-852-4237 or robert.hardie@suffolkcountyny.gov.

JOSEPH T. BROWN, P.E., COMMISSIONER

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

SUFFOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK  
SCN, 2994, 7/20 |

Suffolk County Workforce  
Development Board Meeting  
Friday, July 28, 2023  
9:00 a.m.

Haugland Group  
336 S. Service Road  
Melville, NY 11747

Reservations required

Please RSVP by July 24th to:

[Joanna.Margiotta@SuffolkCountyNY.gov](mailto:Joanna.Margiotta@SuffolkCountyNY.gov)

Or 631-853-6575

SCN, 2995, 7/20 |

## Notice to Bidders

Notice is hereby given of an invitation to provide sealed bids for the Transportation of Voting Equipment and Storage of Privacy Booths: Ballot Marking Devices, Tabulators, Poll Print Stations and Privacy Booths for Certain Elections to be Held in 2024 and 2025, with Options for 2026 and 2027.

Sealed bid submissions must be received no later than 11:00 a.m. on Friday, September 8, 2023 and will be publicly opened and read aloud by the Commissioners of Elections, County of Suffolk, 700 Yaphank Avenue, Yaphank, New York 11980, at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, September 11, 2023.

Copies of the Request for Bids and all required bid submission forms may be obtained at the offices of the Board of Elections, or by email request to Stella Losquadro at [Stella.Losquadro@suffolkcountyny.gov](mailto:Stella.Losquadro@suffolkcountyny.gov), or at the Board of Election's website at <http://www.suffolkcountyny.gov/departments/boardofelections.aspx> on or after Monday, July 24, 2023. Technical questions regarding specifications which are e-mailed to Stella Losquadro by Monday, August 7, 2023 will be answered by Monday, August 14, 2023. For administrative questions, contact Stella Losquadro at 631-852-4553.

The Commissioners reserve the

right to reject any and all bids. Furthermore, notwithstanding the award and execution of a contract with one or more companies, the Commissioners reserve the right to not utilize such company (or companies) for some or all elections in 2024 and 2025, and/or during any option period (2026 and/or 2027).

Suffolk County Board of Elections  
John Alberts & Betty Manzella  
Commissioners

Dated: July 17, 2023

SCN, 2996, 7/20 |

## Notice To Bidders

July 20, 2023

Bids will be received and publicly opened at the Suffolk County Office of Central Procurement - 335 Yaphank Avenue, Yaphank, New York 11980 - 631-852-5197, for the following material on the following dates at 11:00 A.M. Please refer to buyer's Initials when making Inquiries.

JH - Thursday, August 3, 2023 - Bid #23/0259- Hauling of County Dredge (Commodity Code 96329)

MOF - Friday, August 4, 2023 - Bid #23/0265 - Tamis Classic Barricade (Commodity Code 55078)

JH - Tuesday, August 15, 2023 - Bid #23/0241 - SCDP Dive Truck (Commodity Code 07205)

JC - Wednesday, August 23, 2023 - Bid #23/0253LPWI - Security Entrance at William Rogers Legislature Building (Commodity Code 91240)

Bid specifications are available on-line at: <http://dpw.suffolkcountyny.gov/rfp> Click on Government/Purchasing/Bid Announcement System. Follow the directions. If you require assistance, please contact the Office or Procurement at 631-852-5196. The hours of operation are: Monday through Friday, from 8:00 AM To 4:00 PM.

SCN, 2997, 7/20 |

## LEGAL NOTICE

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION BY BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS OF THE

HOLBROOK FIRE DISTRICT SUBJECT TO PERMISSIVE REFERENDUM

WHEREAS, a District Capital Reserve Fund was previously established by the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Holbrook Fire District in accordance with the provisions of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York, and all other applicable laws, and as approved by mandatory referendum pursuant to the General Municipal Law, and funds placed in the Capital Reserve Fund and the General Fund Checking Account as encumbered by the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Holbrook Fire District are subsequently released and utilized for Capital Reserve Projects, pursuant to permissive referendum, from the District's Capital Reserve Fund, and therein the Capital Reserve Fund Checking Account and/or the Capital Reserve Fund Money Market Account as applicable; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Fire Commissioners of the Holbrook Fire District having considered a motion made at a duly convened public meeting of the Board on July 13, 2023 said motion having been made by Commissioner Christian Heinssen on behalf of the Board to establish Capital Reserve Project 23-CP-01 to be titled Station 1 Fence Replacement with materials and labor to be used from Suffolk County Bid List ( Contract # FFFIR -062416) at a cost of \$35,000 with the funds coming from the current available funds in the District Capital Reserve Accounts subject to permissive referendum, and said Motion having been unanimously passed by the Board of Fire Commissioners in public session on July 13, 2023, and a resolution to that effect having been approved in public session by the Board ( Resolution #114-23) to be subject to permissive referendum and public notice of same to be published forthwith

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,

Sec 1. The Board of Fire Commissioners of the Holbrook Fire District by unanimous motion and resolution adopted as aforesaid ( Resolution #114-23) does hereby establish

Capital Reserve Project 23-CP-01 to be titled Station 1 Fence Replacement with materials and labor to be used from Suffolk County Bid List ( Contract # FFFIR -062416) at a cost of \$35,000 with the funds coming from the current available funds in the District Capital Reserve Accounts subject to permissive referendum for which this notice shall issue and be published.

Sec 2. That pursuant to New York State General Municipal Law Section 6-g(7) the aforesaid establishment of Capital Reserve Project(s), the encumbrance of funds in the Capital Reserve Fund for the established Capital Reserve Projects, and the further transfer and expenditure of encumbered funds for established Capital Reserve Projects are subject to permissive referendum.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS OF THE HOLBROOK FIRE DISTRICT  
Carolyn Rogers - District Secretary  
- July 13, 2023

SCN, 2998, 7/20 |

## LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDER No.

872. EXTENDING LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDER Nos. 750, 753,

756, 759, 762, 765, 768, 771, 774,

777, 781, 785, 789, 793, 797, 801,

805, 809, 813, 817, 822, 827, 832,

837, 842, 847, 852, 857, 862 and 867

UNDER § 24 OF ARTICLE 2-B OF

THE EXECUTIVE LAW

Local Emergency Order:

Extending the date for the submission of the County's Multi-Year Financial Plan

I, Steven Bellone, the Chief Executive of Suffolk County, in accordance with a Proclamation of a State of Emergency issued on September 11, 2022, and continued on October 11, 2022, November 10, 2022, December 10, 2022, January 9, 2023, February 8, 2023, March 10, 2023, April 9, 2023, May 9, 2023, June 8, 2023 and July 8, 2023 pursuant to Section 24 of the New York State Executive Law and my power thereunder to suspend any local laws, ordinances, or regulations, do hereby:

Order, that due to the continuing threat to the public health, safety and welfare of Suffolk County residents and visitors posed by the cyber-security event and the resultant unprecedented and evolving diversion of County resources to address emergency measures, the date for the submission and adoption of the County's Multi-year financial plan is suspended as follows: Section A4-1 (B) of the Suffolk County Administrative Code requiring submission of a four-year financial plan no later than 60 days after the adoption of the County expense budget shall be extended until 60 days following the cessation of the declared State of Emergency in Suffolk County; and

All associated actions required by section A4-1 of the Suffolk County Administrative Code shall be extended accordingly; and further

Order, that all Suffolk County Departments, Agencies, and Divisions or other duly authorized law enforcement agencies take whatever steps are necessary to assist in performing such emergency measures as deemed necessary; and further order that

This order shall cease to be in effect five (5) days after promulgation or upon declaration by the County Executive that the state of emergency no longer exists, whichever occurs sooner. The County Executive nevertheless, may extend such orders for additional periods not to exceed five (5) days each during the pendency of the local state of emergency. Failure to obey this order is a criminal offense, punishable by law under New York State Executive Law § 24 (5).

Date: July 14, 2023

Hauppauge, New York.

Steven Bellone

County Executive

SCN, 2999, 7/20 |

## LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDER No.

873. EXTENDING LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDER Nos. 682, 688, 694.



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701, 708, 715, 722, 729, 736, 739, 742, 745, 748, 751, 754, 757, 760, 763, 766, 769, 772, 775, 778, 782, 786, 790, 794, 798, 802, 806, 810, 814, 818, 823, 828, 833, 838, 843, 848, 853, 858, 863 and 868 UNDER § 24 OF ARTICLE 2-B OF THE EXECUTIVE LAW

**Local Emergency Order:**  
Ordering the temporary reassignment of certain information technology employees in the Suffolk County Clerk's Office

I, Steven Bellone, the Chief Executive of Suffolk County, in accordance with a Proclamation of a State of Emergency issued on September 11, 2022, and continued on October 11, 2022, November 10, 2022, December 10, 2022, January 9, 2023, February 8, 2023, March 10, 2023, April 9, 2023, May 9, 2023, June 8, 2023 and July 8, 2023 pursuant to Section 24 of the New York State Executive Law and the authority granted to County Executives under Section 25 of the New York State Executive Law to use any and all facilities, equipment, supplies, personnel and other resources of the County in such manner as may be necessary or appropriate to cope with the local emergency, do hereby:

Order, that the local emergency caused by the recent cyberattack can be addressed more efficiently and effectively through the temporary reassignment of all information technology employees in the Suffolk County Clerk's Office to the Department of Information Technology, so as to enable the County to have a cohesive and unified cybersecurity incident response under the leadership of one team. This team is led by the unified command of the Chief Deputy County Executive, the Department of Information Technology (DOIT) Commissioner, the Fire, Rescue and Emergency Services (FRES) Commissioner, and the Police Department Commissioner, who are directly coordinating with the County's incident response vendor Palo Alto Unit 42 and restoration and recovery vendor Fenix 24.

This order shall cease to be in effect five (5) days after promulgation or upon declaration by the County Executive that the state of emergency no longer exists, whichever occurs sooner. The County Executive, nevertheless, may extend such orders for additional periods not to exceed five (5) days each during the pendency of the local state of emergency. Failure to obey this order is a criminal offense, punishable by law under New York State Executive Law § 24(5).

Date: July 14, 2023  
Hauppauge, New York.  
Steven Bellone  
County Executive  
SCN, 3000, 7/20 I

LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDER No. 874, EXTENDING LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDER Nos. 647, 651, 655, 658, 662, 667, 672, 677, 683, 689, 695, 702, 709, 716, 723, 730, 737, 743, 746, 749, 752, 755, 758, 761, 764, 767, 770, 773, 776, 779, 783, 787, 791, 795, 799, 803, 807, 811, 815, 819, 824, 829, 834, 839, 844, 849, 854, 859, 864 and 869 UNDER § 24 OF ARTICLE 2-B OF THE EXECUTIVE LAW

**Local Emergency Order:**  
Ordering the suspension of local procurement laws, rules and regulations

I, Steven Bellone, the Chief Executive of Suffolk County, in accordance with a Proclamation of a State of Emergency issued on September 11, 2022, and continued on October 11, 2022, November 10, 2022, December 10, 2022, January 9, 2023, and February 8, 2023, March 10, 2023, April 9, 2023, May 9, 2023, June 8, 2023 and July 8, 2023 pursuant to Section 24 of the New York State Executive Law and my power thereunder to suspend any local laws, ordinances, or regulations, do hereby:

Order, that due to the continuing threat to the public health, safety and welfare of Suffolk County residents and visitors posed by the cyber-security event and the need to suspend certain technology in order to determine the extent of the cyber-security threat, and in accordance with §103 (4) of the NY General Municipal Law, Local Emergency Order Nos. 647, 651, 655, 658, 662, 667, 672, 677, 683, 689, 695, 702, 709, 716, 723, 730, 737, 743, 746, 749, 752, 755, 758, 761, 764, 767, 770, 773, 776, 779, 783, 787, 791, 795, 799, 803, 807, 811, 815, 819, 824, 829, 834, 839, 844, 849, 854, 859, 864 and 869 are extended and the following procurement-related laws, regulations and rules are suspended as I deem necessary to expedite procurement of anything related to resolving the cyber-security event and procurement that is otherwise dependent on County technology and cannot be postponed until the event is resolved:  
Suffolk County Code:

- Chapters 1065 and 189
- Article IV sections A 4-13 and 14
- Article V section A5-1
- Charter sections C5-2 (C) and (L)
- Section A5-8, Chap. 575, Chap. 803, Chap. 353 and Local Law 41-2013 to the extent that they require execution of documentation of compliance
- All related procurement laws, rules, and regulations required to comply with this Order; and further

Order that the County Executive or his designees shall continue to have the authority to enter into any contract deemed necessary to address the threat posed by the cyber-security event.

Order, that all Suffolk County Departments, Agencies, and Divisions or other duly authorized law enforcement agencies take whatever steps are necessary to assist in performing such emergency measures as deemed necessary.

This order shall cease to be in effect five (5) days after promulgation or upon declaration by the County Executive that the state of emergency no longer exists, whichever occurs sooner. The County Executive nevertheless, may extend such orders for additional periods not to exceed five (5) days each during the pendency of the local state of emergency. Failure to obey this order is a criminal offense, punishable by

law under New York State Executive Law § 24(5).

Date: July 14, 2023  
Hauppauge  
Steven Bellone  
County Executive  
SCN, 3001, 7/20 I

LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDER No. 875, EXTENDING LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDER No. 820, 825, 830, 835, 840, 845, 850, 855, 860, 865 and 870 UNDER § 24 OF ARTICLE 2-B OF THE EXECUTIVE LAW

**Local Emergency Order:**  
Extending the date for public hearing and adoption of the County's Proposed Capital Program

I, Steven Bellone, the Chief Executive of Suffolk County, in accordance with a Proclamation of a State of Emergency issued on September 11, 2022 and continued on October 11, 2022, November 10, 2022, December 10, 2022, January 9, 2023, February 8, 2023, March 10, 2023, April 9, 2023, May 9, 2023, June 8, 2023 and July 8, 2023 pursuant to Section 24 of the New York State Executive Law and my power thereunder to suspend any local laws, ordinances, or regulations, do hereby:

Order, as the proposed capital budget was filed on May 23, 2023, in accordance with Local Emergency Order No. 816 suspending Section C4-16 of the Suffolk County Charter requiring submission of a proposed capital program and related documents to the County Legislature on or before the 15th day of April until the 23rd day of May, 2023; and due to the continuing threat to the public health, safety and welfare of Suffolk County residents and visitors posed by the cyber-security event and the resultant unprecedented and evolving diversion of County resource to address emergency measures, and the inability to timely access certain data, the date(s) for public hearing and adoption of the County's Proposed Capital Program is suspended as follows:

Section C4-19 of the County Charter regarding adoption of the Capital Program not less than two weeks after the public hearing required by § C4-18 and not later than the 30th day of June is hereby suspended and such hearing shall take place no later than the 31st day of July 2023; and further

Order, that all Suffolk County Departments, Agencies, and Divisions or other duly authorized law enforcement agencies take whatever steps are necessary to assist in performing such emergency measures as deemed necessary; and further order that

This order shall cease to be in effect five (5) days after promulgation or upon declaration by the County Executive that the state of emergency no longer exists, whichever occurs sooner. The County Executive nevertheless, may extend such orders for additional periods not to exceed five (5) days each during the pendency of the local state of emergency. Failure to obey this order is a criminal offense, punishable by law under New York State Executive Law § 24 (5).  
Date: July 14, 2023

Hauppauge, New York.  
Steven Bellone  
County Executive  
SCN, 3002, 7/20 I

LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDER No. 876, EXTENDING LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDER Nos. 821, 826, 831, 836, 841, 846, 851, 856, 861, 866 and 871 UNDER § 24 OF ARTICLE 2-B OF THE EXECUTIVE LAW

**Local Emergency Order:**  
Allowing the County to quickly respond to the potential arrival of asylum seekers

I, Steven Bellone, Suffolk County Executive, in accordance with a Proclamation of a Local State of Emergency issued on May 26, 2023 and June 25, 2023 do hereby find and order as follows:

Whereas, on August 2, 2021 the Federal Government issued an Order pursuant to 42 U.S.C. secs. 362 and 365 (the "Title 42 Order") prohibiting migration into the United States by "covered noncitizens" traveling from Canada or Mexico; and Whereas, the Title 42 Order expired on May 11, 2023 and upon its expiration, an anticipated surge of migration into the United States commenced resulting with the imminent arrival of individuals into New York State at an increased rate; and Whereas, the State of New York has moved forward to tackle the housing crisis in a coordinated fashion by identifying suitable state and federal locations to provide temporary shelter; and

Whereas, the State of New York has communicated that financial resources shall be provided to cover expenses relating to services and costs associated with the relocation and housing of said asylum seekers; and Whereas, Suffolk County recognizes that the United States of America is a nation of immigrants and that our immigrant communities today contribute significantly to our vibrancy and prosperity.

Now, therefore, I, Steven Bellone, Suffolk County Executive by the power vested in me by the Suffolk County Charter and the Laws of the State of New York and pursuant to Section 24 of Article 2-B of the New York State Executive Law, do hereby temporarily suspend or modify any statute, local law, resolution, order, rule or regulation or parts thereof, if compliance with such statute, local law, resolution, order, rule or regulation would prevent, hinder or delay action necessary to assist, aid or cope with the aforementioned State of Emergency, and I hereby order the following:

A. The formation of an intergovernmental team (the "intergovernmental team") that includes the Chief Deputy County Executive, which shall coordinate with the State of New York in relation to activities pursued by the State of New York involving the subject migrant population. The intergovernmental team will also communicate and coordinate with local not-for-profit organizations regarding resources that are available to assist in meeting the challenges faced by those impacted by this ongoing situation.

B. All County Departments are authorized to continue to communicate and work with the State of New York in conjunction and coordination with the County's intergovernmental team regarding the temporary housing of individuals who are documented and legally released into the United States and are on the path to become eligible to enter the workforce; provided that:

- "Lead Agency" or "Agent" has been designated by the Governor of the State of New York; and
- The Lead Agency or Agent has expressed specific and quantifiable resources available to provide for the temporary housing of asylum seekers; and
- The State of New York authorizes and releases the necessary financial resources for all costs associated with relocation and temporary housing of asylum seekers; and

C. No hotel, motel, owner of a multiple dwelling, or shelter in Suffolk County is permitted to contract or otherwise engage in business with any other municipality (an "external municipality") without the

permission or coordination of the County of Suffolk and/or the State of New York for the purpose of providing housing or accommodations for asylum seekers. This prohibition extends to any person or entity participating in an external municipality's government program, or a contract or service funded by an external municipality or acting on behalf of any external municipality.

D. In order to effectuate Suffolk County's role in this emergency, all procurement policies for the purchase of equipment, supplies or contracts, relating to this emergency, are suspended, specifically: Suffolk County Code Chapters 1065 and 189; Article IV sections A 4-13 and 14; Article V section A5-1; Charter section C5-2 (C) and (L); and Section A5-8, Chap. 575, Chap. 803, Chap. 353 and Local Law 41-2013 to the extent that they require execution of documentation of compliance; and all related procurement laws, rules, and regulations required to comply with this Emergency Order.

E. Regardless of any other remedy or relief brought by the County for any violation, the County Executive is authorized to direct the County Attorney to commence actions or proceedings in the name of the County, in a court of competent jurisdiction, to abate any violation or, or to enforce any provision of this Emergency Order.

F. Remedies Not Exclusive.

a. No remedy or penalty specified in this Emergency Order shall be the exclusive remedy or remedy available to address any violation described in this Executive Order.

b. Each remedy or penalty specified in the Emergency Order shall be in addition to, and not in substitution for or limitation of, the other remedies or penalties specified in this Emergency Order or in any other applicable law.

c. Any remedy or penalty specified in this section may be pursued at any time, whether prior to, simultaneously with, or after the pursuit of any other remedy or penalty specified in the Emergency Order or in any other applicable law.

d. In particular, but not by way of limitation, each remedy and penalty specified in this section shall be in addition to, and not in substitution for or limitation of, the penalties specified in New York Executive Law Section 24, and any remedy or penalty specified in this section may be pursued at any time, whether prior to, simultaneously with, or after the pursuit of any penalty specified in New York Executive Law Section 24.

G. Effective Date  
This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

And I further order, that all Suffolk County Departments, Agencies, and Divisions or other duly authorized law enforcement agencies take whatever steps are necessary to assist in performing such emergency measures as deemed necessary; and further order that

This order shall cease to be in effect five (5) days after promulgation or upon declaration by the County Executive that the state of emergency no longer exists, whichever occurs sooner. The County Executive nevertheless, may extend such orders for additional periods not to exceed five (5) days each during the pendency of the local state of emergency. Failure to obey this order is a criminal offense, punishable by law under New York State Executive Law § 24(5).

Date: July 14, 2023  
Hauppauge, New York.  
Steven Bellone  
County Executive  
SCN, 3003, 7/20 I

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BY GARY HABER

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The series started in June with the 1975 Steven Spielberg-directed "Jaws." It continues on July 20 and July 24 with "Dirty Dancing," a love story set in the Catskills starring Jennifer Grey and Patrick Swayze.

Who could forget Swayze, as heart-throb dance instructor Johnny Castle, uttering the line, "Nobody puts Baby in a corner"? That classic bit of dialogue makes the American Film Institute's list of Top 100 Movie Lines.

The series wraps up on Aug. 3 and 7 with the quirky Coen brothers' "The Big Lebowski," from 1998. It stars Jeff Bridges as "The Dude," a totally chill Los Angeleno, and John Goodman as his bowling partner and sidekick with a hair-trigger temper, who get tangled up with a mysterious millionaire, also



Rick Eberle is operations manager for Plaza Cinema & Media Arts Center, which is showing the classic films "Dirty Dancing" and "The Big Lebowski."

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named Lebowski, who's trying to find his wife, who may or may not have been kidnapped. ■

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**Where:** Plaza Cinema & Media Arts Center, 20 Terry Street, Patchogue

**When:** "Dirty Dancing" screens on Thursday, July 20 at 7:30 p.m., Monday, July 24 at 7 p.m.

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