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Jim Nazzaro, owner of J. Nazzaro Partnership LP, is donating the over \$3 million project. He's standing with Canine Companions Northeast Region executive director Debra Dougherty at the construction site.

Canine Companions to gain a new wing and help more people

Bay Shore builder donates \$3.5M project

BY NICOLE FUENTES

Bay Shore construction company owner Jim Nazzaro is building and donating a new dorm wing at the Canine Companions headquarters in Medford. Construction on the \$3.5 million project has already begun.

Canine Companions is a national organization that enhances the lives of people with disabilities by providing highly trained service dogs at no charge to the recipient. The dogs are either golden retrievers or Labrador retrievers, or a mix of both. Volunteers raise the dogs in their homes for a year and a half, and then they come to the training center for six to nine months of training with a professional trainer.

The project, according to Canine

Companions Northeast Region executive director Debra Dougherty, will double the number of service dogs they are able to match with clients by providing additional dorm rooms for their stay during trainings.

The donor, Nazzaro, is the owner of the Construction and Real Estate Development company, J. Nazzaro Partnership LP. He and his wife were also a Canine Companions volunteer puppy raiser.

See **CANINE COMPANIONS** on page 4

It's razzle dazzle time with **'42nd** Street'

BY LINDA LEUZZI

You'll root for Peggy Sawyer, a talented newcomer who wants a Broadway break. When bad luck circumstances present themselves onstage, can she and the kids in the cast save the "Pretty Lady" show after the lead lady has an accident?

That's the basic premise of "42nd Street," which had its Broadway revival in 2001 and joyously ran to 2005.

It's also Gateway's new season, opening this Friday.

Several of its stars met with the Advance during a recent rehearsal lunch break out on the patio area to talk about this popular musical that keeps on giving with fabulous tap scenes, humor and

Ryan K. Bailer (national tour, "Evita," "Les Misérables;" regional, "The Sound of Music," "Evita," "42nd Street," plus several recent Gateway shows) plays the legendary, brusque Broadway director Julian Marsh. (He gets to belt out the rouser "42nd Street" song.)

"He needs one more hit," explained Bailer of his exacting character. "It's not from 'I haven't accumulated enough,' but from his passion. He's boisterous and

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Planting a tree for Arbor Day

Village of Patchogue again named a Tree City USA municipality

BY GARY HABER

The Village of Patchogue has again been named a Tree City USA municipality by the Arbor Day Foundation.

The Nebraska-based nonprofit runs the program with the USDA Forest Ser-

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vice and, in New York, with the New York State Department of Environmental Con-

servation's Urban and Community Forestry Program.

To mark the occasion, elected officials, members of the village's Conservation Tree Committee and officials from Patchogue-Medford Youth & Community Services gathered for a brief ceremony

on the grounds of Patchogue-Medford Youth & Community Services on Bay Avenue on the afternoon of Thursday, April 24.

They planted a tree in the yard of Patchogue-Medford Youth & Community Services, and village clerk Lori Devlin read a proclamation from Patchogue mayor Paul Pontieri designating April 24, 2025, as Arbor Day in the Village of Patchogue.

"I urge all citizens to celebrate Arbor Day and to support efforts to protect our trees and

woodlands," the proclamation read, in part. "And further, I urge all citizens to plant and care for trees to gladden the heart and promote the well-being of this and future generations.'

Devlin gave the framed proclamation to Patchogue-Medford Youth & Community Services executive director Samantha Wood.

"We understand the value and the

importance of the environment and we're committed to it," Wood said.

In order to qualify for the Tree City USA designation, municipalities have to do several things.

They must enact a community tree ordinance (Patchogue's ordinance was enacted in the 1960s), maintain a tree board or tree department (Patchogue's board is called the Conservation Tree Committee), celebrate Arbor Day, and spend at least \$2 per resident on tree-related expenses, including planting, pruning and maintaining trees.

With Patchogue's population of more than 12,000 residents, that works out to more than \$24,000, a number that Patchogue more than doubles, said Devlin, who launched the Conservation Tree Committee while she was a village trust-

For Arbor Day last year, the village planted serviceberry trees on the grounds of Patchogue-Medford Youth & Community Services. This year, it planted a tulip poplar tree, a hardwood that is native to the area. The tree is known for its tulip-shaped flowers.

"We try to only plant native plants," Devlin said.

Last year, the village received a \$75,000 state tree-planting grant from the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation.

We're a very green community," said village trustee Thomas Ferb, who attended Thursday's ceremony.

Ferb is also a member of the Patchogue Garden Club. The club will hold its annual garden tour on Saturday, July 5.

This year's tour will include four private gardens, the Patchogue Garden Club community garden at Terry Street and South Ocean Avenue and the community garden behind the Village Parks and Recreation building on Bay Avenue, the Patchogue Garden Club's Paula Murphy said. ■



(left-right) Brendan Clinch, member of the Conservation Tree Committee; Charlie Collins; Paula Murphy, chair of the Conservation Tree Committee; village trustee Kevin Weeks, liaison to the Conservation Tree Committee; village clerk and Conservation Tree Committee member Lori Devlin; and Conservation Tree Committee member Betsy Smith.



(left-right) Patchogue-Medford Youth & Community Services executive director Samantha Wood with village clerk Lori Devlin.



Charlie Collins plants the tree.



Village clerk Lori Devlin reads the proclamation by mayor Paul Pontieri declaring April 24 as Arbor Day in the Village of Patchogue.



County Legis, Dominick Thorne spoke at Thursday's Arbor Day celebration.

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Annual dog walk fundraiser is next month

The Patchogue Lioness Lions Foundation will be hosting their 21st annual Walk for a Guide Dog. The event will take place on Sunday, May 18, in honor of Manny Felouzis, from the Patchogue Medford Hall of Fame.

The two-mile walk will start at 9 a.m., rain or shine, through Patchogue Village,

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beginning and ending at the Patchogue Elk's Club, 14 Oak Street, where a continental

breakfast will be served.

All proceeds will be used to sponsor a puppy at the Guide Dog Foundation for the Blind in Smithtown. The mission is to raise the funds needed to sponsor the club's 42nd puppy.

This year's honoree is a well-known former special education teacher for Eastern Suffolk BOCES, Felouzis. He is the founder and current president of the Patchogue-Medford Hall of Fame. He has received many awards relating to his teaching career, including having been selected to "Who's Who Among Americas Teachers." For three years, he dedicated his work ethic to teaching, inspiring, and mentoring children with learning disabilities. When wearing his Hall of Fame hat, Felouzis works tirelessly each year to ensure the success of its induction ceremony and dinner.

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CANINE COMPANIONS: Grand opening expected by the holidays

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According to Nazzaro, his passion for the organization came from being a puppy raiser.

"It's the best thing that ever happened to us," he said of raising a Labrador retriever named Zach, who was later matched with a young man with disabilities in Maryland, of which he remains in contact with today. "Zach was amazing, and from the very beginning we understood the concept that you're saying goodbye to him someday. But we also knew he was going for a greater good."

However, the only reason he said he hasn't raised another dog is because of

We didn't think we could properly do the job of raising a future service dog. I said to myself, 'You know what? I could actually make a larger impact doing what I know best, and that being construction," he added.

Then, when he learned the organization's need for additional dorm rooms for clients at the Northeast Region Training Center in Medford, he immediately wanted to provide.

"I hesitated for maybe 30 seconds," he said. "We'll just build them! This is something I can do to make this dream come true and double the number of service dogs that can go to clients."

According to Nazzaro, who is on site nearly every day overseeing the project, he anticipates a grand opening by the holidays (November/December).

"This is probably the last construction project I'm going to do in my career," he added, proud to end with something so special. "I've been building for 42 years and now I'm ready to slow down a bit. I couldn't leave on a better note."

The project, which will double the



dorms from 11 to 22, essentially and eventually allowing the organization to double their output of helping people and bringing down their waitlist, broke ground in March. The location has about 80 to 100 people waiting for a service dog at any time.

Canine Companions currently accommodates about four classes per year, with some side placements, totaling about 60 graduates per year (about 70 pre-COVID). They estimate being able to place over 100 dogs with the additional dorm space.

Thanks to the project, Dougherty said they have also started increasing the breeding program out in California with plans to get more puppies in the next few vears.

"And it's all because of Jim," she said. "There was a lot of shock and then gratitude that he made such a generous opportunity for us to be able to serve more people."

Nazzaro will also be honored during the Canine Companions 50th anniversary gala on May 10. The gala will be held at noon at the Medford location. For tickets, visit canine.org/goldennortheast or call 631-561-0201.

Bay Shore construction company owner Jim Nazzaro, who is building and donating a new dorm wing at the Canine Companions headquarters in Medford, with the organization's Northeast Region executive director Debra Dougherty.

The project, which will double the dorm space, broke ground in March with an anticipated completion date for some time over the winter. ■



Bellport senior earns prestigious scholarship

Bellport High School senior Jannat Majid has earned the impressive Jack

Kent Cooke Founda-SOUTH tion scholarship. She is **COUNTRY** among 70 students from across the country to **SCHOOLS** receive this scholarship, which will provide her with up to \$55,000

a year toward college tuition. Majid, who will be attending Vassar College in the fall to study chemistry and political science, received the scholarship for demonstrating exceptional academic ability and leadership.

Majid serves as president of her school's National Honor Society and is a member of the English, Math and Science honor societies. She also participates in Key Club, student council and Athletes Helping Others. As an athlete, Majid runs cross-country and track.

"I am very excited and very grateful," she said of the award. ■



Bellport High School senior Jannat Majid earned the impressive Jack Kent Cooke Foundation scholarship. Photo courtesy of the South Country Central School District





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Pat-Med Board of **Education**

Two candidates to run for two seats

BY GARY HABER

Voters in the Patchogue-Medford School District won't face a tough choice when they go to the polls on May

PAT-MED SCHOOLS

20 to elect candidates to the Board of Education. Only two candidates are running for the two open seats on the board. The seats are for

three years, starting July 1. Incumbent Francis Salazar, an assistant middle school principal in the Copiague School District, is running for reelection to a second term on the board. Lauren Kuban, a Patchogue-Medford High School alumnus and a fifth-grade teacher in a neighboring district, who ran in 2024, is seeking her first term.

Current board member Thomas Donofrio is not running for reelection.

Among the top priorities for the board will be selecting an interim superintendent and finding a permanent superintendent to replace superintendent Donna Jones, who is retiring as of June 30.

The Long Island Advance asked the candidates to tell us why they're running and what their priorities are if elected.

Francis Salazar

Age: 45

Town of Residence: Patchogue Occupation: Middle School Assistant Principal, Copiague School District Family: Married for 16 years, two children, ages 13 and 11.



Why are you running for re-election to the Board of Education?

I am running for re-election for my second term. I am running because I have a vested interest in the community and the schools. I have two children in the school district and wish to see the children of the community as well as my own, get the best educational experience they can have that prepares them for the real world. I have been employed as an educator for the past 20 years and wish to lend my experience to the Board

What are your priorities if re-elected?

The most important issue that we are dealing with currently is the search for a new superintendent of schools. It is imperative that we as a board select the right person for our community as well as ensure a smooth transition for the school district. This will be completed with transparency and will involve a range of stakeholders to make certain the voices of the community are heard, and their needs are met.

I have been an advocate for children

and public education for the entirety of my professional career going on for 20 years. My experience in education as a special education teacher, coach, dean, chairperson, and assistant principal has afforded me an understanding of good educational practices.

Lauren Kuban

Age: 38

Town of Residence: Patchogue resident for more than 30 years. Attended Pat-Med schools. Graduated from Patchogue-Medford High School in 2004. Occupation: Fifth-grade public school teacher in a neighboring school district who has been teaching for 15 years.

Family: Married with two sons, both in elementary school in Pat-Med.



Why are you running for election to the Board of Education?

I am running for the school board because I take great pride in our community and believe in the importance of shaping a strong future for our children. As a parent and someone deeply invested in where we live, I want to ensure that every decision made by the board reflects what's truly best for not just my own children, but for all the children in our community. With a background in education, I also bring valuable experience and insight that I believe will be especially important as we begin the critical process of selecting a new school superintendent.

What are your priorities if elect-

If elected to the school board, my top priorities will be to be a well-informed and balanced voice for both parents and students. As a school board member, I will use my experience as a teacher to make informed decisions that prioritize what is best for students, while also ensuring responsible spending of our district's resources. Additionally, with the introduction of numerous new initiatives from New York State, it is more important than ever to have board members who not only understand the complexities of these changes, but also know what realistically works and what doesn't in a school setting.

As a proud Patchogue-Medford alumnus and now a parent, I am deeply invested in the future and success of our school district and I humbly ask for your vote on May 20.

Coming up

What: Patchogue-Medford School District budget vote and election for Board of Education

When: Tuesday, May 20 from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m.

The district will also hold a public hearing on the 2025-2026 budget on Wednesday, May 7 at Patchogue-Medford High School at 7 p.m. ■

William **Floyd** schools adopts proposed budget

Ballot proposition to create repair reserve

William Floyd Board of Education adopted its proposed budget for the 2025-26 school year, which includes a zero percent proposal or no tax increase during the April 22 meeting.

WILLIAM FLOYD SCHOOLS

The district has held or decreased taxes for four of the past five years, including reductions of 4.86 percent and 17.88 per-

cent in subsequent years, as well as a zero percent proposal twice, including this year.

Last year, there was an increase of less than one percent.

'We are pleased to be able to provide a zero percent increase for the 2025-26 school year in this year's budget proposal," said Kevin Coster, superintendent of schools, William Floyd School District. "The district continues to manage its finances responsibly to ensure topnotch opportunities for our students, while being fiscally responsible to our residents.'

Also on the ballot is a proposition to create a \$5 million repair reserve for future repairs, as well as the election of three trustees, seats currently held by April Coppola, Lorraine Mentz and Luis J. Soto. All three are running unopposed.

The annual budget hearing is scheduled for Tuesday, May 13 at 6:30 p.m. in the William Floyd High School library. The budget vote and trustee election are scheduled for Tuesday, May 20, from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. in the William Floyd High School east lobby.

-Compiled by Nicole Fuentes



Mike Cirigliano to enter Pat-Med High School Hall of Fame

BY GARY HABER

If you live in Patchogue, you know Mike Cirigliano.

From his work as board president at GiGi's Playhouse Long Island to his role as chair of the Greater Patchogue Cham-

ber of Commerce's PATCHOGUE Family Fun Event Committee, which

organizes events like Circus on Main and Midnight on Main/Winter Wonderland, Cirigliano is never too busy to lend a hand to a worthy nonprofit.

"He keeps finding ways to help," said Patchogue-Medford Public Library director Danielle Paisley, a member of the Family Fun Event Committee. "He leads with his heart.'

A 2000 graduate of Patchogue-Medford High School, Cirigliano is among those being inducted into the Patchogue-Medford High School Hall of Fame on Friday, May 2. He's part of a class that includes eight other individuals and the 1925 Patchogue High School basketball team.

With his many activities, Cirigliano, 42, checked all the boxes when it came to selecting members for the Hall for 2025.

"He met just about every criteria we have and scored just about as high as you can score," said Manny Felouzis, president and one of the founders of the Patchogue-Medford High School Hall of

When you say that a person represents their community, Mike is someone you'd point to as representing Patchoque-Medford," Felouzis said.

Cirigliano had his share of glory days on the playing fields and in the gym at

A three-sport athlete, he played centerfield on the baseball team, guard on the

basketball team and quarterback on the football team, including the 1997 team that went undefeated his sophomore year and won its second consecutive Long Island championship and the Rutgers Trophy as the top team in Suffolk County. The team was inducted into the Hall of Fame in 2017.

Cirigliano, who owns the Cirigliano Agency, an insurance and financial services agency in Patchogue, says he learned the value of hard work and teamwork from his Pat-Med football coaches, Bob Sconone and Billy Carpluk.

After high school, Cirigliano attended Dowling College on a baseball scholarship. He graduated in 2004 with a bachelor's degree in sport management and a minor in physical education. He later earned a Master of Business degree in corporate finance, in 2013.

He opened the Cirigliano Agency in 2014 after working as a business manager for MarineMax, which owns boat dealerships.

What motivates Cirigliano to volunteer so many hours to projects that benefit young people?

It goes back to Cirigliano's time growing up in Medford, where he said, "Outside of Little League, there wasn't much else going on."

Cirigliano's goal, he says, is to create more opportunities for people to interact and enjoy themselves.

"I love seeing people in our community having fun, being outside, making friends," he said. "It brings value to our community, being fit, having a healthy lifestyle," said Cirigliano, who works out at the YMCA five days a week.

How does Cirigliano manage all his volunteering, as well as running a business and being a husband and father of

three, including a newborn?

"Time management is the key." he

It also helps that Cirigliano is an early riser. He gets up at 5 a.m., even on week-

Meet Mike Cirigliano



Michael Cirigliano, Patchogue-Medford High School class of 2000, is being inducted in the high school's Hall of Fame on May 2.

Courtesy Photo

Age: 42

Residence: Patchogue

Occupation: Owner, Cirigliano Agency **Civic involvement**: Gigi's Playhouse Long Island, Greater Patchogue Chamber of Commerce and its Family Fun Event Committee, Patchogue Rotary Club, youth sports coach

Family: Cirigliano and his wife Holly have three children: Lucas, 7; Leah, 5; and Michael, born earlier this month.

If you go:

What: Patchogue-Medford Hall of Fame induction ceremony

Where: Patchogue Medford-High School

When: Friday, May 2 at 6:45 p.m. Tickets: \$20 available on Eventbrite or at the door. The dinner is sold out. Here are the people being inducted into the Hall:

James Cassel (PHS Class of 1955), All-American High School Football

Michael Cirigliano (PMHS Class of 2000), Community Business Owner and Philanthropist

Joseph DeStefano (PMHS Class of 1978), NY State Assemblyman and former First Responder

Cheryl Felice (PMHS Class of 1975), Community Volunteer, member South Country Board of Education

Robert Figueira (PHS Class of 1968), All- American Collegiate and High School Track Athlete

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Patchogue 1925 Boys Varsity Basketball Team ■

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A fun time at the **Bunny Run**

The Village of Patchogue Department of Parks & Recreation hosted their 25th annual Bunny Run for kids at Father

Tortora Park on Sat-**PATCHOGUE** urday, April 19. Participants ran around the park collecting Easter eggs. There was also raffle prizes and photos with the Easter Bunny. The Bunny Run was a hit, with over 100 children in attendance.





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Chambers celebrate the best of the best at annual reception

BY GARY HABER

Chambers of commerce from across the town of Brookhaven gathered together on Wednesday night, April 16, at The

BROOKHAVEN TOWN

Meadow Club, in Port Jefferson, to celebrate and to recognize members

who have done great things for their businesses, nonprofit organizations and their communities.

It was the Brookhaven Chambers of Commerce Coalition's 25th annual Outstanding Member of the Year Awards reception. It was like the Academy Awards ceremony for Brookhaven's small-business community, and the response from those in attendance was just as enthusiastic as they cheered wildly as the name of each award recipient was read and each came forward to collect their trophy and make a brief speech.

The evening was "a validation of small businesses and the chambers they belong to," Barbara Ransome, president of the Brookhaven Chambers of Commerce Coalition, told the audience.

The organization was established in

Each chamber of commerce selected a recipient for its member of the year award, and Marisa Pizza, of the Farmingville Hills Chamber of Commerce, was selected as the 2025 Chamber Member of the Year.

In addition, the Brookhaven Chambers

of Commerce Coalition also handed out \$3,700 in grants.

Chambers from the Long Island Advance's coverage area were well represented at the event.Merri Italiano, owner of Avino's Italian Table in Bellport, was named the Bellport Chamber of Commerce's Chamber Member of the Year. Michele LaMartina, manager of Harbor Crab in Patchogue, was named the Greater Patchogue Chamber of Commerce's Chamber Member of the Year. Medford-based Gershow Recycling was named the Medford Chamber of Commerce's Member of the Year.

For Italiano, it was the second time a family member won the award. Her father, James Avino, won the same award about seven years ago.

Italiano said she joined the Bellport chamber 18 years ago.

In that time, Italiano said she's found in the chamber a community of other area small-business owners who support each other, are there to help with advice, "or just to chat, just to bounce things

She is a director of the chamber and its meeting and event coordinator.

The Bellport chamber has more than 100 members. Its biggest annual event is Bellport Day.

LaMartina, the manager of Harbor Crab in Patchogue, is networking committee bookkeeper for the Greater Patchogue Chamber of Commerce's Restaurant Committee.

Harbor Crab hosts numerous charita-

ble events throughout the year, including a Kris Kringle fundraiser, which raises money for local families in need, and a St. Baldrick's fundraiser, which in March, raised more than \$20,000 for children's cancer research.

Gershow Recycling, which received the Medford Chamber of Commerce's Chamber Member of the Year award, has been a benefactor of the Medford community, including making a \$1,000 donation to the Patchogue-Medford High School cheerleading team and sponsoring the Medford Chamber of Commerce's Concert for Veterans at Medford Memorial Park.

Other award winners from area chambers were Kim Swicicki of the Mastic/ Shirley Chamber of Commerce and Amy Mahnken of the Moriches Chamber of Commerce.

Swicicki is board president of Caitlyn's Vision, a nonprofit. Mahnken is community liaison for Oasis Rehabilitation and Nursing in Center Moriches.

Here is the complete list of award winners and grant recipients:

- Merri Italiano, Bellport Chamber of Commerce
- Marisa Pizza, Farmingville Hills Chamber of Commerce
- Christopher and Brigitte James, Gordon Heights Chamber of Commerce
- Karen Roth, Greater Middle Country Chamber of Commerce
- Michele LaMartina, Greater Patchogue Chamber of Commerce

- · Rachel Fenadaz and Risa Kluger, Greater Port Jefferson Chamber of Commerce
- Kim Swicicki, Mastic/Shirley Chamber of Commerce
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- Susanne Kaiserman, Three Village Chamber of Commerce
- Christie Alotta, Wading River Chamber of Commerce
- 2025 Chamber Member of the Year: Marisa Pizza, Farmingville Hills Chamber of Commerce

Grant recipients

- Brookhaven Incentive Grant (\$500) to PJ Bowl, Port Jefferson Station/Terryville Chamber of Commerce
- Brookhaven Incentive Grant (\$1,000) to Nantucket's Restaurant, Port Jefferson Chamber of Commerce
- Small Business Improvement Award (\$1,200) to Sundaes, Port Jefferson Station/Terryville Chamber of Commerce
- **Economic Stimulus Incentive Grant** (\$1,000) to Middle Country Chamber of Commerce
- 2025 Chamber Member of the Year: Marisa Pizza, Farmingville Hills Chamber of Commerce ■



Merri Italiano (third from left) was the Bellport Chamber of Commerce's Chamber Member of the Year. She is pictured with (left-right) Brookhaven Chambers of Commerce Coalition president Barbara Ransome; Bellport Chamber of Commerce co-president and Long Island Advance publisher Terry Tuthill; James Avino, a former Bellport Chamber of Commerce Chamber Member of the Year; and Brookhaven Town councilman Jonathan Kornreich.



Michele LaMartina (right) was the Greater Patchogue Chamber of Commerce Chamber Member of the Year. She is pictured with Brookhaven Town councilman Jonathan Kornreich and chamber executive director Silvana Aloiso.



Alex Gershowitz of Gershow Recycling (center) accepts the award on behalf of Gershow Recycling, which was the Medford Chamber of Commerce's Chamber Member of the Year.

Temple Beth El holds Holocaust **Remembrance Day** observance

BY GARY HABER

Midway through her talk at Temple Beth El of Patchogue on Sunday, Mireille Taub paused and held up a tattered child's shoe.

Taub was the featured speaker at the synagogue's third annual Holocaust Remembrance Day observance.

The shoe, she explained, was part of the pair she wore as a child, who wasn't yet 2 years old, during her family's har-

rowing trek across PATCHOGUE France, Spain and Portugal, in 1940, as they fled their home in Paris, one step ahead

of the Nazis. The family's journey started with a train ride from Paris to Bordeaux, which Taub said she learned was the last train the Nazis allowed to leave the city. It ended three months later when Taub, her

parents, and sister arrived in New York Harbor on a Greek freighter. The family settled in Brooklyn. Taub

would go on to attend Brooklyn College, marry her husband David in 1959, and move to Long Island in 1968, where the couple raised three children and Taub worked as a literary specialist for the Freeport School District and Nassau Community College.

Taub also shared with the audience the story of David's escape from Paris, which included being sent by his mother to a small French village, where, to survive, he had to hide his Jewish identity, which included serving as an altar boy.

"It's a happy story," Taub said. "Thank God we're alive to talk about it."

Taub, now 86 and a grandmother, is part of a dwindling generation of people with firsthand knowledge of the ravages of the Holocaust, which resulted in the murder of six million Jews and millions of non-Jews at the hands of the Nazis.



Mireille Taub holds up the shoe she wore as a child during her family's escape from France in 1940.



Patchogue mayor Paul Pontieri lights a memorial candle as Rabbi Ilan Pardo looks on.

Eighty years after the end of World War II, fewer than 210,000 Holocaust survivors are alive worldwide, of whom just 34,500 live in the U.S., according to The Conference on Jewish Material Claims Against Germany, which administers payments from the German government to Holocaust survivors. The median age of those who are left is 87.

Temple Beth El's Rabbi Ilan Pardo emphasized the importance of hearing from Holocaust survivors, of hearing "stories from the people who lived it," he said.

"It seems like the story's disappearing," said Pardo, who brought the idea of an annual Holocaust observance to Temple Beth El, which was something he'd done at his previous pulpit in Pennsylvania. "It's important to not forget and to never let it happen again.'

"It's always challenging times, if you're Jewish, but these are especially challenging times," he said.

Linda Tabatchnik, a synagogue member who helped organize Sunday's observance, said it is especially important for young people to be taught about the Holocaust.

"Hopefully, the younger generation will stand up to injustice," she said.

Several students from St. Joseph's University in Patchogue were among those in the audience for Taub's talk.

Liam Schibi, 24, a sophomore nursing student from Sound Beach, said Taub's words left an impression on him.

As part of an eighth-grade class trip to Washington, D.C., Schibi had visited the United States Holocaust Memorial

But to hear from someone who lived that history was more meaningful.

We learned the big picture, but we didn't necessarily learn the stories," he said. "It was very eye-opening to hear her story." ■



Mireille Taub with a photo of her parents from 1931.



(left-right) Deacon Marty McIndoe of St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church, Rabbi llan Pardo and Fr. Elliott Conrad of Christ Church Bellport offer a priestly blessing. Adv/Haber

Local -

Real Estate

RECENT HOME SALES



880 South Country Road **East Patchogue**

\$760,000

- 4 beds
- 3 baths
- **Built** 1946
- **1,800** sq ft
- .40 acres
- **Taxes** \$9,885

SOLD April 24, 2025 - Listed by Eileen A Green Realty Corp Bellport 631-286-3366



90 E Masem Square

East Patchogue \$522,485

- 4 beds
- 2 baths
- **Built** 1957
- N/A sq ft
- **.43** acres
- **Taxes** \$9,688

SOLD April 22, 2025 - Listed by Douglas Elliman Real Estate 631-758-2552



183 Weeks Avenue

Manorville \$899,000

- 4 beds
- 3 bath
- **Built** 2024
- **2,600** sq ft
- **2.50** acres
- **Taxes** Not Available

SOLD April 17, 2025 - Listed by Century 21 Cor Ace Realty Inc 631-878-3400



32 Florida Avenue

Medford \$780,000

- 4 beds
- 3 baths
- **Built** 2024
- **2,174** sq ft
- **10,000** sqft lo
- **Taxes** Not Available

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11 Sherri Court

Speonk \$1,075,000

- 5 beds
- **3.5** baths
- **Built 2006**
- **4,164** sq ft
- **.44** acres
- **Taxes** \$13.262

Listed by Brookhampton Realty 631-878-0500

Four unusual Patchogue residents make it in the modelling biz

Four unusual Patchogue residents show that anything is "pawsible" with the right "catititude." Queenie and Wally, two

cats who live with Rita **PATCHOGUE** Caprino, and Chase and Mikie, a pair bonded of

felines who live with Michaelyn and Martin Read, have arrived in the glamorous world of modeling by getting their own cards in the Cats Myth and Magick Oracle card deck from U.S. Games Systems.

Queenie was adopted from a local Petco. Her card illustration is reminiscent of the fairy tale "The Princess and the —a beautiful cat lolling on a pile of elegant cushions. Her inviting image encourages the viewer to find happiness and contentment. Wally, a flaming ginger cat, was rescued and nursed back to health by Caprino after being hit by a car in her neighborhood. His card invites the viewer to be creatively inspired.

Mikie and Chase were adopted into the Read family household from the Westhampton Bideawee, where Michaelyn Read is a volunteer. Always together, the picture on the card perfectly illustrates their close relationship as they try to climb on top of each other in a fishbowl.

What's next for Queenie, Wally, Mikie and Chase—perhaps a stroll down a high-fashion catwalk? No word on that yet, but an art exhibition is in the works with the Comsewogue Library in Port Jefferson Station, which will feature the foursome along with more than a dozen of the beautiful Cat Mythos and Magick card deck illustrations on larger-than-life canvases. Details to be announced.

Cat Myth and Magick can be purchased at Barnes and Noble, Amazon and on the U.S. Games Systems website: https:// www.usgamesinc.com/cat-mythos-andmagick-oracle.

Cats Mythos and Magick is published by U.S. Games Systems Inc. (USGS) who is a publisher of playing cards, tarot cards, and games located in Stamford, Connecticut.[Founded in 1968 by Stuart R. Kaplan, it has published hundreds of different card sets, and about 20 new titles are released annually. The company's product line includes children's card games, museum products, educational cards, motivational cards, tarot cards, and fortune telling decks.

Link for Magick and Mythos Deck: https://www.usgamesinc.com/catmythos-and-magick-oracle ■



Michaelyn and Martin Read with Mikie and Chase.



Mikie and Chase's artwork for card in Cat & Mythos Oracle deck



Wally the wonder cat's art for Cat Mythos and Magick deck

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BUDGET VOTE AND ELECTION OF THE SOUTH COUNTRY CEN-TRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TOWN OF BROOKHAVEN, SUF-FOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing of the qualified voters of the South Country Central School District, Town of Brookhaven, Suffolk County, New York, will be held at the South Country Central School District Administration Building, 189 North Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, New York, in said District on Wednesday, May 7, 2025, at 6:15 p.m., prevailing time, for the transaction of such business as is authorized by the New York State Education Law, including the following items.

- Presentation of the budget document.
- To discuss all of the items herein set forth, to be voted upon by voting machine, at Tuesday, May 20, 2025, as hereinafter set forth.
- To transact such business as may properly come before the meeting.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that said vote and election will be held on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, at Bellport Middle School, 35 Kreamer Street, Bellport, New York, at which time the polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., prevailing time. to vote by voting machines upon the following items:

 To adopt the annual budget of the School District for the fiscal year 2025-2026 and to authorize the requisite portion thereof to be raised by taxation on the taxable property of the School District.

To elect three (3) members of the Board of Education, each for a three-year term commencing July 1, 2025, and expiring on June 30,

PROPOSITION: Expenditure of no more than two million three hundred fifteen thousand dollars (\$2,315,000) from the Capital Reserve Fund established on May 16, 2023, to finance projects for: (1) the replacement of the running track surface, resurfacing of field event areas, drainage upgrades, and installation of new visitor bleachers at Bellport High School; (2) the removal and School; (2) the removal and replacement of gymnasium windows at Bellport High School; (3) the replacement of two boilers at Bellport High School; including such preliminary, ancillary, and incidental costs in incidental costs ir connection therewith.

Shall the Board of Education of the South Country Central School District be authorized to expend two million three hundred fifteen thousand dollars (\$2,315,000) from the Capital Reserve Fund established on May 16, 2023 ("Reserve Fund"), pursuant to Education Law §3651, for a capital improvement project consisting of: (1) the replacement of the running track surface, resurfacing of field event areas, drainage upgrades,

and installation of new visitor bleachers at Bellport High School (One million three hundred forty thousand dollars (\$1,340,000)); (2) the removal and replacement removal and replacement of gymnasium windows at Bellport High School (One hundred seventy-five thousand dollars (\$175,000)); (3) the replacement of two boilers at Bellport High School (Eight hundred thousand dollars (\$800,000)); and to make expenditures and to make expenditures from Reserve Fund for the cost of other work required in connection therewith, including preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto in an amount not to exceed the estimated total cost of two million three hundred fifteen thousand dollars (\$2,315,000), provided that the Board of Education may allocate funds amongst various components within the overall total expenditure

at its discretion? AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that petitions nominating candidates for the office of Member of the Board of Education of the South Country Central School District shall be filed with the District Clerk of said School District at the District Clerk's office, 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, New York, not later than April 21, 2025, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., prevailing time. All nominating petitions must be signed by at least 25 (representing the greater of 25 or 2% of the number of voters who voted in the previous annual

election); must state the name and residence of each signer, and must state the name and residence of the candidate. Vacancies on the Board of Education shall not be considered separate, specific offices; candidates run at large.
AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN that personal registration of voters is required either pursuant to New York Education Law §2014 or pursuant to Article 5 of the New York State Election Law. If a voter has heretofore registered pursuant to New York Education Law §2014 and has voted at any annual or spe-cial district meeting within the past four (4) calendar years, such voter is eligible to vote at this election; if a voter is registered and eligible to vote pursuant to Article 5 of the New York State Election Law, such voter is also eligible to vote at this election. All other persons who wish to vote must register. Voters may register on any school day prior to May 14, 2025, at the Office of the District Clerk located at District Office, 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, New York, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., prevailing time, to add any additional names to the registers to be used at the aforesaid election, at which time any person will be entitled to have her or his name placed on such registers provided that at the meeting of the Board of Registration he or she is known, or proven to the satisfaction of the Board of Registration to be then or thereafter entitled to vote at such public hearing or election for which such registers are prepared,

Native tree gets planted on Arbor Day

BY LINDA LEUZZI

Bellport mayor Maureen Veitch, trustee Lorraine Kuehn and Bellport Garden

BELLPORT VILLAGE

Club member Evonne Hammond hoisted shovels, digging a village hall home for the new white

oak on Arbor Day, while a crowd of enthusiasts cheered.

Wahoo!

Bellport was named Tree City USA in 2023. There are currently 3,587 recognized cities nationwide providing tree cover: status requires meeting four core standards of sound forestry management and the celebration of Arbor Day.

Founder and partner Brian Sawyer, of Sawyer/Berson architects, provided new landscaping as well as the white oak tree along with the Environmental Committee gratis, said BGC president Mary Butler.

There will now be four on the grounds. "He volunteered to redesign the Bellport Village property after it got ripped up during renovations," said Butler.

It was an exciting push, especially for the garden club, said BGC and Beautification Committee member Sherry Bin-

(These ladies are very modest in taking credit.)

"Christine Novelli was instrumental, making sure our Tree City USA status remains current," Binnington said. "You have to apply every year. We were a Tree City years ago, but the title went by the wayside. Then Ray Fell picked it up again and John Kocay worked on it. Christine got it going again."

So how many trees have been planted?



(Left to right) Dan Person, Mary Butler Person, Mary Pontieri, Sherry Binnington, Greg Cyndrowski, Kathie Dallin, Marc Rauch, Evonne Hammond, Lorraine Kuehn, Missy Givey, Maureen Veitch. Photo by Christine Novelli

We started plantings in 1938," Binnington said. "I'm sure we planted over 1,000 trees.

She added that the garden club has spent, overall, over \$110,000 for the trees.

Bellport Garden Club tree stalwart Evonne Hammond agreed. "We usually plant 15 to 30 trees every year," she said. "Years ago, they cost \$20 each; now it's closer to \$300. The amount we plant depends on how much we raise at fundraisers.

Besides native trees like sycamores, native oaks, maples and zelkovas, Hammond said that wire-friendly trees are among the mix. "It's so they don't get butchered (with LIPA's tree trimming). There's a whole list LIPA puts out," she said. Some are flowering trees, like cherry and plum trees.

Donations determine the number planted.

"People make donations for memorial trees or for weddings," Hammond said of those who want to remember a person or special event.

Money raised also funds treatment of diseased trees, like the ash trees in the village. "We had to take out 22 trees that were affected, but the last two years we're treating the remaining with injections; it costs \$5,000." Thankfully, she added, O'Kula Tree Care, in Center Moriches, arborists who offer organic spraying services, haven't raised their prices. "We're trying to save as many as we can because it takes a long time to grow a tree.'

You can support the Bellport Garden Club on Memorial Day through their plant sale in front of the old CVS, or send a check to the Bellport Garden Club, Box 203, Bellport. ■

'42ND STREET': Classic broadway show opens this Friday

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bigger than life, but he really cares about the kids in the cast and the process.'

Elizabeth McGuire (regional, "42nd Street," "Irving Berlin's White Christmas," "Legally Blonde") plays the hard-working, earnest, starry-eyed Peggy Sawyer.

"She has many dances and songs," McGuire explained. "There's good material in the scene work and she has her own arc. It's fun to play with her strength that deepens through the story, and she's full of love for the art form."

No romance between Julian and Peggy in this adaptation, but he does admire

"I think he sees an innocence in Peggy," Bailer explained. "Peggy has a genuinely pure spirit, not for her own glory but because she loves it. He sees something in her that reminds him of how he started.

The fun, temperamental lead of "Pretty Lady," Dorothy Brock, is performed by Kristen Beth Williams (Broadway, "Hello, Dolly!," "Pippin," "Nice Work If You Can Get It"; national tour, "A Gentleman's Guide," "101 Dalmatians the Musi-

"I wouldn't say she's spoiled," said Williams of her diva character. "She's a star and asserts her power. I see her as a Bette Midler type.'

Her demands aren't over the top or unreasonable, Williams stressed. "She's looking for a driver and a new dressing room," she said—just perks of stardom. "The story also shows a lot more relationship with (boyfriend) Pat Denning (played by Jesse Swimm), giving it more weight."

There's also a vulnerability she even-



The Gateway's "42nd Street" production starts Friday. In the photo (left to right) associate choreographer Mary Giattino, director Randy Skinner, leads Elizabeth McGuire, Ryan K. Bailer and Kristen Beth Williams. Photo by Jeff Bellante

tually displays. "Dorothy says, 'It's taken a broken ankle to make me realize I wanted this relationship in life."

Award-winning director and choreographer Randy Skinner is back at Gateway, dusting this show with his magical touches. He was tasked with carrying on the 2001 Broadway revival, after director and choreographer Gower Champion died just before its opening night, and has become a legend in the industry with many Broadway, Off Broadway, regional and Los Angeles productions.

Skinner was asked if he changes the

dance scenes with each show.

"There's always little tweaks and improvements," Skinner answered. "I put in a new little step just yesterday.'

Skinner promises a lot of surprises in this production.

Associate choreographer and former Rockette Mary Giattino, who has performed on Broadway and Broadway national tours, is working again with Skinner.

Giattino promised a surprise blowout number at the finale. No spoiler alert.

But she did discuss her favorite dance

number in the show?

"I think it's the Act II '42nd Street Ballet," she said of the major production number with precision tap dancing.

"Randy has choreographed the most amazing steps," Giattino said. "You don't always see tap performed in a storytelling way with Peggy, Billy (Griffin Wilkins) and the others in it. It's about six minutes long."

Executive artistic director Paul Allan added this scene teaser. "There's so much happening, you don't want it to end." ■

From Our Archives

75 Years Ago

MAY 1950

Lotito Brothers Inc. is the name of a new Patchogue contracting firm, which is composed of three well-known local brothers, Frank, Salvatore and James Lotito. While their father was living, all three brothers were associated in the contracting firm of L. Lotito & Sons. The new firm will operate out of Danes Street and will be equipped to handle all jobs, small or large, in the contracting line.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Garafola of First Street, Patchogue, have moved into their new home on Central Avenue.

 $\operatorname{Mrs.}$ Ray King and $\operatorname{Mrs.}$ John Gannon recently made a trip to New York City, where they attended performances of "Mr. Roberts" and "Texas Lil' Darlin." They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith and daughter, Josephine, of Patchogue.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Palmer Jr. of Waverly Avenue are the parents of a son born last Thursday in Southside Hospital, Bay Shore. Mrs. Palmer is the former Miss Elsie Benincasa of Waverly Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blum of Roe Boulevard, Patchogue, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Bernice, to Abe Siegel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Siegel of West Main Street, Patchogue. Miss Blum was graduated from Patchogue High School and attended Highland Junior College, New Jersey. Mr. Siegel was graduated from Patchogue High School and attended New York University. The wedding is

planned for September. Mr. and Mrs. **William Berger** of Cedar Avenue have returned after spending the weekend touring Washington, D.C.

Alex Pfeifle of Maple Avenue flew to Chicago Monday to attend a business conference there.

Mr. and Mrs. **Matthew Aviano** of Roe Boulevard celebrated their 12th wedding anniversary Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomas have returned to their home on Amity Street after spending the winter in Mt. Dora,

Girl Scout Troop 18 of St. Francis de Sales R.C. Church attended the jamboree at Camp Edey, Bayport, recently. Girl Scouts attending were Marsha and Barbara Yax, Rae Stephani, Joyce LaFave, Patsy Skidmore, Rosemary Pipe, Alicia Wagner, Agnes Sicilia, Jo-Ann Benincasa, Joan and Theresa Stephano, Anna Barthelmess, Loretta Zieman, Marjorie Lotito, Carol Fogarty, Anna May Falzone, Marie Mason, Carole Lotito, Joan O'Connell, Carol Vanacoce, Frances DeVito, Dorothy Nolan, Patricia Martin, Yvonne Aviano, Patricia Humbert and **Shirley Gamaldi.**

Jack Finger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Finger of Lakewood Street, flew to Connally AFB, Waco, Texas, after spending a furlough with his parents. He recently returned from Puerto Rico to attend cadet school at Waco.

John Magadini traveled to the Brooklyn Ice Palace last Thursday to play hockey with a group of men selected from all the teams in the league in which he played. They opposed the Jamaica Wings.

A son, Wayne Peter, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Atkins Jr. of Mount Vernon Avenue, North Patchogue, yesterday in



From the April 27, 1950 edition: HOWDY DOODY BOY—Billy Oltmann, aged 5, of Patchogue Shores, East Patchogue, has been selected from 15,000 contestants as the boy who most resembles the popular puppet of television fame. Billy was showered with 250 gifts during the Howdy Doody program yesterday and is scheduled to appear on the video screen tonight and

Southside Hospital. Mrs. Atkins is the former Miss Arlene Kottman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Sobel have returned to their home on West Main Street after spending the winter in Hollywood, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. Hall of Cedar Avenue spent the weekend visiting relatives in Mt. Kisco.

Sanford Wagner of Maple Street, Bellport, has been awarded a scholarship in chemistry at Hofstra College. Mr. Wagner, who was 16 in April, was the third-ranking pupil of the senior class in Bellport High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hawkins of Brookline, Mass., are spending a few days at their home on Academy Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger U. Hamlyn Jr., Ralph **Brown** and Miss **Helen Divver** drove to New York on Sunday to attend the circus in Madison Square Garden.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Meo of Cottage Place visited relatives in Brooklyn Sunday.

Mrs. **Bruce Lachlan** of Pearl Street has returned from several weeks' stay in Malone.

Gene DeVisscher celebrated his 7th birthday with a movie party for several of his little friends last Saturday afternoon. His guests were Alfred Devereaux. Pamela **Edwards, Paul Hassell, Ruth Fasce, Donald** Batorsky, George Houston and John DeVisscher.

Sgt. And Mrs. William Valentine and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kerr visited relatives in Bellerose Sunday.

D.W. Paige has returned to Bellport from a trip to Boca Grande, Fla.

Miss Sally Austin of Bay Harbor attended a performance of the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo at the Metropolitan Opera House in New York City last Sunday in celebration of her birthday.

Mayor Carl Hoffmann is on a short vacation trip to his lodge in upstate New

Melvin Smith is on vacation from his duties in Trotta's store.

Jeanne Thorndike, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Thorndike of South Country Road, underwent a tonsillectomy at Southside Hospital last Wednesday.

Miss Jane Austin of Albany spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chace of South Country Road.

Postmaster Harold L. Wright reports that about 50 percent of the houses in Bellport have been numbered to date. He urges all those who have not yet done so to number their houses as soon as possible so that mail delivery service in Bellport can begin.

50 Years Ago

MAY 1975

A parade, derby and floats highlighted the Boy Scout Expo held Saturday at the Saxton Street School in Patchogue. Festivities kicked off with a parade through Patchogue, down Route 112 to the Saxton Street School grounds. Area troops designed floats around the theme, 'Scouting's Alive in '75.'

Airman Bonnie E. Sacher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Sacher of Yaphank Road, East Patchogue, has been selected for technical training in the U.S. Air Force communications field at Sheppard AFB, Texas. The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB. Texas. A 1973 graduate of Patchogue-Medford High School, she attended Grace Downs College in Glen Cove.

Mrs. Mary Sandilands of Patchogue attended the christening of her first great-grandchild, Carla Marie Trapeni. in Rutland, Vt., on April 27. Mrs. Trapeni is the former Carolann Overton of Patchogue.

Paul W. Casper of Swan View Court, Patchogue, an adjunct associate professor in history at Dowling College, has been selected as an Outstanding Educator of America for 1975.

Shuttling up for a big year is the Patchogue-Medford Girls Varsity Badminton squad, including Barbara Archibold, Diane Oliveri, Katy Drake, Sue Benincasa, Peggy Nemschick, Debbie McEvoy, Ester Torado, Shari Simpson, Debbie Nelson, Sue Stern, Sue Clasen, Linda Poore, Jenny Rudtke, Maryanne Perry, Kathy Feindt, Cathy Jackson, Peggy Densing, Pat Fenz and Karen Rode. Coach is Mrs. Mary P. Ryan, with Carol DeBono and Nancy Nemschick as managers.

Mrs. Ann Green Burnell of Endicott, N.Y., announces the engagement of her daughter, Susan Green, to Thomas Morellino, son of Salvatore and Shirlee Morellino of Patchogue. Miss Green is a graduate of SUNY Albany and is presently teaching at Souquoit Valley High School, Souquoit Valley. Mr. Morellino is a graduate student at SUNY Albany and is employed by Cytology Screening, Albany. Their wedding date has been set for Aug.

Julie and Greg Schletter, 1969 graduates of Bellport High School, became proud parents this week, when Christopher Jason Schletter was born in Largo, Fla., where the couple now lives. Mrs. Schletter is the former Julie Higinbotham of Bellport.

Returning home on Sunday after spending five days visiting relatives in Savannah, Ga., were Mrs. John Herrera and Mrs. Eva Williams, both of Baycrest Lane, Bellport.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crocco of Colonial Lane are proud to announce the arrival of their second son, Richard Michael, on April 20 at Brookhaven Memorial Hospital.

Two Bellport students, Scott Stoner and Debbie Springhorn, went to Albany recently to participate in an Environmental Teach-In, an assembly of 200 high school students from New York State. They were divided into committees focusing on environmental problems and tasked to discuss and come up with solutions to the problems.

Eddie Warner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Warner of Second Street, received his First Holy Communion on Saturday at Mary Immaculate R.C. Church, Bellport.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sampson of Bayview Street recently returned from a three-week vacation to England, Rome and Switzerland.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore T. Everitt of South Howells Point Road spent two weeks vacationing in Tennessee and Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Glasoe of Sun City, Ariz., spent one week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Williams of South Country

A movie projector, silver tea set, two antique firearms and other assorted items totaling more than \$800 were taken from the Brookhaven Memorial Library over the weekend, when the library was closed. Also taken was a vacuum cleaner, a silver ladle and \$20 in petty cash.

Playing this week at the **Patchogue Theatre**: "Earthquake"; at the **Plaza** Theatre: "Hearts and Minds," and at the Sun/Wave Twin Cinema: "The Happy Hooker."

-Compiled by Debbie Zampariello

Volunteers helped clean up Swan River and Mud Creek on April 27. Legis. Thorne and his family; deputy supervisor Neil Foley; Girl Scout Troop 2694; Boy Scout Troop 47 with neighboring Scout troops; James Bertsch, Defender coordinating for Save the Great South Bay; Jeff Berthold and Joe Werkmeister, East Patchogue Creek Defenders; Jennifer George, Patchogue Creek Defender; and Albert Poulos, Bellport Creek Defender, were some of the many volunteers in attendance.



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RONALD JOHN ENGASSER



Ronald John Engasser, known for his humor, friendliness, and wit, passed away peacefully on April 18, 2025, in Dunedin, Florida, at the age of 83. Born on November 15, 1941, in Brooklyn, New York, Ronald was the beloved son of the late Robert John Engasser and Lucy Engasser (nee Cristiana).

Ronald lived a life marked by dedication and service. A proud United States Army veteran, he carried the principles of honor and commitment through every facet of his life. After his military service, Ronald embarked on a fulfilling career as an **Electronics Test Engineer for Parker** Aerospace. His meticulous work and innovation contributed to the advancement of aerospace technology and safety.

Apart from his professional endeavors, Ronald was deeply involved in community service. He served as a former Trustee of the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW Post #2937) in Medford, New York, where he worked tirelessly to support fellow veterans and their families. His passion for community did not end there; Ronald also shared his love for the great outdoors as the Newsletter Editor for the ADK Mountain Climbing Club, inspiring many with his stories and experiences among the peaks.

Ronald's exuberant personality

made him the life of every party. His sense of humor was infectious, and he had an innate ability to uplift everyone around him. A friend to all, Ronald's warmth and generosity of spirit were unmistakable, and he formed lasting bonds with those he

In his personal life, Ronald was a devoted father, a doting grandfather, and a friend to many. He is survived by his two sons, Stephen Engasser and his wife Lori, and son Erik Engasser. Ronald's legacy continues to shine brightly through his grandchildren, Haley, Maddy, and Frankie, who will carry forward his zest for life and his enduring lessons of kindness and bravery.

Ronald will be remembered for the courage he displayed throughout his life, whether while serving his country, tackling challenging climbs, cracking jokes or facing life's adversities with unwavering strength. His ability to face challenges headon, with a smile and a joke ready at hand, taught everyone around him the power of positivity.

As we bid farewell to Ronald John Engasser, we celebrate a life lived to the fullest. His laughter and love have left an indelible mark on the hearts of those who knew him, and his stories will continue to be told with fondness and admiration. Ronald's journey through life reminds us to approach each day with humor, to nurture friendships with kindness, and to live courageously. He will be deeply missed but forever remembered as a beacon of light and a true friend to all.

Visitation for Mr. Engasser will be held on Friday, May 2 from 12 to 2 pm and 5 to 7 pm at the Robertaccio Funeral Home, Inc. in Patchogue NY. A religious service will be celebrated that evening at 5:45 pm, followed by a family eulogy, a performance from close friend Karin Wagner, and VFW Service. Closing prayers will be offered at the funeral home at 10 am the following morning, May 3 before interment at Cedar Grove Cemetery in Patchogue, NY.



Oyster Shindig

BY MARIANA OLIVA

If you're looking for an evening out while supporting a cause, Save the Great South Bay is hosting its annual Oyster Shindig on May 2. Coastal Kitchen, located on Bay Shore's Main Street, will be hosting the local nonprofit organization. The event will be held from 4:30 to 6 p.m.

The organization aims to improve the conditions of the Great South Bay for future generations. Previous events they have hosted include cleanups such as removing debris, monitoring invasive species, and restoring oyster habitats. So far this year, Save the Great South Bay has held 13 Creek Defender cleanups.

Tickets include fresh oysters straight from the Great South Bay, a selection of hors d'oeuvres, cold beer and chilled sparkling wine. There will also be live shucking provided by Little A's Oysters' Michel Mission. Attendees will learn how they can help grow oysters to support the Great South Bay's Oyster Project.

To top off the evening, there will be live music performed by Bobby Digital.

We hope to educate the community about the importance of oysters in restoring the bay's ecosystem, share volunteer opportunities, enjoy fresh local oysters together, and kick off the summer while supporting a great cause," the organization said in a statement.

Tickets are \$50 per person and can be purchased at www.givebutter.com/ S5ODYH. Proceeds will help support the nonprofit. For more information on how you can support Save the Great South Bay, head to www.savethegreatsouthbay.

Save the Great South Bay aims to support oyster sanctuaries. ■

Man arrested for **DWI** after crash

Suffolk County police arrested a Yaphank man for driving while intoxicated after his passenger was seriously injured in a motor vehicle crash this on Sunday, April 27. Andy Bonilla was driving a 2016 BMW eastbound on Sunrise Service Road at Medford Avenue when the vehicle left the roadway and struck multiple trees at approximately 3:20 a.m. A female passenger in the vehicle, whose identity is being withheld pending notification of next of kin, was transported

to Stony Brook University Hospital for treatment of serious injuries. Bonilla, 21, of Yaphank, was transported to NYU Langone Hospital – Suffolk in Patchoque with minor injuries. Bonilla was charged with driving while intoxicated and was scheduled to be arraigned today at First District Court in Central Islip. The BMW was impounded for a safety check. Detectives are asking anyone with information to call the Fifth Squad at 631-854-8552. ■



New York Press Association names next executive director

New York Press Association board president Terry Tuthill announced Tuesday that Bryce Jacobson, formerly a publisher in Colorado and Wyoming, will become the next executive director of NYPA.

Jacobson will replace Michelle Rea, who is in her 34th year at the helm of

Tuthill noted that the extensive nationwide search took several months. A transition committee comprising six past presidents conducted the search with a clear vision of what we wanted-someone who could understand NYPA's mission and execute the fiduciary responsibilities necessary to support the mission.

"We think Bryce's extensive experience with community newspapers will enable him to effectively engage with all of NYPA's constituents-member news organizations, advertising clients, legislators, and staff," Tuthill said.

Jacobson is scheduled to join NYPA May 19 and spend the following weeks traveling the state, meeting with publishers, ad directors, and clients. ■

LETTERS DEADLINE IS MONDAY AT 5 P.M.

Thank you for your protest coverage

Thank you for your continued, refreshingly objective coverage of the protests taking place at Andrew Garbarino's Patchogue office. Including photos of the participants' creative signs helps readers who weren't there sense the upbeat energy and determination one feels among the crowd.

Since our representative has yet to acknowledge that we're protesting or address our concerns in any meaningful way, let alone talk to us in person, I hope he reads the Advance to learn what's happening at his front door.

This past week's issue was a particularly informative one for him, if he did read it. Articles on school funding, Habitat for Humanity, his local library, and Earth Day all highlighted larger issues and institutions for which he's either expressed or implied support, yet are directly threatened by his party's stated goals, positions and actions. So far, he continues to align with his party leadership.

As Suffolk County Democrats were quoted in last week's article, we'll con-

tinue to stand outside his office "until Republicans either get the message or we turf [sic] them out of office." "Turf" is likely a typo for "turn," but it's a provocative image, like turning over the sod so something healthier can grow.

Our representative could grab a shovel and dig with us. Or simply talk with the thousands of voters gathering at his doorstep. The sooner before midterms the better, given his leaders' disregard for constitutional law.

-Nell Bard Brookhaven

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REVIEW

Mathematics plus moments equals 'Proof'

BY JACKIE SARDO

Math is hard, but the biggest problems we face are not in the pages of Baby Rudin but in the lives we lead. "Proof," at the Clare Rose Playhouse through May 11, is a highly acclaimed drama written by UChicago alum David Auburn, that illustrates this beautifully in a tale of human struggle and achievement.

'Proof" tells the story of Catherine, a mathematical genius struggling with depression fueled by her past and fear of the unknown future. As the plot unfolds, all characters run the narrative that it's our flawed natures which make us

For instance, as Catherine struggles with her father's past incapacitation with mental illness and the weight of dropping out of college to be his fulltime caretaker, she has unexpected but relatable feelings of loneliness, and even

Alexandra Mandy Thomas's performance as Catherine is incredible. She commands the stage with versatility and nuance, whether she is the main focus or not, and shows impeccable timing with witty and sarcastic comebacks. She also clearly demonstrates the gruff exterior which hides her pain and grief. Catherine felt truly human—completely honest

Playing her father Robert, whose brilliance succumbs to mental illness, is Clare Rose regular Carl DiModugno. Through clever use of flashbacks, DiModugno displays Robert's downfall with subtle grace as we see him transition from his best to his worst.

The remaining two characters care



something from her, in a paradoxical Motta), a previous student of Robert

deeply for Catherine, but also want way that is invariably human. Hal (Ron

who becomes romantically involved with Catherine, is earnest and nerdy. While he clearly connects with Catherine, countering her disillusionment and drawing out an upbeat side of her in touchingly awkward and intimate moments, he has his own motive.

He wants to discover unpublished math in Catherine's attic, which he hopes her father wrote during moments of lucidity. Likewise, Claire (Mary Ann Cafiero), Catherine's terse, disciplined and put-together East Coast sister, shows genuine care for Catherine and wants to provide a fresh start by moving her away, yet seemingly chides her in every moment just as the two seem to be connecting.

While billed as a drama where many recent productions have felt heavy, director James Carey and his cast have found much humor in the script by placing the tiny moments under a microscope, so Auburn's words do not feel as bleak as they can be in this play.

The set designed by St. Joseph's University Play Production class brings us into the backyard of Catherine's childhood home, with details such as fallen leaves with equations on them to represent the grip mathematics has on the home, and a tree that shrinks to indicate scenes in the past. However, this production is much more than a story about math. None of the characters are

Life is not math, and no matter how much of a genius one might be, it cannot be solved in an elegant proof. "Proof" runs through May 11. Tickets may be reserved by calling the Clare Rose Playhouse Box Office at 631-654-0199. ■

Facility dog helps boy relearn how to walk after spinal surgery

Dorothy, the facility dog at NYU Langone Orthopedic Hospital, played a key role in helping 5-year-old Liam Block relearn how to walk after spinal surgery for cerebral palsy. Before surgery, Liam couldn't stand or walk without support. He needed a year of intensive physical therapy—up to five sessions a weekto rebuild basic skills like walking and kneeling. Recently, Liam and his mother, Sarah, returned to the hospital to thank Dorothy for keeping him motivated. "The treatment for cerebral palsy is physical therapy," Sarah said. "Keeping it interesting and motivating is really important." 🗖



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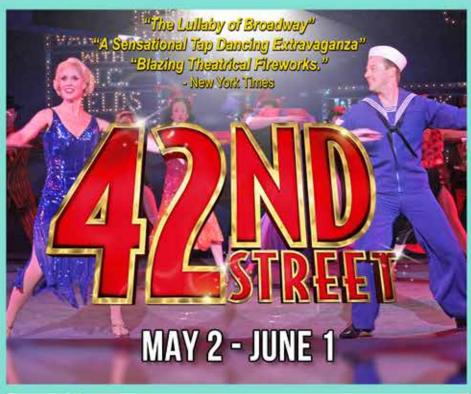
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Friday, May 2

Oyster Shindig – Save the Great South Bay oyster and music event at Coastal Kitchen, Bay Shore, Friday, May 2nd, 4:30-6 p.m. Proceeds benefit Save the Great South Bay. Advance sale tickets are \$50pp and available at www.givebutter.com/ S50DYH.

Taylor Swift Tribute – A Taylor Experience: A Tribute to Taylor Swift's Iconic Eras Tour, starring Traci Marie, on stage at Patchogue Theatre, recreates the magic and essence of Swift's uber successful Eras Tour, 7:30 p.m. For tickets and info, call the box office at 631-207-1313 or visit www. patchoguetheatre.org.

Wet Paints Art Exhibit – Exhibit on display at Sachem Library, May 2 through May 30. Artist reception Friday, May 30, 1-3 p.m. Call 631-332-7768.

Saturday, May 3

Antiques & Garden Weekend – Visit the Suwassett Garden Booth at the Port Jefferson Historical event at the PJ Village Center, 101A East Broadway, Saturday and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. for annuals, hanging baskets, perennials, and patio planters. Raffles, too.

Conservation & Volunteer Day - Dedicated volunteers will assist with a variety of important projects from conservation, gardening, and building and grounds maintenance at CEED LI, 287 S. Country

Rd., Brookhaven, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Email ashley@ceedli.org or call 631-803-6780.

Birding Club – Join fellow birding enthusiasts, Puleston's Vagabonds at CEED L.I., 287 South Country Rd., Brookhaven, 9-10 a.m. No experience or registration necessary.

Wavemakers & Puddle Jumpers – CEED LI program for ages 8-18 and 5-7 meets weekly on Saturdays to explore local ecosystems, contribute to conservation efforts, and use data to communicate science and policy to society at large, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Visit ceedli.org or call 631-803-6780.

Sunday, May 4

Bob Dylan's Birthday Bash – Celebrate Dylan's birthday at the Medford Branch of Patchogue-Medford Library with a performance by Nina Etc., 2-3:30 p.m. Register online or call 631-654-4700.

Monday, May 5

Sublimation Mousepad Drop-In – Make a great gift for Mother's Day, a birthday, or just for fun in Makerspace at Patchogue-Medford Library, any time between 10 a.m. and 8 p.m. One per patron while supplies last. Call 631-654-4700.

Resumes with Microsoft Word – In this hands-on class at the Medford Branch of Patchogue-Medford Library, students will learn how to create a resume template, using designs, setting up indents, margins, formatting and more, 2-4 p.m. This class

will not assist students with the content on their resume. Register online or call 631-654-4700.

Wednesday, May 7

Needle Felting – Make a felted coin purse at Patchogue-Medford Library, 6-8 p.m. 2 hand towels required. Register online or call 631-654-4700.

South Country Central BOE – The board of education will hold a Budget Hearing at 6:15 p.m. in the South Country School District Office. Visit www.southcountry.org for updates and changes.

Thursday, May 8

Learning to Look: Constructivism & **Suprematism** – Join Professor John Cino at MoCA LI, 20 Terry St., Suite 116, Patchogue, to examine and learn about this visual aspect of artwork, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Register online or call 631-654-4700.

The Nelsons in Concert – The iconic twin brothers will perform on stage at Patchogue Theatre, 8 p.m. For tickets and info, call the box office at 631-207-1313 or visit www.patchoguetheatre.org

History Program – "Long Island Firsts," presented by EcoPhoto Explorers will discuss events that first happened in our own backyard, 7 p.m. at the Greater Patchogue Historical Society Museum, located in Patchogue's Carnegie Library, 160 Main St. Free; all welcome. Call 631-804-9269 or visit greaterhistoricalsociety.com.

OF NOTE

Afternoon Tea - 30th annual event at Presbyterian Church of the Moriches, Saturday, May 10, 12-3 p.m. \$20 admission includes 3-course menu of scones, jams, cream, an assortment of finger sandwiches, homemade desserts, and your choice of tea served in fine china. Call 631-878-1993

Thrift Shop Sale – St. Paul's Thrift Shop, at 31 Rider Ave., Patchogue, has Spring and Summer clothing at reasonable prices. Find designer bags, jewelry, teapot sets, small appliances, dishes, linens, books, clothes for the family, dress, and sports apparel. Now accepting debit and credit card payment. Handicapped parking in rear. Donations accepted during business hours: Monday, Friday, and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Call 631-307-9154.

Bellport H.S. Class of 1975 – The class of 1975 will hold its 50th reunion on the following dates: Sept. 5: Ice Breaker, Painter's Restaurant; Sept. 6, Reunion at Sunset Harbor in East Patchogue, 6-10 p.m.; Sept. 7, Post Reunion Brunch at Avino's Italian Table in Bellport. Contact BellportHS1975@gmail.

Summer Nature Camps – The Center for **Environmental Education and Discovery will** hold a Summer Adventure Camp for children entering Kindergarten through 6th grade, July 7 to Aug. 22, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Sign up early and receive discounted registration. Visit www.ceedli.org/2025-summer-camp/. Call 631-803-6780.

Longwood H.S. Class of 1975 – A 50th high school reunion will be held Saturday, Aug. 2. For more info, contact L. Glover, 631-921-1720; B. Halverson, 516-315-3918; or B. Hamilton, 631-456-0395.

Stop the Stigma 5K – Join the Elly Cares Project for the 4th Annual Ellyana DeLaTorre Memorial Walk/Run, May 24, 9 a.m. rain or shine at Shorefront Park, 49 Smith St., Patchogue. Free chalk walk at 8 a.m., awards ceremony, raffles, fun, and refreshments. Non-perishable donations of food, paper products, personal hygiene, and cleaning supplies will be collected to support Angels of Long Island. Register at www.events.elitefeats.com/25stomp.

Annual Music Festival – The Great Sound Bay Music Festival returns to Shorefront Park in Patchogue Village, July 24-27. For a list of performers, times, and tickets, visit www. greatsouthbaymusicfestival.com.

Patchogue FD Golf Outing – The Annual Ed Summers Golf Outing will be held Monday, June 30 at Rock Hill Golf Club, Manorville. Shot gun start at 1 p.m. Registration and lunch with driving range at 11 a.m. Contact Dan Brooks at 631-905-1840 or DBrooks@ PatchogueFD.com.

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The Long Island ADVANCE SPORTS

Pat-Med flag football races to 10-0 start

BY TONY BELLISSIMO

Since its inception in the fall of 2023, the Patchogue-Medford girls flag football program has thrived.

The Raiders played for the county championship in their inaugural campaign and made back-to-back appearances in the finals last spring, so can the third time be a charm?

'We're definitely in the mix again," head coach Brad Weinman said.

Pat-Med finished 10-1-3 in season No. 1 and followed up with a 9-4-1 mark. Add in this year's 10-0 record and the program is 29-5-4 all-time. Three of its losses are to Half Hollow Hills, including both county title games, but Weinman's team made a statement April 24.

The Raiders went on the road and defeated Hills, 7-6, in a defensive struggle for a signature win that was celebrated the entire bus ride home.

"It's really exciting," Weinman said. "We were 0-3 against Hills, so this is a big win. Two explosive offenses and it ended up being a defensive battle. It was scoreless at halftime and the difference was we batted down their extra-point attempt with about four minutes left."

Senior Angelina McGrath starred on both sides of the ball in the victory, collecting a pair of interceptions and catching a touchdown pass from junior quarterback Mackenzie Hughes. Senior Paige McGowan also had a pick, and the front-line rushing tandem of seniors Kelsey Vargas (four) and Skyler Smith combined for seven sacks.

"It was a game we had circled since the calendar came out," said Weinman, who is assisted by Bob DeSilva.

Hughes threw for 19 touchdowns last season with only three interceptions and added 171 yards rushing and two scores. Her game has reached another level in 2025, and heading into this week's action, she leads Suffolk County in touchdown passes with 35 and has 2,106 yards through the air, putting her third in the category.

"Last year's experience is paying off for Mackenzie," Weinman said. "We're primarily a throwing offense and she has a great arm and vision. She can also run when we need her to. She's shifty."

Hughes owes a good deal of her success to the Raiders' talented receiver trio of McGrath (42 receptions, 775 vards and 10 touchdowns), McGowan (37-502-7) and freshman Camryn Young (34-342-6.)

While the offense has fired on all

cylinders most games, the defense is also doing the job, with no more than 13 points allowed in any of the first 10 and one shutout—20-0 over North Babylon April 14—with Smith registering a pair of sacks and McGrath picking off a pass. McGrath's nine interceptions rank third in Suffolk.

The defense also stood tall three days earlier at Sachem East. Hughes connected with junior Marie Cataldo and freshman Ella Melo for touchdowns, and Melo had 11 flag pulls and an interception to lead the defense in a 13-7 victory.

The Raiders have a favorable schedule down the stretch, with each of their last four regular-season games at home. They'll host Connetquot May 1, Whitman May 5, Ward Melville May 7, and close with Commack May 9.



Senior Angelina McGrath ranks among Suffolk's leaders in receptions, touchdowns and interceptions.



Seniors Kelsey Vargas (right) and Skyler Smith combined for seven sacks in the Raiders' 7-6 win over Half Hollow Hills on April 24.

Bellport athletic trainer earns Athletic Trainer of the Year Award

South Country School District's head athletic trainer, Gina Harris, has a lot to be excited about. She been recognized with the prestigious District 2 Athletic Trainer of the Year Award by the National Athletic Trainers' Association Secondary School Athletic Trainers' Committee and as a finalist for the National Athletic Trainer of the Year Award. She will formally accept her award in June at the 76th NATA Clinical Symposia and AT Expo in Orlando, Fla.

Harris earned the recognition for her dedication, professionalism, mentoring and volunteerism following a nomination and application process. She was selected from a pool of applicants from New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Delaware.

"It's an incredible honor to be named the District 2 Athletic Trainer of the Year," said Harris. "I'm proud to represent my region and even prouder to make a meaningful impact on the lives of the student-athletes I work with every day.' She added. "Athletic training is about more than injury care—it's about connection, mentorship and helping young people grow through adversity. We're not just building stronger athletes—we're helping shape stronger, more resilient individuals.'

Harris, who has served as head athletic trainer at Bellport High School since 2017, is a board-certified athletic trainer with over a decade of experience in emergency response, injury prevention and athlete performance. She earned her Bachelor of Science in athletic training from SUNY Cortland and her Master of Science in exercise physiology and sports nutrition from LIU Brooklyn, where she worked with high-caliber athletes, including three-time Olympic medalist Brendon Rodney and former UFC Middleweight Champion Chris Weidman.

She recently completed a Master of Science in applied clinical nutrition from Northeast College of Health Sciences, enhancing her ability to support student-athletes in both performance and recovery through an integrative approach

In 2023, Harris was nationally recognized as the sole recipient of the Henry Schein Medical Rising Star Award, presented to one emerging athletic training professional across all practice settings in the country. This prestigious award honors early-career athletic trainers who demonstrate exceptional clinical skill, leadership and impact on the pro-

"Mrs. Harris is a tremendous asset to the South Country Central School District." said Martino Sottile, director of health, physical education and interscholastic athletics. "Her professionalism and care for our student-athletes is unmatched, and she consistently goes above and beyond for our kids. She is constantly looking to grow and expand, earning various certifications and continuously evolving. It's no surprise to me that she is being recognized as one of the best athletic trainers in the nation."

The South Country School District extends its congratulations to Harris on this impressive accomplishment.



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Photo courtesy of the South Country Central School District

Lights-out pitching sparks Phantoms

BY TONY BELLISSIMO

After its pitching staff posted four consecutive shutouts in a weeklong span concluding April 15, Bayport-Blue Point's baseball team allowed eight runs to a talented Babylon lineup the following day, but that's when the Phantoms' offense came through in the clutch to keep its unbeaten streak alive.

Senior Tyler McKillop's two-out, tworun ground-rule double in the top of the seventh inning proved the game-winning hit for BBP in a thrilling 9-8 victory. The hit capped a four-run rally and plated senior Cooper Fuller and junior Colin Most. McKillop was also the winning pitcher in relief, and senior Mike Messina earned the save with a pair of strikeouts in the bottom of the frame.

"Messina is one of our three starting pitchers and although I hate to use any of those guys in relief, it was a big game," Phantoms' second-year coach Vic Manzella said. "I challenged our guys going into the seventh and they

Following the comeback win with a 10-0 triumph at Mattituck three days later brought senior-led BBP to 10-0 in League VII and a two-game lead over Center Moriches in the loss column and a three-game cushion on Babylon with the tiebreaker in hand over the latter.

The starting pitchers—Fuller, Messina and fellow senior Brady Gellingcombined for seven shutouts in the first 10 games. Messina no-hit Mattituck and fanned nine.

Fuller was an all-league selection last spring and also quarterbacked the BBP football team to a county championship in the fall. He's 3-0 on the mound and also the No. 3 hitter with a team-best 12 runs scored. Messina and Gelling didn't pitch much last season but have stepped up to round out the rotation. Messina is 4-0 and Gelling is 3-0, with Messina, like Fuller, not allowing an earned run, and Gelling racking up 24 strikeouts.

Having a stud behind the plate like senior Guytano Kiesel, an all-county selection in 2024, is a luxury only a few programs in Suffolk can match. He's hitting .333 with 12 RBIs and 10 runs and has been a human eraser of would-be base stealers with six of 10 nabbed. "He's a game changer with all the tools," Manzella said.

McKillop anchors the infield defense at shortstop and is headed to UMass-Lowell. He's crushing the ball to the tune of a .440 average after earning All-League honors in 2024. "He 100 percent sets the example for everyone else, Manzella noted.



Senior Brendan Mattimore (third base), BBP's most-improved player in the field and at the plate according to Manzella, and freshman Ryan Kloss handle the corner infield spots, with Fuller and either junior Aiden Richman at second. The outfield features Messina in center, Most in left and senior Sal DaVore in right.

After reaching the Suffolk Class A finals a year ago, BBP is looking to bring home its first county championship in over a decade.

"Our goal is to win the county title," Manzella said. "I'm super happy how our pitching and defense has performed. It's something I was preaching all offseason. And we're also getting timely hitting." ■



From left, Bayport-Blue Point senior pitchers Brady Gelling, Cooper Fuller and Mike Messina combined for seven shutouts through 10 games.





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Bayport Flower Houses spotlighted for commitment to sustainability and community

Bayport Flower Houses, a family-owned garden center with deep roots in the Bayport community, has just been featured on the cover of *The Hardware* Connection, a leading national magazine in the home improvement industry.

The feature highlights the business's longstanding commitment to sustainability, eco-friendly practices, and its unique role in both the local and industry-wide marketplace.

Founded in 1932 by Maria and Paul Auwaerter, and now led by third-generation co-owner Karl

Auwaerter, Bayport Flower Houses has grown into a prominent garden center known for blending tradition with

The magazine article showcases Karl's leadership in incorporating sustainable practices, such as solar energy, organic waste composting, and the use of natural pest control methods. The business has also embraced eco-friendly product lines, providing customers with sustainable gardening solutions that reflect the family's commitment to environmental responsibility.

The feature also highlights the store's beloved annual Ladybug Breakfast, a local tradition that

brings together hundreds of children each year for a fun, educational event centered around the release of ladybugs as natural pest control. This event, which has grown over the years, is just one example of Bayport Flower Houses' dedication to engaging the community while promoting environmental education.

"Sustainability isn't just an idea for us—it's personal," said Karl Auwaerter. "Our commitment to eco-friendly practices is driven by the desire to protect the environment for future generations while also providing our customers with the best possible products and services."

Bayport Flower Houses continues to inspire both customers and peers by showing that

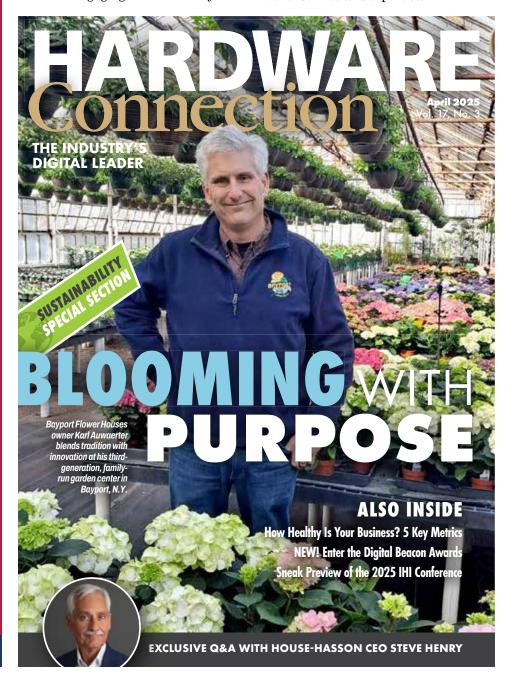
business success can go hand in hand with social responsibility and sustainability. The cover

feature in The Hardware Connection serves as a testament to the business's impact on both the

local community and the broader home improvement industry. For more information about Bayport Flower Houses, visit their website at Bayport Flower Houses.

About Bayport Flower Houses:

Bayport Flower Houses is a family-owned garden center based in Bayport, N.Y., serving the local community since 1932. Known for its dedication to sustainability, eco-friendly practices, and community engagement, the business offers a range of gardening products and services, including a floral shop, landscape services, and custom weddings and events. The business is committed to educating its customers about sustainable gardening practices and fostering long-term relationships through exceptional service and expertise.



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and that the registers so prepared pursuant to New York Education Law §2014 and the registration list prepared by the Board of Elections of Suffolk County will be filed in the Office of the District Clerk of the School District, 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, New York, and will be open for inspection by any qualified voter of the District weekdays between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., prevailing time, on and after Thursday, May 15, 2025, and Saturday by pre-arranged appointment, except Sunday;

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that pursuant to New York Education Law §2014, the Board of Registration shall meet on May 20, 2025, at Bellport Middle School, 35 Kreamer Street, Bellport, New York, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m., prevailing time, to prepare the Register of the School District to be used at the annual meeting and election that is to be held in 2026, and any special meeting that may be held after the preparation of said Register, at which time any person will be entitled to have her or his name placed on such Register, provided that at such meeting of the Board of Registration he or she is known or proven to the satisfaction of such Board of Registration to be then or thereafter entitled to vote at the school meeting or election for which such Register is prepared.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that qualified voters with disabilities who seek information about access to polling places may, in advance of the day of the vote, contact the District Člerk at (631) 730-1542 for information about

accessibility.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that beginning seven (7) days immediately preceding the May 7, 2025, public budget hearing, any resident in the District may request to review a copy of the proposed budget by appearing at the Office of the District Clerk, 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, New York. Additionally, a statement of the estimated expenses for the ensuing year may be obtained by any resident in the District during the fourteen (14) days immediately preceding said election on the school district website www.southcountry.org, at the South Country Library, located at 22 Station Road, Bellport, New York, or Brookhaven Free Library, located at 273 Beaver Dam Road, Brookhaven, New York, during their normal hours of operation, at the School District Administrative Center, 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, New York, and at each of the following school buildings in which school is maintained between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., prevailing time, except Saturdays, Sundays and holidays:

Bellport High School Bellport Middle School Frank P. Long Intermediate School Brookhaven Elementary School Kreamer Street Elementary School Verne W. Critz Elementary School South Haven Early Childhood Cen-

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that pursuant to Real Property Tax Law Section 495, the School District is required to attach to its proposed budget an exemp-tion report. Said exemption report, which will also become part of the final budget, will show how much of the total assessed value on the final assessment roll used in the budgetary process is exempt from taxation. list every type of exemption granted, identified by statutory authority, and show: (a) the cumulative impact of each type of exemption expressed either as a dollar amount of assessed value or as a percentage of the total assessed value on the roll; (b) the rumulative amount expecte received from recipients of each type of exemption as payments in lieu of taxes or other payments for municipal services; and (c) the cumulative impact of all exemptions granted. The exemption report shall be posted on any bulletin board maintained by the District for public notices and on any website maintained by the District.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that applications for absentee and early mail ballots will be obtainable during school business hours at the office of the District Clerk beginning April 21, 2025. In accordance with Education Law

§§ 2018-a and 2018-e, completed absentee and early mail ballot applications may not be received by the District Clerk earlier than thirty (30) days prior to the election, and must be received by the District Clerk at least seven (7) days before the election if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the election, if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter or to the agent named in the absentee or early mail ballot application. Absentee and early mail ballots must be received by the District Clerk not later than 5:00 p.m., prevailing time, on Tuesday, May 20, 2025.

A list of persons to whom absentee ballots shall have been issued, and a list of all persons to whom early mail voter's ballots shall have been issued, will be available for inspection to qualified voters of the District in the office of the District Clerk on and after May 15, 2025, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on weekdays prior to the day set for the annual election and on May 17, 2025, by advanced appointment by contacting the District Clerk at (631) 730-1542 and on May 20, 2025, the day set for the election. Any qualified voter may, upon examination of such lists, file a written challenge of the qualifications as a voter of any person whose name appears on such lists, stating the reasons for such challenge. Any such written challenge shall be transmitted by the District Clerk or a designee of the Board of Education to the inspectors of election on

election day.
AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that military voters who are not currently registered may apply to register as a qualified voter the South Country Central School District by requesting and return-ing a registration application to the District Clerk in person, or by email to <u>cflynn@southcountry.org</u> or fax sent to (631) 286-2457. The request for the registration application may include the military voter's preference for receipt of the registration application by either mail, fax or email. Military voter registration application forms must be received in the office of the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on April 24,

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that military voters who are qualified voters of the South Country Central School District may request an application for a military ballot from the District Clerk and return such military ballot application to the District Clerk in person, or by email to <u>cflynn@southcountry.</u> org or fax sent to (631) 286-2457. In order for a military voter to be issued a military ballot, a valid military ballot application must be received in the office of the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m., on April 24, 2025. Military ballot applications received accordance with the foregoing will be processed in the same manner as a non-military ballot application under Section 2018-a of the Education Law. The application for military ballot may include the military voter's preference for receipt of the military ballot by mail, fax, or email. A military voter's original military ballot application and military ballot must be returned by mail or in person to the office of the District Clerk at 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, New York 11772, along with the required signed affi-

davit by the voter. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that military ballots shall be canvassed if they are received by the District Clerk before the close of polls on May 20, 2025, showing a cancellation mark of the United States Postal Service or a foreign country's postal service, or showing endorsement of receipt 1 another agency of the United States Government; or received not later than 5:00 p.m. on May 20, 2025, and signed and dated by the military voter and one witness thereto, with a date which is ascertained to be not later than the day before the

election. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that pursuant to a rule adopted by the Board of Education in accordance with New York Education Law §2035, any referenda or propositions to change the number of Board of Education members. or a bond issue for capital improvements, or any other petition, including but not limited to any petition required by law to be stated in the Notice of Annual Meeting and Election must be filed with the Dis-Clerk at 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, New York 11772, not later than 5:00 p.m., prevailing time, on March 21, 2025. All such petitions must be typed or printed in the English language; must be directed to the Clerk of the School District; must be signed by at least 61 qualified voters of the District resenting the greater of 25 or 5% of the number of voters who voted in the previous annual election); and must legibly state the name of each signer. However, the Board of Education will not entertain any petition to place before the vot ers any proposition the purpose of which is not within the powers of the voters to determine, nor any proposition or amendment which is contrary to law.
AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN that those voters seeking information regarding this Budget Vote and Election in Spanish should contact the Office of the District Clerk at (631) 730-1542.

Christine Flynn

District Clerk of the Board of Education

South Country Central School

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East Patchogue, New York 11772 AVISO DE AUDIENCIA PÚBLICA, VOTACIÓN PRESUPUESTARIA Y ELECCIÓN

DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR CENTRAL DE SOUTH COUNTRY CIUDAD DE BROOKHAVEN, CONDADO DE SUFFOLK, NUEVA YORK

POR EL PRESENTE SE NOTIFICA que se llevará a cabo una audiencia pública de los votantes califica-dos del Distrito Escolar Central de South Country, Ciudad de Brookhaven, Condado de Suffolk, Nueva York, en el Edificio de Administración del Distrito Escolar Central de South Country, 189 North Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, Nueva York, en dicho Distrito el miércoles 7 de Mayo de 2025, a las 6:15 p.m., hora vigente, para la transacción de los negocios autorizados por la Ley de Educación del Estado de Nueva York, incluidos los siguientes

1. Presentación del documento presupuestario.

Debatir todos los puntos aquí establecidos, para su votación por máquina, en la elección que se celebrará el martes 20 de Mayo de 2025, según se indica a continuación.

Tratar cualquier otro asunto que se presente debidamente ante la reunión.

ADEMÁS, POR LA PRESENTE SE NOTIFICA que dicha votación y elección se llevará a cabo el martes 20 de Mayo de 2025 en Bellport Middle School, 35 Kreamer Street, Bellport, Nueva York, hora en la que las urnas estarán abiertas de 7:00 a.m. a 9:00 p.m., hora vigente, para votar mediante máquinas de votación sobre los siguientes puntos:

Aprobar el presupuesto anual del Distrito Escolar para el año fiscal 2025-2026 y autorizar que la parte correspondiente se recaude mediante impuestos sobre la propiedad gravable del Distrito Escolar.

Elegir a tres (3) miembros de la Junta de Educación, cada uno por un período de tres años que comenzará el 1 de Julio de 2025 y terminará el 30 de Junio de 2028.

PROPUESTA: Gasto no más de dos millones trescientos quince dólares (\$2.315.000) Fondo de Reserva de Capital establecido el 16 de mayo de 2023, para financiar proyectos para: (1) la sustitución de la superficie de la pista de atletismo, la repavimentación de las áreas de eventos deportivos, la mejora del drenaje y la instalación de nuevas gradas para visitantes en la Escuela Secundaria Bellport; (2) la remoción y sustitución de las ventanas del gimnasio de la Escuela Secundaria Bellport; (3) la sustitución de dos calderas de la

Escuela Secundaria Bellport; incluyendo los costos preliminares, auxiliares incidentales relacionados. ¿Se autorizará a la Junta de Educación del Distrito Escolar Central de South Country a gastar dos millones trescientos quince mil dólares (\$2,315,000) del Fondo de Reserva de Capital establecido el 16 de mayo de 2023 ("Fondo de Reserva"), de conformidad con la Ley de Educación §3651, para un proyecto de mejora de capital que consiste en: (1) el reemplazo de la superficie de la pista de atletismo, la repavimentación de las áreas de eventos de campo. mejoras en el drenaje e instalación de nuevas gradas para visitantes en la Escuela Secundaria Bellport (Un millón trescientos cuarenta mil dólares (\$1,340,000)); (2) la remoción y reemplazo de las ventanas del gimnasio en la Escuela Secundaria Bellport (Ciento y cinco mil dólares (\$175,000)); (3) el reemplazo de dos calderas en la Escuela Secundaria Bellport (Ochocientos mil dólares (\$800,000)); y realizar gastos con el Fondo de Reserva para el costo de otros trabajos requeridos en conexión con ello, incluyendo costos preliminares y costos incidentales al mismo en una cantidad que no exceda el costo total estimado de dos millones trescientos quince mil dólares (\$2,315,000), siempre que la Junta de Educación pueda asignar fondos entre varios componentes dentro del gasto total general a su discreción?

Y, ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que las peticiones de nominación de candi-datos para el cargo de Miembro de la Junta de Educación del Distrito Escolar Central de South Country deberán presentarse ante la Secretaria de Distrito de dicho Distrito Escolar, en su oficina, ubicada en 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, Nueva York, a más tardar el 21 de Abril de 2025, entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 5:00 p.m., hora vigente. Todas las peticiones de nominación deben estar firmadas por al menos 25 personas (que representen el mayor número de 25 o el 2 % del número de votantes que votaron en las elecciones anuales anteriores); deben indicar el nombre y la residencia de cada firmante, y deben indicar el nombre y la residencia del candidato. Las vacantes en la Junta de Educación no se considerarán cargos separados ni específicos; los candidatos se postulan por oposición.

Y, ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que el registro personal de votantes es obligatorio, ya sea de conformidad con la Ley de Educación de Nueva York, artículo 2014, o de conformidad con el Artículo 5 de la Ley Electoral del Estado de Nueva York. Si un votante se ha registrado previamente de conformidad con la Ley de Educación de Nueva York, artículo 2014, y ha votado en cualquier reunión anual o extraordinaria de distrito en los últimos cuatro (4) años calendario, podrá votar en estas elecciones; si está registrado y es elegible para votar de conformidad con el Artículo 5 de la Ley Electoral del Estado de Nueva York, también podrá votar en estas elec-ciones. Todas las demás personas que deseen votar deben registrarse. Los votantes pueden registrarse cualquier día escolar antes del 14 la Secretaria del Distrito ubicada en la Oficina del Distrito, 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, Nueva York, entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 4:00 p.m., hora vigente, para agregar nombres adicionales a los registros que se utilizarán en la elección antes mencionada, momento en el cual cualquier persona tendrá derecho a que su nombre se coloque en dichos registros siempre que en la reunión de la Junta de Registro se sepa o se demuestre a satisfacción de la Junta de Registro que tiene derecho en ese momento o en lo sucesivo a votar en dicha audiencia pública o elección para la cual se preparen dichos

registros, y que los registros preparados de conformidad con la Ley de Educación de Nueva York §2014 y la lista de registro preparada por la Junta Electoral del Condado de Suffolk se archivarán en la Oficina de la Secretaria del Distrito del Distrito Escolar, 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, Nueva York, y estarán abiertos a la inspección de cualquier votante calificado del Distrito. Entre semana, de 9:00 a.m. a 4:00 p.m. chora vigente), a partir del jueves 15 de Mayo de 2025, y el sábado con cita previa, excepto el domingo. Y, ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que, de

conformidad con la Ley de Educación de Nueva York, artículo 2014, la Junta de Registro se reunirá el 20 de Mayo de 2025 en la Escuela Intermedia Bellport, ubicada en 35 Kreamer Street, Bellport, Nueva York, entre las 7:00 a.m. y las 9:00 p.m., hora vigente, para preparar el Registro del Distrito Escolar que se utilizará en la reunión anual y las elecciones de 2026, así como en cualquier reunión extraordinaria que se celebre después de la preparación de dicho Registro. En ese momento, cualquier persona tendrá derecho a que su nombre se incluva en dicho Registro, siempre que en dicha reunión de la Junta de Registro se sepa o se demuestre, a satisfacción de dicha Junta, que tiene derecho a votar en ese momento o posteriormente en la reunión o elección escolar para la que se prepare

dicho Registro. Y, ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que los votantes con discapacidad que reúnan los requisitos y deseen obtener información sobre el acceso a los centros de votación pueden, antes del día de la votación, comu-nicarse con la Secretaria del Distrito al (631) 730-1542 para obtener información sobre accesibilidad.

Y, ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que, a partir de los siete (7) días previos a la audiencia pública sobre el presupuesto del 7 de Mayo de 2025, cualquier residente del Distrito podrá solicitar la revisión de una copia del presupuesto propuesto presentándose en la Oficina de la Secretaria del Distrito, ubicada en 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, Nueva York. Además, cual-quier residente del Distrito podrá obtener un estado de cuenta de los gastos estimados para el año siguiente durante los catorce (14) días inmediatamente anteriores a dicha elección en el sitio web del distrito escolar www.southcountry.org, en la Biblioteca de South Country, ubicada en 22 Station Road, Bellport, Nueva York, o en la Biblioteca Gratuita de Brookhaven, ubicada en 273 Beaver Dam Road, Brookhaven, Nueva York, durante su horario normal de funcionamiento, en el Centro Administrativo del Distrito Escolar, 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, Nueva York, y en cada uno de los siguientes edificios escolares en los que se mantengan clases entre las 9 a.m. y las 4:00 p.m., horario vigente, excepto sábados, domingos y feriados:

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Y, ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que, de conformidad con el Artículo 495 de la Ley de Impuestos sobre Bienes Inmuebles, el Distrito Escolar debe adjuntar a su presupuesto propuesto un informe de exenciones. Dicho informe, que también formará parte del presupuesto final, mostrará qué proporción del valor catastral total en el registro catastral final utilizado en el proceso presupuestario está exenta de impuestos, enumerará identificada por la autoridad legal, e indicará: (a) el impacto acumulado de cada tipo de exención, expresado como monto en dólares del valor catastral o como porcentaje del valor catastral total en el registro; (b) el monto acumulado que se espera recibir de los beneficiarios de cada tipo de exención como pagos en lugar de impuestos u otros pagos por servicios municipales; y (c) el impacto acumulado de todas las exenciones otorgadas. El informe de exenciones se publicará en cualquier tablón de anuncios que mantenga el Distrito para avisos públicos y en cualquier sitio web que mantenga el Distrito.

Y ADEMÁS POR EL PRESENTE SE NOTIFICA que las solicitudes para las papeletas de voto en ausencia y voto anticipado por correo se podrán obtener durante el horario de atención escolar en la oficina de la Secretaria del Distrito a partir del 21 de Abril de 2025. De acuerdo con los §§ 2018-a y 2018-e de la Ley de Educación, las solicitudes de papeletas de voto en ausencia y para voto anticipado por correo completadas no pueden ser recibidas por la Secretaria del Distrito antes de treinta (30) días antes de la elección, y deben ser recibidas por la Secretaria del Distrito al menos siete (7) días antes de la elección si la papeleta se va a enviar por correo al votante, o el día antes de la elección, si la papeleta se va a entregar personalmente al votante o al agente nombrado en la solicitud de papeleta de voto en ausencia o para voto anticipado por correo. Las papeletas de voto en ausencia y de voto anticipado por correo deberán ser recibidas por la Secretaria del Distrito a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m., hora vigente, del martes 20 de Mayo de 2025.

La lista de las personas a quienes se les habrán emitido papeletas de voto en ausencia y la lista de todas las personas a quienes se les habrá emitido papeletas de voto anticipado por correo estarán disponibles para su inspección por parte de los votantes cualificados del Distrito en la oficina de la Secretaria del Distrito a partir del 15 de mayo de 2025, entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 4:00 p.m., los días laborables previos al día de las elecciones anuales y el 17 de Mayo de 2025, previa cita previa contactando a la Secretaria del Distrito al (631) 730-1542 y el 20 de Mayo de 2025, día de las elecciones. Cualquier votante cualificado podrá. tras examinar dichas listas, impugnar por escrito la cualificación de cualquier persona cuyo nombre figure en ellas, exponiendo las razones de la impugnación. Dicha impugnación por escrito será remitida por la Secretaria de Distrito o su designado por la Junta de Educación a los inspectores electorales el día de las

Y, ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que los votantes militares que no estén registrados actualmente pueden solicitar su registro como votantes cualificados del Distrito Escolar Central de South Country. Para ello, deben presentar y devolver personalmente una solicitud de registro a la Secretaria del Distrito, por correo electrónico a <u>cflynn@southcountry.</u> org o por fax al (631) 286-2457. La solicitud de registro puede indicar la preferencia del votante militar de recibirla por correo postal, fax o correo electrónico. Los formularios de solicitud de registro de votantes militares deben recibirse en la oficina del Secretario del Distrito a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m. El 24 de Abril

Y ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que los votantes militares que cumplan los requisitos para votar en el Distrito Escolar Central de South Country pueden solicitar una solicitud de papeleta militar a ls Secretaria del Distrito y devolverla personalmente, por correo electrónico a <u>cflynn@</u> southcountry.org o por fax al (631) 286-2457. Para que se emita una papeleta militar a un votante militar, la oficina de la Secretaria del Distrito debe recibir una solicitud válida de papeleta militar a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m. del 24 de Abril de 2025. Las solicitudes de papeleta militar recibidas de conformidad con lo anterior se procesarán de la misma manera que las solicitudes de papeleta no militar, según la Sección a de la Ley de Educación La solicitud de papeleta militar puede indicar la preferencia del votante militar por recibirla por correo postal, fax o correo electrónico. La solicitud original de papeleta militar y la papeleta militar de un votante militar deben entregarse por correo o en persona a la oficina de la Secretaria de Distrito, ubicada en 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, Nueva York 11772, junto con la declaración

jurada firmada por el votante. Y ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que las papeletas militares serán escrutadas si son recibidas por la Secretaria de Distrito antes del cierre de las urnas el 20 de Mayo de 2025, mostrando

una marca de cancelación del Servicio Postal de los Estados Unidos o del servicio postal de un país extranjero, o mostrando un endoso de recibo fechado por otra agencia del Gobierno de los Estados Unidos: o recibidas a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m. del 20 de Mayo de 2025, y firmadas y fechadas por el votante militar y un testigo, con una fecha que se verifique como no posterior al día anterior a las elecciones.

ADEMÁS POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO que de conformidad con una regla adoptada por la Junta de Educación de conformidad con la Ley de Educación de Nueva York §2035, cualquier referéndum o proposición para cambiar el número de miembros de la Junta de Educación, o una emisión de bonos para mejoras de capital, o cualquier otra petición, incluyendo pero no limitado a cualquier petición requerida por ley para ser indicada en el Aviso de Reunión Anual y Elección debe presentarse ante la Secretaria del Distrito en 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, Nueva York 11772. a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente, el 21 de marzo de 2025. Todas estas peticiones deben estar escritas a máquina o impresas en idioma inglés; deben dirigirse al Secretario del Distrito Escolar; deben estar firmadas por al menos 61 votantes calificados del Distrito (que representen el mayor de 25 o el 5% del número de votantes que votaron en la elección anual anterior); y debe indicar legiblemente el nombre de cada firmante. Sin embargo, la Junta de Educación no aceptará ninguna petición para presentar a los votantes ninguna propuesta cuyo propósito no esté dentro de la facul-tad de los votantes para determinar, ni ninguna propuesta o enmienda que sea contraria a la lev.

Ý ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que aquellos votantes que deseen información sobre esta Votación y Elección Presupuestaria en español deben comunicarse con la Oficina de la Secretaria de Distrito al (631)

Christine Flynn

Secretaria de Distrito de la Junta

Distrito Escolar Central de South Country

189 Dunton Avenue

East Patchogue, Nueva York 11772

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LEGAL NOTICE OF ANNUAL PUB-LIC HEARING, BUDGET VOTE AND ELECTION

OF
EAST MORICHES UNION FREE
SCHOOL DISTRICT TOWN OF BROOKHAVEN, SUF-

FOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Budget Hearing in lieu of the district's annual meeting will be held at the Elementary School on Montauk Highway in said School District on the 7th day of May 2025, at 7:00 o'clock p.m., prevailing time, for the transaction of such business as is authorized by the Education Law including the following items:

- To present to the voters a detailed statement of the amount of money which will be required for the 2025-2026 fiscal year.
- To discuss all of the items herein set forth to be voted on by voting machine or by paper ballot at the election to be held on May 20, 2025, as hereinafter set forth.
- To transact such other business as may properly come before the hearing pursuant to Education Law of the State of New York. and acts amendatory thereto;

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that said budget vote and election will be held Tuesday, May 20, 2025 at 1:00 o'clock n.m. r time, at the Elementary School on Montauk Highway, at which time the polls will be open from 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., prevailing time, to vote by machine or by paper ballot upon the following items:

To elect two members of the Board of Education, at large, for the term of three years commencing July 1,

To vote upon the following propositions:

Proposition I – To adopt the annual budget of said School District for the fiscal year 2025-2026 and to authorize the requisite portion thereof to be raised by taxation of

the taxable property of the District. Proposition II – To designate Proposition II high schools of the following school districts as receiving high schools for the residents of East Moriches Union Free School District for up to five (5) years beginning July 1, 2025 and ending on June 30, 2030 for the grades set forth after each high school: Center Moriches, grades 9-12; Eastport South-Manor, grades

9-12; Westhampton Beach, grades

Proposition III - That the Board of Education of the East Moriches Union Free School District be authorized to contract with the Suffolk Cooperative Library System for a period of one year only, commencing July 1, 2025 for direct access library services, for a sum not to exceed \$995,687 in addition to the sum set forth in Proposition I, and to raise the requisite portion thereof by taxation on the taxable property of the district

Proposition IV - (a) That the Board of Education of the East Moriches Union Free School District. in the County of Suffolk, New York (the "District") is hereby authorized to (i) replace the boilers at the Elementary School and (ii) construct various improvements to the Middle School, including asbestos removal. replacement of ceilings and lighting and the renovation of bathrooms (collectively, the "Project"); the foregoing to include the original furnishings, equipment, machinery apparatus and ancillary or related site, demolition and other work required in connection therewith; and to expend therefor, including preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto, an amount not to exceed \$2,200,000 and (b) that such amount is hereby appropriated from available funds of the District and hereby authorized to pay the cost of the Project. This expenditure shall not require the levy of any additional

taxes. FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that petitions nominating candidates for the office of the Board of Education shall be filed with the Clerk of said School District at her office at the Middle School on Adelaide Avenue in said school district no later than Monday, April 21, 2025, at 5:00 p.m., prevailing time. Vacancies on the Board of Education shall not be considered separate, specific offices, and nominating petitions shall not describe any specific vacancy for which a candidate is nominated. Each petition must be directed to the Clerk of the District; must be signed by at least twenty-five (25) qualified voters of the District, or two (2%) per cent of the voters who voted at the previous annual election of the members of the Board of Education. whichever is greater, and must state the residence of each signer and the name and residence of the

candidate.
FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that personal registration of voters is required either pursuant to section 2014 of the Education Law or Article 5 of the Election Law. If a voter has heretofore registered pursuant to section 2014 of the Education Law and has voted at any annual or special district meeting within the past four (4) calendar years, such voter is eligible to vote at this meeting; if a voter is registered and eligible to vote pursuant to Article 5 of the Election Law, such voter is also eligible to vote at this election. All other persons who wish to vote must register.

Voters may register any school day not less than five (5) days preceding the election/budget vote, at the District Office, 9 Adelaide Avenue, East Moriches, New York, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. add any additional names to the register to be used at the aforesaid election, at which time any person will be entitled to have his/her name placed on such register, provided that he or she is known or proven to be then or thereafter entitled to vote at such election for which the register is prepared. The register so prepared will be filed in the Office of the Clerk of the School District and will be open for inspection by any qualified voter of the School District between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., prevailing time, each of the five (5) days prior to the day set for said election, except Saturday and Sunday and holidays

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to Section 2018-a of the Education Law application for absentee ballots for election of school board members, and to vote upon the current school budget and referenda may be applied for at the Office of the Člerk of the District at Adelaide Avenue, East Moriches, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., prevailing time, on days when school is in session. Applications may also be obtained on line at the District's website: emoschools.org. Applications must be received by the District Clerk at least seven (7) days prior to election if ballot is to be mailed, or the day before the election if the ballot is to be personally delivered. No absentee voter's ballot shall be canvassed, unless it shall have been received at the Office of the Clerk of the School District no later than 5:00 p.m., prevailing time, on the date of the election. A list of all persons to whom absentee ballots shall have been issued, will be available in said office of the Clerk on each of the school days during regular office hours prior to the date of the election, and such list will also be posted at the polling place at the election. Any qualified voter then present in the polling place may object to the voting of the ballot upon appropriate grounds by making his or her challenge and the reasons therefore known to the District Clerk before the close of the poles.
FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY

GIVEN that qualified Military voters may elect to designate a preference to receive a Military voter registration, Military ballot application, or Military ballot by mail, facsimile transmission or electronic mail. Qualified Military voters who do not designate a preference shall receive the Military voter registration, Military ballot application and/or Military ballot by mail. All qualified Military voters' ballot application and Military ballot must be returned by mail or in person. Military voter registration application forms must be received the Office of the District Clerk no later than 5pm on April 24, 2025, twenty-six days before the election. Ballots for Military voters shall be distributed to qualified Military voters no later than April 25, 2025, twenty-five days before the election. Military ballots must be received by the District Clerk before the close of

the polls on Tuesday, May 20, 2025. FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that applications for early mail ballots will be obtainable from the office of the Clerk of the School at her office at the Middle School on Adelaide Avenue in said school district between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., prevailing time, during all days on which the School District is in session. Applications may also be obtained on line at the District's website: emoschools. org. Applications must be received the District Clerk at least seven (7) days prior to election if ballot is to be mailed, or the day before the election if the ballot is to be personally delivered. No early mail voter's ballot shall be canvassed unless it shall have been received at the Office of the Clerk of the School District no later than 5:00 p.m., prevailing time, on the date of the election. A list of all persons to whom early mail ballots shall have been issued, will be available in said office of the Clerk on each of the school days during regular office hours prior to the date of the election, and such list will also be posted at the polling place at the election. Any qualified voter then present in the polling place ting o ballot upon appropriate grounds by making his or her challenge and the reasons therefore known to the District Clerk before the close of the poles. A challenge to an early mail ballot may not be made on the basis that the voter should have applied for an early mail ballot.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN

that a copy of the statement of the estimated expenses for the ensuing year may be obtained by any resident in the District beginning May 6, 2025 on each day except Saturday and Sunday and public holidays, at the Middle School on Adelaide Avenue in said District between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., prevailing

Pursuant to Chapter 258 of the Laws of 2008, Section 495 was added to the Real Property Tax Law and requires the school district to attach to its proposed budget an exemption report. Said exemption report, which will also become part of the final budget, will show how much of the total assessed value of the final assessment roll used in the budgetary process is exempt from taxation, list every type of exemption granted by statutory authority, and show the cumulative impact of each type of exemption, the cumulative amount expected to be received as payments in lieu of taxes (PILOT) and the cumulative impact of all exemptions granted. In addition, said exemption report shall be posted on any bulletin board maintained by the District for public notices and on any website maintained by the District.
FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY

GIVEN that in accordance with the rules adopted pursuant to Section 2035 of the Education Law of the State of New York, any qualified voter may have a proposition or an amendment placed on the ballot provided that such proposition or amendment be (a) typed or printed in the English language; and (b) that it be directed to the Clerk of the School District; and (c) that it be submitted to the Clerk not later than thirty days preceding the date of the election; and (d) that it be signed by at least twenty-five (25) qualified voters of the District. However, the School Board will not entertain any petition to place before the voters, any proposition, for the purpose for which is not within the powers of the voters to determine, or any proposition or amendment which is contrary to law.

ted: March 26, 2025 Jacqueline Franke

Clerk of the Board of Education Moriches Union Free School District

Town of Brookhaven, Suffolk County New York

AVISO LEGAL DE AUDIENCIA PÚBLICA ANUAL, VOTACIÓN DEL PRESUPUESTO Y

ELECCIÓN DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR LIBRE DE EAST MORICHES UNION CIUDAD DE BROOKHAVEN, CONDADO DE SUFFOLK, NUEVA YORK

LA PRESENTE NOTIFICA, que una Audiencia de Presupuesto en lugar de la reunión anual del distrito se llevará a cabo en la Escuela Primaria en Montauk Highway en dicho Distrito Escolar el 7 de Mayo de 2025, a las 7:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente, para la transacción de tales negocios como lo autoriza la Ley de Educación

- incluyendo los siguientes puntos: 1. 1. Presentar a los votant una declaración detallada de la cantidad de dinero que se requerirá para el año fiscal 2025-
- Debatir todos los puntos aquí expuestos sobre los que se votará mediante máquina de votación o por papeleta en las elecciones que se celebrarán el 20 de Mayo de 2025, tal y como se establecen.
- 3. Tramitar cualquier otro asunto que pueda plantearse en la audiencia de conformidad con la Ley de Educación del Estado de Nueva York y las leyes que la modifiquen; y de la misma; y ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA POR

LA PRESENTE que dicha votación y elección presupuestaria se llevará a cabo el Martes 20 de Mayo de 2025, a la 1:00 p.m., hora actual, en la Escuela Primaria en Montauk shway momento en el urnas estarán abiertas desde la 1:00 p.m. hasta las 9:00 p.m., hora actual, para votar por máquina o por boleta de papel sobre los siguientes puntos:

Para elegir a dos miembros de la Junta de Educación, en general, por el término de tres años a partir del 1 de Julio de 2025.

Votar sobre las siguientes

proposiciones:

Proposición I Adoptar el presupuesto anual de dicho Distrito Escolar para el año fiscal 2025-2026 y autorizar que la parte requerida

del mismo se recaude mediante sobre la propiedad imponible del Distrito.

Proposición II - Para designar secundarias siguientes distritos escolares como escuelas secundarias receptoras para los residentes del Distrito Escolar Libre de East Moriches Union por hasta cinco (5) años a partir del 1 de Julio de 2025 y hasta el 30 de Junio de 2030 para los grados establecidos después da escuela secundaria: Moriches, grados 9-12; cada Center Eastport South-Manor, grados 9-12; Westhampton Beach, grados 9-12.

Proposición III - Que la Junta de Educación del Distrito Escolar Libre de East Moriches Union sea autorizada a contratar con el Sistema Cooperativo de Bibliotecas de Suffolk por un período de un año solamente, comenzando el 1 de Julio de 2025 para servicios bibliotecarios de acceso directo, por una suma que no exceda \$995,687 además de la suma establecida en la Propuesta I, y recaudar la porción requerida de la misma mediante impuestos sobre la

propiedad imponible del distrito. Proposición IV - (a) Que la Junta de Educación del Distrito Escolar Libre de East Moriches Union, en el Condado de Suffolk, Nueva York (el «Distrito») queda por la presente autorizada a (i) sustituir las calderas de la Escuela Primaria y (ii) construir diversas mejoras en la Escuela Secundaria, incluida la eliminación de amianto, la sustitución de techos e iluminación y la renovación de los baños (colectivamente, el «Proyecto»); lo anterior para incluir mobiliario original, equipo, maquinaria, aparatos y sitio auxiliar o relacionado, demolición y otros trabajos necesarios en relación con ello; y para gastar en ello, incluyendo los costos preliminares y los costos incidentales a la misma, una cantidad que no exceda de \$ 2,200,000 y (b) que dicha cantidad es por la presente apropiada de los fondos disponibles del Distrito y por la presente autorizada para pagar el costo del Proyecto. Este gasto no requerirá la recaudación de impuestos adicionales.

ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA POR LA PRESENTE que las peticiones de nominación de candidatos para el cargo de la Junta de Educación se presentarán ante la Secretaria de dicho Distrito Escolar en su oficina de la Escuela Intermedia en la Avenida Adelaide en dicho distrito escolar a más tardar el Lunes 21 de Abril de 2025, a las 5:00 p.m., hora predominante. Las vacantes en la Junta de Educación no se considerarán cargos específicos separados, y las peticiones de nominación no describirán ninguna vacante específica para la cual se nomine a un candidato. Cada petición debe dirigirse al Secretario del Distrito; debe estar firmada por al menos veinticinco (25) votantes calificados del Distrito, o el dos (2%) por ciento de los votantes votaron en la elección anual anterior de los miembros de la Junta de Educación, lo que sea mayor, y debe indicar la residencia de cada firmante y el nombre y la residencia del candidato.

SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS que se requiere el registro personal de los votantes de conformidad con la sección 2014 de la Ley de Educación o el Artículo 5 de la Lev Electoral. Si un votante se ha inscrito hasta ahora de conformidad con la sección 2014 de la Lev de Educación v ha votado en cualquier reunión anual o especial del distrito en los últimos cuatro (4) años calendario, dicho votante es elegible para votar en esta reunión; un votante está inscrito y es elegible para votar de conformidad con el Artículo 5 de la Ley Electoral, dicho votanta también es elegible para votar en esta elección. Todas las demás personas que deseen votar deben registrarse.

Los votantes pueden inscribirse cualquier día lectivo no menos de cinco (5) días antes de la elección/ votación del presupuesto, en la Oficina del Distrito, 9 Adelaide Avenue, East Moriches, Nueva York, entre las 9:00 a.m. y la 1:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente, para agregar nombres adicionales al registro que se utilizará en la elección mencionada, en cuyo momento cualquier persona tendrá derecho a que su nombre se incluya en dicho registro, siempre que se sepa o se

pruebe que tiene derecho a votar en ese momento o en lo sucesivo en la elección para la cual se prepara el registro. El registro así preparado será archivado en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito Escolar y estará abierto para inspección por cualquier votante calificado del Distrito Escolar entre las horas de 9:00 a.m. y 4:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente, cada uno de los cinco 5) días anteriores al día fijado para dicha elección, excepto sábados y domingos y días feriados

POR LA PRESENTE SE NOTIFICA que, de conformidad con la Sección 2018-a de la Ley de Educación, la solicitud de votos en ausencia para la elección de los miembros de la junta escolar y para votar sobre el presupuesto escolar actual y los referendos se puede solicitar en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito en Adelaide Avenue, East Moriches, entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 4:00 p.m., hora predominante, en los días en que la escuela está en sesión. Las solicitudes también pueden obtenerse en línea en el sitio web del Distrito: emoschools.org. Las solicitudes deben ser recibidas por el Secretario del Distrito por lo menos siete (7) días antes de la elección si la boleta va a ser enviada por correo, o el día antes de la elección si la boleta va a ser entregada personalmente. Ninguna boleta de votante ausente será escrutada, a menos que haya sido recibida en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito Escolar a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente, en la fecha de la elección. Una lista de todas las personas a quienes se les hayan emitido boletas de ausente, estará disponible en dicha oficina del Secretario en cada uno de los días escolares durante las horas regulares de oficina antes de la fecha de la elección, y dicha lista también se publicará en el lugar de votación en la elección. Cualquier votante calificado presente en ese momento en el lugar de votación puede objetar la votación de la papeleta por motivos apropiados, dando a conocer su objeción y las razones de la misma al Secretario del Distrito antes del cierre de las urnas.

SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS que los votantes Militares calificados pueden elegir designar una preferencia para recibir un registro de votante Militar, una solicitud de boleta Militar, o una boleta Militar por correo, transmisión de facsímil o correo electrónico. Los votantes militares cualificados que no designen una preferencia recibirán el registro militar de votantes, la solicitud de papeleta militar y/o la papeleta militar por correo. La solicitud de papeleta de voto y la papeleta de voto para Militares de todos los votantes Militares cualificados deben devolverse por correo o en persona. Los formularios de solicitud de inscripción de votantes Militares deben ser recibidos en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito a más tardar a las 5pm del 24 de Abril de 2025, veintiséis días antes de la elección. Las boletas para los votantes militares se distribuirán a los votantes militares calificados a más tardar el 25 de Abril de 2025, veinticinco días antes de la elección. boletas militares deben ser recibidas por el Secretario del Distrito antes del cierre de las urnas el Martes 20 de Mayo de 2025.

ADEMÁS SE NOTIFICA POR LA PRESENTE, que las solicitudes de boletas tempranas por correo se podrán obtener en la oficina de la Secretaria de la Escuela en su oficina en la Escuela Intermedia en la Avenida Adelaide en dicho distrito escolar entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 4:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente, durante todos los días en que el Distrito Escolar esté en sesión. tamhién obtenerse en línea en el sitio web del Distrito: emoschools.org. Las solicitudes deben ser recibidas por el Secretario del Distrito por lo menos siete (7) días antes de la elección si la boleta va a ser enviada por correo, o el día antes de la elección si la boleta va a ser entregada personalmente. No se escrutará ninguna boleta de votante anticipado enviada por correo, a menos que haya sido recibida en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito Escolar a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente, en la fecha de la elección. Una lista de todas las personas a quienes se les hayan emitido boletas de votación anticipada por correo estará disponible en dicha oficina del Secretario en cada uno de los días escolares durante las horas regulares de oficina antes de la fecha de la elección, y dicha lista también se publicará en el lugar de votación en la elección. Cualquier votante cualificado presente en ese momento en el colegio electoral puede objetar la votación de la papeleta por los motivos apropiados dando a conocer su impugnación y los motivos de la misma al Secretario del Distrito antes del cierre de los colegios electorales. La impugnación de una papeleta de voto anticipado por correo no podrá basarse en que el votante debería haber solicitado una papeleta de

voto anticipado por correo. SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS que cualquier residente del Distrito podrá obtener una copia de la declaración de los gastos estimados para el año siguiente a partir del 6 de Mayo de 2025, todos los días excepto sábados y domingos y días festivos, en la Escuela Secundaria de la Ávenida Adelaide de dicho Distrito entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 4:00

p.m., hora vigente. De conformidad con el Capítulo 258 de las Leyes de 2008, se añadió la Sección 495 a la Ley de Impuestos sobre Bienes Inmuebles y exige que el distrito escolar adjunte a su propuesta de presupuesto un informe de exención. Dicho informe de exención, que también formará parte del presupuesto final, mostrará qué parte del valor total tasado de la lista de evaluación final utilizada en el proceso presupuestario está exenta de impuestos, enumerará cada tipo de exención concedida por la autoridad estatutaria y mostrará el impacto acumulativo de cada tipo de exención, la cantidad acumulativa que se espera recibir como pagos en lugar de impuestos (PILOT) y el impacto acumulativo de todas las exenciones concedidas. Además, dicho informe de exención se publicará en cualquier tablón de anuncios que mantenga el Distrito para avisos públicos y en cualquier

sitio web que mantenga el Distrito. POR LA PRESENTE SI NOTIFICA que, de conformidad con las normas adoptadas en virtud de la Sección 2035 de la Ley de Educación del Estado de Nueva York, cualquier votante calificado puede tener una proposición o una enmienda colocada en la boleta electoral siempre que dicha proposición o enmienda sea (a) mecanografiada o impresa en el idioma inglés; y (b) que esté dirigida al Secretario del Distrito Escolar; y (c) que se presente al Secretario a más tardar treinta días antes de la fecha de la elección; y (d) que esté firmada por al menos veinticinco (25) votantes calificados del Distrito. Sin embargo, la Junta Escolar no aceptará ninguna petición para presentar ante los votantes ninguna propuesta cuyo propósito no esté dentro de las facultades de los votantes para determinarlo, ninguna propuesta o enmienda que sea contraria a la ley.

Fechado: 26 de Marzo de 2025

Jacqueline Franke Secretaria de la Junta de Educación East Moriches Union Free School district Town of Brookhaven, Suffolk County

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LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BUDGET VOTE AND ELECTION OF THE CENTER MORICHES UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT CENTER MORICHES, SUFFOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK

E IS HEREBY GIVEN a Public Hearing of the qualified voters of the Center Moriches Union Free School District, Center Moriches, Suffolk County, New York, will be held in the District Administration Office Building Board Room located 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, New York, in said District on May 7, 2025 at 7:00 p.m., prevailing time, for the transaction of business as authorized by the Education Law. including the following items:

To present to the voters a detailed statement (proposed budget) of the amount of money, which will be required for the 2025-2026 fiscal year.

To discuss all the items hereinafter set forth to be voted upon by voting machines at the Budget Vote and Election to be held on Tuesday, May 20, 2025.

To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting pursuant to Education Law of the State of New York and acts amendatory thereto.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that pursuant to Section 495 of the Real Property Tax Law, the School District is required to attach to its proposed budget an exemption report. Said exemption report, which will also become part of the final budget, will show how much of the total assessed value on the final assessment roll used in the budgetary process is exempt from taxation, list every type of exemption granted, identified by statutory authority, and show: (a) the cumulative impact of each type of exemption expressed either as a dollar amount of assessed value or as a percentage of the total assessed value on the roll: (b) the cumulative amount expected to be received from recipients of each type of exemption as payments in lieu of taxes or other payments for municipal services; and (c) the cumulative impact of all exemptions granted. The exemption report shall be posted on any bulletin board maintained by the District for public notices and on any website maintained by the District

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that said Budget Vote and Election will be held on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m., prevailing time, in the library of the Center Moriches High School, 311 Frowein Road, Center Moriches, New York, during which time the polls will be open to vote by voting machine upon the following items:

1. To adopt the annual budget of the School District for the fiscal year 2025-26 and to authorize the requisite portion thereof to be raised by taxation on the taxable property of the District.

To elect two (2) members of the Board of Education for a three-year term for each commencing July 1, 2025 and

expiring on June 30, 2028. 3. That the Board of Education of the Center Moriches Union Free School District, in the County of Suffolk, New York (the "District"), is hereby authorized to renovate the auditorium at the Center Moriches High School, including, but not limited to: seat, carpet, curtain and sound board replacement; cement floor upgrades, refinishing of the stage, installation of lighting and other related improvements (the "Project"), and to expend therefor, including preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto an amount not to exceed \$1,200,000; and (b) that \$1,200,000 of funds on hand and available in the 2022 Capital Reserve Fund, approved by the voters of the District on May 17, 2022, plus any interest earnings thereon, are hereby authorized to be expended to pay the cost of the Project, and such expenditure is hereby approved.
AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN, that a copy of the detailed statement in writing of the amount of money which will be required to fund the School District's budget for 2025-26, exclusive of public monies, may be obtained by any resident of the District between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. beginning May 6, 2025, except Saturday, Sunday or holidays, at the Center Moriches District Office, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, New York, and at each schoolhouse in the District. A copy of the proposed budget shall be made available to residents of the school district beginning May 6, 2025 at the District's offices located at 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, NY, on the District's website at www.cmschools.org, and at

the local public library located at 235 Main Street, Center Moriches, NY 11934 during normal business hours.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that petitions nominating candidates for the office of member of the Board of Education shall be filed with the Clerk of said School District at the Center Moriches District Office, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, New York, not later than 5:00 p.m., prevailing time, on Monday, April 21, 2025. Vacancies on the Board of Education are not considered separate, specific offices; candidates run at-large. Nominating petitions shall not describe any specific vacancy upon the Board for which the candidate is nominated; must be directed. to the Clerk of the District; must be signed by at least 25 qualified voters of the District (representing the greater of 25 qualified voters or 2% of the number of voters who voted in the 2024 annual election); must state the name and residence of each signer, and the name and residence of the candidate

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that candidates for the Board of Education will draw by a lot on Tuesday, April 22, 2025 at 9:00 a.m., prevailing time, at the office of the District Clerk, to determine their

position on the ballot. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that personal registration of voters is required either pursuant to §2014 of the Education Law or pursuant to Article 5 of the Election Law. If a voter has heretofore registered pursuant to \$2014 of the Education Law and has voted at an annual or special district meeting within the last four (4) calendar years, he or she is eligible to vote at this election. If a voter is registered and eligible to vote under Article of the Election Law, he or she is also eligible to vote at this election. All other persons who wish to vote

must register.

The Board of Registration will meet for the purpose of registering all qualified voters of the District suant to §2014 of the Education Law in the Administration Building, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, York, on Thursday, May 15, 2025, between the hours of 4:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m., prevailing time, to add any additional names to the Register to be used at the aforesaid election, at which time any person will be entitled to have his or her name placed on such Register, provided that at such meeting of the Board of Registration he or she is known or proven to the satisfaction of said Board of Registration to be then or thereafter entitled to vote at such election for which the register is prepared. In addition, open registration will be conducted through May 15, 2025 and qualified voters may register from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, at the office of the District Clerk located at Center Moriches District Office. 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, New York. The last day to register shall be May 15, 2025. The register so prepared pursuant to §2014 of the Education Law will be filed in the Office of the District Clerk, Center Moriches District Office, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, New York, and will be open for inspection by any qualified voter of the District beginning on May 15, 2025, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m., prevailing time, on weekdays, and each day prior to the day set for the election, except Sunday, and on Saturday, May 17, 2025, by appointment, and at the polling place(s) on the day of the vote. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN, that military voters who are not currently registered may of the Center Moriches Union Free School District by requesting and returning a registration application to the District Clerk in person, by mail to Center Moriches District Office, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, New York 11934, by email to jbarr@cmschools.org or fax sent to 631-878-4326. The request for the registration application may include the military voter's preference for receipt of the registration application by either mail, fax or email. Military voter registration application

forms must be received in the office of the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on April 24, 2025. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN, that military voters who are qualified voters of the Center Moriches Union Free School District, may request an application for a military ballot from the District Clerk in person, by mail to Administration Building, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, New York, by email to jbarr@cmschools.org or fax sent to 631-878-4326. In such request, the military voter may

indicate their preference for receiving the application by mail, fax or email. A military voter must return the original military ballot application by mail or in person to the office of the District Clerk at Center Moriches District Office, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, New York 11934. In order for a military voter to be issued a military ballot, a valid military ballot application must be received in the office of the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on April 24, 2024. Military ballot applications received in accordance with the foregoing will be processed in the same manner as a non-military ballot application under Section 2018-a of the Education Law. The application for a military ballot may include the military voter's preference for receipt of the military ballot by mail, fax, or email. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, a military voter's original military ballot must be returned by mail or in person to the office of the District Clerk at Center Moriches District Office, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, New York 11934. Military ballots shall be canvassed if they are received by the District Clerk before the close of polls on May 20, 2025 showing a cancellation mark of the United States Postal Service or a foreign country's postal service, or showing a dated endorsement of receipt by another agency of the United States Government; or received not later than 5:00 p.m. on May 20, 2025 and signed and dated by the military voter and one witness thereto, with a date which is ascertained to be not later than the

day before the election. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that pursuant to §2014 of the Education Law of the State of New York, the Board of Registration will meet on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m., prevailing time, in the Library of the Center Moriches High School, Center Moriches, New York to prepare the Register of the School District to be used at the Budget Vote and Election to be held in 2026. and any special district meetings that may be held after the preparation of said Register, at which time any person will be entitled to have his or her name placed on such Register provided that at such meeting of said Board of Registration he or she is known or proven to the sat-isfaction of such Board of Registration to be then or thereafter entitled to vote at the school election for which said Register is prepared, or any special district meeting held after May 20, 2025. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN, that applications for absentee and early mail ballots are obtainable during school business hours from the District Clerk beginning Monday, April 21, 2025; completed applications must be received by the District Clerk at least seven (7) days before the election. May 13. 2025, if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the election, May 19, 2025, if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter or their designated agent named in the absentee or early mail ballot application. If an applicant or their olication for ar absentee or early mail ballot after May 13, 2025 and not later than the day before the election, the District Clerk shall deliver the absentee or early mail ballot when the applicant and/or their agent appears in the District Clerk's office on or before May 19, 2025. Absentee and early mail ballots must be received by the District Clerk not later than 5:00 p.m., prevailing time, on Tuesday, May 20, 2025. A list of persons to whom absentee and early mail ballots are issued will be available for inspection to qualified voters of the District in the Office of the District Clerk, District Office, 529

Main Street, Center Moriches, New York, on and after Thursday, May 15, 2025, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on weekdays prior to the day set for the annual election, and on May 20, 2025, the day set for the election. Any qualified voter then present in the polling place may object to the voting of the ballot upon appropriate grounds by making his/her challenge and the reasons therefore known to the Inspector of Election before the close of the polls. A challenge to an absentee ballot may not be made on the basis that the voter should have applied for an early mail ballot. A challenge to an early mail ballot may not be made on the basis that the voter should have applied for an absentee ballot

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that pursuant to a rule adopted by the Board of Education in accordance with §2035 of the Education Law, any referenda or propositions to amend the budget, or otherwise to be submitted for voting at said election, must be filed with the District Clerk, Board of Education Center Moriches District Office, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches. New York, in sufficient time to permit notice of the proposition to be included with the Notice of the Public Hearing, Budget Vote and Election required by Section 2004 of the Education Law or on or before April 21, 2025, at 5:00 p.m., prevailing time; must be typed or printed in the English language; must be directed to the District Clerk of the School District; must be signed by at least 100 qualified voters of the District; and must legibly state the name of each signer. However, the School Board will not entertain any petition to place before the voters any proposition the purpose of which is not within the powers of the voters to determine, which is unlawful or any proposition which fails to include a specific appropriation where the expenditure of monies is required by the proposition, or where other valid reason exists for excluding the proposition from the ballot.
Dated: Center Moriches, New York

February 12, 2025 By Order of the BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CENTER MORICHES SCHOOL UNION FREE DISTRICT Center Moriches, New York

Jeannine Barr, District Clerk AVISO LEGAL AVISO DE AUDIENCIA PÚBLICA, VOTACIÓN DE PRESUPUESTO Y ELECCIÓN DEL DISTRITO

ESCOLAR UNIÓN LIBRE CENTER
MORICHES
CENTER MORICHES, CONDADO
DE SUFFOLK, NUEVA YORK
POR EL PRESENTE SE NOTIFI-CA, que una Audiencia Pública de los votantes calificados del Distrito Escolar Unión Libre Center Moriches, Center Moriches, Condado de Suffolk, Nueva York, se llevará a cabo en la Sala de Juntas del Edificio de Oficinas de Administración del Distrito ubicada en 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, Nueva York, en dicho Distrito el 7 de mayo de 2025 a las 7:00 p. m., hora prevaleciente, para la transacción de negocios autorizados por la Ley de Educación, incluidos los siguientes puntos

- Presentar a los votantes una declaración detallada (propuesta de presupuesto) del monto de dinero, que será necesario para el año fiscal 2025-2026.
- 2. Discutir todos los puntos que a continuación se exponen para ser votados mediante máquinas de votación en la votación y elección del presupuesto que se llevará a 2025.
- 3. Para tramitar otros asuntos que puedan presentarse adecuadamente ante la reunión de conformidad con la Ley de Educación del Estado de Nueva York y las

leyes que la modifican. Y POR EL PRESENTE SE NOTIFI-CA ADEMÁS, que de conformidad con la Sección 495 de la Ley del Impuesto sobre Bienes Inmuebles, el Distrito Escolar debe adjuntar a su proyecto de presupuesto un informe de exención. Dicho informe de exención, que también formará parte del presupuesto final, mostrará qué par-

te del valor tasado total en la lista de tasación final utilizada en el proceso presupuestario está exenta de impuestos, enumerará cada tipo de exención otorgada, identificada por la autoridad estatutaria, y mostrará: (a) el impacto acumulativo de cada tipo de exención expresado ya sea como una cantidad en dólares del valor tasado o como un porcentaje del valor tasado total en la lista; (b) el monto acumulativo que se espera recibir de los beneficiarios de cada tipo de exención como pagos en lugar de impuestos u otros pagos por servicios municipales; y (c) el impacto acumulativo de todas las exenciones otorgadas. El informe de exención se publicará en cualquier tablero de anuncios mantenido por el Distrito para avisos públicos y en cualquier sitio web mantenido por el Distrito.

Y POR EL PRESENTE SE NOTIFI-CA ADEMÁS, que dicha votación y elección del presupuesto se llevará a cabo el martes 20 de mayo de 2025, entre las 7:00 a.m. y las 9:00 p.m., hora predominante, en la biblioteca de Center Moriches High School, 311 Frowein Road, Center Moriches, Nueva York, tiempo durante el cual las urnas estarán abiertas para votar mediante máquina de votación sobre los siguientes artículos:

- 1. Adoptar el presupuesto anual del Distrito Escolar para el año fiscal 2025-26 y autorizar que la parte requerida del mismo sea recaudada mediante impuestos sobre el sujeto pasivo propiedad del
- Distrito.
 Elegir dos (2) miembros de la Junta de Educación por un periodo de tres años por cada miembro recién elegido. que comienza el 1 de julio de 2025 y finaliza el 30 de junio de 2028.

Que la Junta de Educación

del Distrito Escolar Unión Libre Center Moriches, en el Por la presente se autoriza al condado de Suffolk, Nueva York (el "Distrito") a renovar el auditorio de la Escuela Secundaria Center Moriches, que incluye, entre otros: reemplazo de asientos, alfombras, cortinas y tableros de sonido; mejoras del piso de cemento, acabado del escenario, instalación de nueva iluminación y otras mejoras relacionadas (el "Proyecto"), y gastar para ello, incluidos los costos preliminares y los costos incidentales a los mismos, por un monto que no exceda los \$1,200,000; y (b) que por la presente se autoriza que se gasten \$1,200,000 de fondos disponibles en el Fondo de Reserva de Capital de 2022, aprobado por los votantes del Distrito el 17 de mayo 2022, más cualquier ganancia por intereses sobre los mismos, para pagar el costo del Proyecto, y por la presente se aprueba dicho gasto.

Y POR EL PRESENTE SE NOTIFI-CA ADEMÁS, que cualquier residente del Distrito puede obtener una copia de la declaración detallada por escrito de la cantidad de dine-ro que se requerirá para financiar el presupuesto del Distrito Escolar para 2025-26, excluyendo los fondos públicos, entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 3:00 p. m. a partir del 6 de mayo de 2025, excepto sábados, domingos o feriados, en la Oficina del Distrito de Center Moriches, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, Nueva York, y en cada escuela del Distrito. Una copia del presupuesto propuesto estará disponible para los residentes del distrito escolar a partir del 6 de trito ubicadas en 529 Main Street. Center Moriches, NY, en el sitio web del Distrito en www.cmschools. org, y en la biblioteca pública local ubicada en 235 Main Street, Center Moriches, NY 11934 durante el horario comercial normal.

Y POR EL PRESENTE SE NOTIFI-CA ADEMÁS, que las peticiones que nominen candidatos para el cargo de miembro de la Junta de Educación se presentarán ante el Secretario de dicho Distrito Escolar en la Oficina del Distrito de Center Moriches, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, Nueva York, a más tardar a las 5:00 p. m., hora predominante,

del lunes 21 de abril de 2025. Las vacantes en la Junta de Educación no se consideran cargos separados y específicos; los candidatos se postulan en general. Las peticiones de nominación no describirán ninguna vacante específica en la Junta para la cual se nomina al candidato; debe dirigirse al Secretario del Distrito: debe estar firmado por al menos 25 votantes calificados del Distrito (que representen el mayor entre 25 votantes calificados o el 2% del número de votantes que votaron en las elecciones anuales de 2024): debe indicar el nombre y residencia de cada firmante, y el nombre y residencia del candidato.

Y POR EL PRESENTE SE NOTIFI-CA ADEMAS, que los candidatos a la Junta de Educación se sortearán el martes 22 de abril de 2025 a las 9:00 a.m., hora predominante, en la oficina del Secretario del Distrito, para determinar su posición en la

POR EL PRESENTE SE NOTI-FICA ADEMÁS, que se requiere el registro personal de los votantes de conformidad con el artículo 2014 de la Ley de Educación o de conformidad con el Artículo 5 de la Lev Electoral. Si un votante se ha registrado hasta ahora de conformidad con la Sección 2014 de la Ley de Educación y ha votado en una reunión anual o especial del distrito dentro de los últimos cuatro (4) años calendario, él o ella es elegible para votar en esta elección. Si un elector está registrado y tiene derecho a votar en virtud del artículo 5 de la Ley Electoral, también tiene derecho a votar en esta elección. Todas las demás personas que deseen votar

deben registrarse. La Junta de Registro se reunirá con el propósito de registrar a todos los votantes calificados del Distrito de conformidad con la Sección 2014 de la Ley de Educación en el Edificio de Administración, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, Nueva York, el jueves 15 de mayo de 2025, entre las 4:00 p.m. y 8:00 p. m., hora prevaleciente, para agregar cualquier nombre adicional al Registro que se utilizará en

la elección antes mencionada, momento en el cual cualquier persona tendrá derecho a que su nombre se incluya en dicho Registro, siempre que en dicha reunión de la Junta de Registro se sepa o se demuestre. a satisfacción de dicha Junta de Registro, que en ese momento o en adelante tiene derecho a votar en la elección para la cual se prepara el registro. Además, la inscripción abierta se llevará a cabo hasta el 15 de mayo de 2025 y los votantes calificados podrán registrarse de 8:00 a m. a 3:00 p. m. De lunes a viernes, en la oficina del Secretario de Distrito ubicada en la Oficina del Distrito de Center Moriches, 529 Main Street Center Moriches, Nueva York. El último día para registrarse será el 15 de mayo de 2025. El registro así preparado de conformidad con la Sección 2014 de la Ley de Educación se presentará en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito, Oficina del Distrito de Center Moriches, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, Nueva York, y estará abierto para inspección por cualquier votante calificado del Distrito a partir del 15 de mayo de 2025, entre las 8:00 a. m. y las 3:00 p. m. p.m., horario vigente, los días laborables y todos los días anteriores al día fijado para la elección, excepto el domingo, y el sábado 17 de mayo de 2025, con

cita previa, y en el(los) lugar(es) de votación el día de la votación. Y POR EL PRESENTE SE NOTI-FICA ADEMÁS, que los votantes militares que no están actualmente registrados pueden solicitar registrarse como votantes calificados del Distrito Escolar Unión Libre enter Moriches solicita devolviendo una solicitud de registro al Secretario del Distrito en persona, por correo a la Oficina del Distrito de Center Moriches, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, Nueva York 11934, por correo electrónico a jbarr@cmschools.org o por fax enviado a 631-878-4326. La solicitud de solicitud de registro puede incluir la preferencia del votante militar de recibir la solicitud de registro por correo, fax o correo electrónico. Los formularios de solicitud de registro de votantes militares deben recibirse en la oficina del Secretario de Distrito a más tardar a las 5:00 p. m. el 24 de abril de 2025.

Y POR EL PRESENTE SE NOTIFI-CA ADEMÁS, que los votantes militares que son votantes calificados del Distrito Escolar Unión Libre de Center Moriches, pueden solicitar una solicitud de boleta militar al Secretario del Distrito en persona, por correo al Edificio de Administración, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, Nueva York, por correo electrónico a jbarr@cmschools.org o por fax enviado al 631-878-4326. En dicha solicitud, el elector militar podrá indicar su preferencia por recibir la solicitud por correo, fax o correo electrónico. Un votante militar debe devolver la solicitud de boleta militar original por correo o en persona a la oficina del Secretario de Distrito en la Oficina del Distrito de Center Moriches, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, Nueva York 11934. Para que a un votante militar se le emita una boleta militar, se debe recibir una solicitud de boleta militar válida en la oficina del Secretario de Distrito a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m. el 24 de abril de 2024. Las solicitudes de boleta militar recibidas de conformidad con lo anterior se procesarán de la misma manera que una solicitud de boleta no militar según la Sección 2018-a de la Ley de Educación. La solicitud de una boleta militar puede incluir la preferencia del votante militar de recibir la boleta militar por correo, fax o correo electrónico.

Y POR EL PRESENTE SE DA AVI-SO ADICIONAL, la boleta militar original de un votante militar debe devolverse por correo o en persona a la oficina del Secretario de Distrito en la Oficina del Distrito de Center Moriches, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, Nueva York 11934. Las boletas militares serán sondeadas son recibidas por el Secretario de Distrito antes del cierre de las urnas el 20 de mayo de 2025 y que muestren una marca de cancelación del Servicio Postal de los Estados Unidos o de un extranjero. servicio postal del país, o mostrando un endoso de recibo fechado por otra agencia del Gobierno de los Estados Unidos; o recibido a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m. el 20 de mayo de 2025 y firmado y fechado por el elector militar y un testigo del mismo, con fecha que se determina no posterior al día anterior a la elección.

Y POR EL PRESENTE SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS, que de conformidad con la Sección 2014 de la Ley de Educación del Estado de Nueva York, la Junta de Registro se reunirá el martes 20 de mayo de 2025, entre las 7:00 a.m. y las 9:00 p.m., hora predominante, en la Biblioteca de Center Moriches High School, Center Moriches, Nueva York para preparar el Registro del Distrito Escolar que se utilizará en la Votación del Presupuesto y Elección que se celebrará en 2026, y cualquier reunión especial de distrito que pueda celebrarse después de la preparación de dicho Registro, momento en el cual cualquier persona tendrá derecho a que su nombre se incluya en dicho Registro siempre que en dicha reunión de dicha Junta de Registro se sepa o se demuestre a satisfacción de dicha Junta de Registro que tiene derecho a votar en ese momento o en adelante en la elección escolar para la cual se prepara dicho Registro, o en cualquier reunión especial de distrito después del 20 de mayo de 2025

Y POR EL PRESENTE SE NOTIFI-CA ADEMÁS, que las solicitudes para boletas de voto en ausencia y anticipadas por correo se pueden obtener durante el horario comercial escolar a través de la Secretaria del Distrito a partir del lunes 21 de abril de 2025; las solicitudes completas deben ser recibidas por el Secretario de Distrito al menos siete (7) días antes de las elecciones, el 13 de por correo al votante, o el día antes de las elecciones, el 19 de mayo de 2025, si la boleta se entregará personalmente al votante o a su agente designado nombrado en la solicitud de boleta de voto en ausencia o por correo anticipado. Si un solicitante o su agente entrega una solicitud para una boleta de voto en ausencia o anticipada por correo después del 13 de mayo de 2025 y a más tardar el día antes de la elección, el Secretario de Distrito entregará la boleta de voto en ausencia o por correo

anticipado cuando el solicitante y/o su agente se presenten en la oficina del Secretario de Distrito el 19 de mayo de 2025 o antes hora vigente, el martes 20 de mayo de 2025. Una lista de las personas a quienes se emiten boletas en ausencia v por correo anticipado estará disponible para su inspección para los votantes calificados del Distrito en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito, Oficina del Distrito, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, Nueva York, a partir del jueves 15 de mayo de 2025, entre las 8:00 a. m. y las 3:00 p. m. los días laborables anteriores al día fijado para la elección anual, y el 20 de mayo de 2025, día fijado para la elección. Cualquier votante calificado presente en el lugar de votación puede oponerse a la votación de la boleta por motivos apropiados haciendo saber su impugnación y las razones por lo tanto al Inspector de Elecciones antes del cierre de las urnas. No se puede impugnar una boleta de voto ausente basándose en que el votante debería haber solicitado una boleta de voto anticipado por correo. No se puede impugnar una boleta anticipada por correo basándose en que el votante debería haber solicitado una boleta en ausencia.

Y POR EL PRESENTE SE NOTIFI-CA ADEMÁS, que de conformidad con una regla adoptada por la Junta de Educación de conformidad con la Sección 2035 de la Ley de Educación, cualquier referéndum o propuesta para enmendar el presupuesto, o que de otro modo se presente para votación en dicha elección, debe presentarse ante el Secretario del Distrito, Junta de Educación Oficina del Distrito de Center Moriches, 529 Main Street, Center Moriches, Nueva York, con tiempo suficiente para permitir que la notificación de la propuesta se incluya en el Aviso al Público. Audiencia, Votación y Elección del Presupuesto requerida por la Sección 2004 de la Ley de Educación o en o antes del 21 de abril de 2025, a las 5:00 p.m., hora vigente: debe estar mecanografiado impreso en idioma inglés; debe dirigirse al Secretario del Distrito Escolar; debe estar firmado por al menos 100 votantes calificados del Distrito; y debe indicar de manera legible el nombre de cada firmante. Sin embargo, la Junta Escolar no considerará ninguna petición para presentar ante los votantes ninguna propuesta cuyo propósito no esté dentro del poder de los votantes para determinar, que sea ilegal o cualquier propuesta que no incluya una asignación específica cuando la propuesta requiera el gasto de dinero, o donde exista otra razón válida para excluir la propuesta de la boleta.

Fecha: Center Moriches, Nueva York 12 de febrero de 2025

Por Orden de la

JUNTA DE EDUCACIÓN DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR CENTER

LIBRE MORICHES

Center Moriches, Nueva York Jeannine Barr, Secretaria de

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION AND BUDGET VOTE BAYPORT-BLUE POINT UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT SUFFOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK May 20, 2025

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual School District Election and Budget Vote for the qualified voters of the Bayport-Blue Point Union Free School District, Suffolk County, New York, will be held in the Bayport-Blue Point High School Gymnasium, 200 Snedecor Avenue, Bayport, New York, in said school district on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, at prevailing time at which time the polls will be open to vote by voting machine upon the following items between the hours of 7:00 a.m.

and 9:00 p.m., prevailing time.

PROPOSITION I. SCHOOL DIS-TRICT BUDGET

To adopt the annual budget of said school district for the fiscal year 2025-2026, and to authorize the requisite portion thereof to be raised by taxation on the taxable property of the District.

PROPOSITION II. CAPITAL RESERVE FUND SHALL the Board of Education,

pursuant to Education Law section 3651, be authorized to establish a

Capital Reserve Fund known as the "Facilities Improvement Program 2025" for the purpose of performing the following capital improvements: instructional and non-instructional space improvements/renovations/ upgrades, (including but not limited to classroom improvements/renovations/upgrades and/or additions to existing facilities), auditorium renovations, gymnasium renovations cafeteria renovations, library/multi media center renovations, exterior renovations/reconstruction, computer/technology upgrades, security system upgrades, plumbing improvements/renovations/upgrades, electrical improvements/renovations/ upgrades, HVAC improvements/ renovations/upgrades, energy efficiency improvements/renovations/ upgrades, including the installation of solar power, improvements/ renovations/upgrades, renovations required for compliance with ADA requirements, vocational and career preparation renovations, portable classroom replacement and/ purchase, roof/gutter/leader replacement, window replacement, masonry/concrete replacement, interior and exterior door/entry ways replacement, toilet room renovations, lighting upgrades, floor replacement, wall replacement, boiler replacements, elevators, carpentry renovations, purchase of buildings/land, site renovations/reconstruction, press box/dugout/field house improvements/renovations/ upgrades, bleacher improvements/ renovations/upgrades, upgrades of signs, athletic field renovations/ reconstruction, turf field renovations, playground renovations, lockers/locker room renovations, public address/clock system replacement, sound system upgrades, telephone system upgrades, hazardous material remediation, storage space renovations, purchase of property furnishings and equipment, including the purchase of vehicles, all of the foregoing to include all labor materials, equipment, apparatus and incidental cost related thereto.

The maximum amount of the aforesaid Capital Reserve Fund shall be \$10,000,000.00, plus investment income. The probable term is to be 10 years; the funds are to be transferred from surplus monies, if any, remaining in the general fund including a sum not to exceed \$2,000,000.00 from the 2024-2025 budget and thereafter in an annual amount of not more than 1,000,000.00 from surplus funds or other established reserves for each remaining year of the probable term. Upon the establishment and funding of said reserve, the Superintendent of Schools or his/her designee shall be directed to deposit monies of this reserve fund in a separate bank account to be known as the "Facilities Improvement Program 2025"

AND to elect members of the Board of Education of said School District as follows

A. One (1) member for a term of three (3) years commencing July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2028, to succeed Brian Johnson, whose term expires June 30, 2025; B. One (1) member for a term of

three (3) years commencing July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2028, to succeed Sandi Kanne, whose term expires June 30, 2025;

One (1) member for a term of three (3) years commencing July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2028, to succeed John Kroog, whose term expires June 30, 2025;

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Budget Hearing will be held on Tuesday, May 6, 2025, at 6:45 p.m. in the auditorium of the Bayport-Blue Point High School, 200 Snedecor Avenue, Bayport, New York, prior to the regular Board of

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that petitions nominating candidates for the office of member of the Board of Education shall be filed by no later than 5:00 PM on April 21, 2025 with the Clerk of said School District at the Bayport-Blue Point Administrative Center, 189 Academy Street, Bayport, New York. Each vacancy is a separate specific office and a separate petition is required to nominate a candidate for each separate office. Such petition must be directed to the Clerk of the District: must be signed by at least twenty-five (25) qualified voters of the district; must state the name and residence of the candidate; and must describe the specific vacancy for which the candidate is nominated, including the length of the term of office and the name of the last incumbent.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that personal registration of voters is required either pursuant to \$2014 of the Education Law or pursuant to Article 5 of the Election Law. If a voter has heretofore registered pursuant to §2014 of the Education Law and has voted at any Annual School District Election and Budget vote or Special District Meeting within the last four (4) years, or if they are eligible to vote under Article 5 of the Election Law, they are also eligible to vote at this election All other persons who wish to vote must register. Continuous registration for the purpose of registering all qualified voters of the District pursuant to §2014 of the Education Law will be held in the Office of the District Clerk, Bayport-Blue Point Administrative Center, 189 Academy Street, Bayport, NY, each day schoo is in session, Monday through Friday, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m., prevailing time, through Thursday, May 15, 2025 to add any additional names to the Register prepared pursuant to \$2014 of the Education Law, at which time any person will be entitled to have their name placed on such register provided that they are known or proven to the satisfaction of said Board of Registration to be then or thereafter entitled to vote at such Annual School District Election and Budget Vote for which the register is prepared and that the register so prepared pursuant to \$2014 of the Education Law and the registration list prepared by the Board of Elec tions of Suffolk County will be filed in the Office of the Clerk of the School District, Bayport-Blue Point Administrative Center, 189 Academy Street, Bayport, and will be open for inspection by any qualified voter of the district between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. (Saturday, by appointment, between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.), prevailing time, on and after Thursday, May 15, 2025, and each of the days prior to the date set for the Annual School District Election and Budget Vote, except Sunday, including the day set for the

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications for early mail or absentee ballots for the election of school board members and propositions may be applied for at the Office of the Clerk of the District, Administrative Center at 189 Academy Street, Bayport, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m., prevailing time on any school day. An application for an early mail or absentee ballot must be received by the District Clerk no earlier than thirty (30) days before the date of the vote/election. Such application must be received by the District Clerk at least seven (7) days before the election if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the election if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter or their designated agent. Upon receiving a timely application for a mailed early vote or absentee ballot, the District Clerk will mail the ballot to the address designated on the application by no later than six (6) days before the vote/election. early mail or absentee voter's ballot shall be canvassed unless it shall have been received at the Office of the Clerk of the School District not later than 5:00 p.m., prevailing time, on the date of the election. A list of all persons to whom early mail or absentee ballots shall have been issued will be available in the said office of the Clerk on each of the vote/election and during regular office hours until the date of the election

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that pursuant to the provision of §2014 of the Education Law of the State of New York, the Board of Registration will meet on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, at the Bay-port-Blue Point High School Gymnasium, 200 Snedecor Avenue, Bayport, New York, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m. prevailing time, to prepare the Register of the school district to be used for meetings or elections held subsequent to the Annual School District Election

and Budget Vote or election after the preparation of said Register, at which time any person may be entitled to have their name placed on such Register provided that at such meeting of the Board of Registration they are known or proven to the satisfaction of said Board of Registration to be then or thereafter entitled to vote at the school meeting or election for which said Register is so prepared. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN that a copy of the statement of the amount of money which will be required for the ensuing year for school purposes may be obtained by any taxpayer during the fourteen (14) days immediatepreceding such Annual School District Election and Budget Vote except Saturday, Sunday, or holiday at the Bayport-Blue Point Adminis trative Center, 189 Academy Street, Bayport, and at each school house in said district in which school is maintained between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. prevailing time, as follows:

Bayport-Blue Point High School, 200 Snedecor Avenue, Bayport

Academy Street Elem. School, 150

Svlvan Avenue Elem, School, 600 Sylvan Avenue, Bayport

James Wilson Young Middle School, 602 Sylvan Avenue, Bayport Academy Street, Bayport Blue Point Elem. School, 212 Blue Point Ave., Blue Point AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, pursuant to Chapter 258 of the Laws of 2008, Section 495 was added to the Real Property Tax Law and requires the School District to attach to its proposed budget an exemption report. Said exemption report will show how much of the total assessed on the final assessment roll used in the budgetary process is exempt from taxation. The report will list every type of exemption granted, identified by statutory authority, and will show the cumulative impact of each type of exemption expressed either as a dollar amount assessed value or as a percentage of the total assessed value on the roll, the cumulative amount expected to be received from recipients of each type of exemption as payments in lieu of taxes (PILOT) or other payments for municipal services and the cumulative impact of all exemptions granted. This exemption report shall be posted on any bulletin board maintained by the District for public notices and on the website maintained by the District. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that military voters who are not currently registered may apply to register as a qualified voter the school district. Military voters who are qualified voters of the school district may submit an application for a military ballot. Military voters may designate a preference to receive a military voter registration, military ballot application or military ballot by mail, facsimile transmission or electronic mail in their request for such registration, ballot application or ballot. Military voter registration application forms must be received in the Office of the District Clerk no than 5:00 p.m. on April 24, 2025. Military ballot applications must be received in the Office of the District Clerk by mail or in person by also no later than 5:00 p.m. on April 24, 2025. No military ballot will be canvassed unless returned by mail or in person and (1) received in the Office of the District Clerk before the close of the polls on election day and showing a cancellation mark of the United States postal service or a foreign country's postal service, or showing a dated endorsement of receipt by another agency of the United States Office of the District Clerk by no later than 5:00 p.m. on election day and signed and dated by the military voter and one witness thereto, with a date which is associated be not later than the day before the election.

March 12, 2025 Suzanne Bonetti District Clerk Board of Education Bayport-Blue Point U.F.S.D. Suffolk County, New York AVISO DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR DE ELECCIONES & VOTACIÓN

ANNUAL DEL PRESUPUESTO DISTRITO ESCOLAR DE BAY-

PORT-BLUE POINT CONDADO DE SUFFOLK, NUEVA YORK

20 de mayo de 2025

POR LA PRESENTE SE NOTIFICA que la Elección Anual del Distrito Escolar y la Votación Presupuestaria para los votantes calificados del Distrito Escolar de Bayport-Blue Point, Condado de Suffolk, Nueva York, se llevará a cabo en el Gimnasio de la Escuela Secundaria Bayport-Blue Point, 200 Snedecor Avenue, Bayport, Nueva York, en dicho distrito escolar el Martes 20 de Mayo de 2025, a las 6:45 a.m. hora prevaleciente, En ese momento, las urnas estarán abiertas para votar por máquina de votación en los siguientes puntos entre las 7:00 a.m. y las 9:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente. <u>PROPUESTA I.</u> PRESUPUESTO DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR

Adoptar el presupuesto anual de dicho distrito escolar para el año fiscal 2025-2026, y autorizar que la porción requerida del mismo se aumente mediante impuestos sobre la propiedad sujeta a impuestos del

PROPUESTA II. FONDO DE RESERVA DE CAPITAL

¿DEBERÍA la Junta de Educación, de conformidad con la sección 3651 de la Ley de Educación, establecer un Fondo de Reserva de Capital conocido como el "Programa de Mejora de Instalaciones 2025" con propósito de realizar las siguientes mejoras de capital: mejoras/ renovaciones/actualizaciones de espacios educativos y no instructivos (incluidas, entre otras, mejoras/renovaciones/actualizaciones de aulas y/o adiciones a las instalaciones existentes), renovaciones de auditorios, renovaciones de gimnasios, renovaciones de cafeterías, renovaciones de bibliotecas/ centros multimedia, renovaciones/ reconstrucciones exteriores, actualizaciones de computadoras/tecnología, actualizaciones de sistemas de seguridad, mejoras/renovaciones/ actualizaciones de plomería, meioras/renovaciones/actualizaciones eléctricas, mejoras/renovaciones/ actualizaciones de HVAC, mejoras/ renovaciones/actualizaciones de eficiencia energética/renovaciones/ actualizaciones, incluida la instalación de energía solar, mejoras/ renovaciones/actualizaciones, renovaciones requeridas para cumplir con los requisitos de la ADA, renovaciones vocacionales y de preparación profesional, reemplazo y/o compra de aulas portátiles, reemplazo de techo/canalón/líder. reemplazo de ventanas, reemplazo de mampostería/concreto, reemplazo de puertas/entradas interiores y exteriores, renovaciones de baños, mejoras de iluminación, reemplazo de pisos, reemplazo de paredes, reemplazos de calderas, ascensores, renovaciones de carpintería, com-pra de edificios/terrenos, renovaciones/reconstrucción de sitios, caja de prensa/dugout/casa de campo mejoras/renovaciones/mejoras, mejoras/renovaciones/mejoras de las gradas, mejoras de letreros, renovaciones/reconstrucción de campos deportivos, renovaciones de campos de césped, renovaciones de parques infantiles, renovaciones de casilleros/vestuarios, reemplazo del sistema de megafonía/reloj, actu-alizaciones del sistema de sonido, actualizaciones del sistema telefóniremediación de materiales peligrosos, renovaciones de espacios de almacenamiento, compra de muebles y equipos de la propie-dad, incluida la compra de vehículos, todo lo anterior incluye toda la mano de obra, materiales, equipos, aparatos y costos incidentales relacionados con los mismos. El monto máximo del mencionado

Fondo de Reserva de Capital será de \$10,000,000.00, más ingresos de inversión. El plazo probable será de 10 años; Los fondos se transferirán de los fondos excedentes, si los hubiera, que permanezcan en el Fondo General, incluida una suma que no exceda los \$ 2,000,000.00 del presupuesto 2024-2025 y, posteriormente, en un monto anual de no más de 1,000,000.00 de fondos excedentes u otras reservas establecidas para cada año restante del plazo probable. Tras el establecimiento y financiamiento de dicha reserva, se ordenará al Superinten-

dente de Escuelas o a su designado que deposite el dinero de este fondo de reserva en una cuenta bancaria separada que se conocerá como el "Programa de Mejora de Instala-ciones 2025"

Y para elegir a los miembros de la Junta de Educación de dicho Distrito Escolar de la siguiente manera:

A. Un (1) miembro por un período de tres (3) años a partir del 1 de Julio de 2025 y hasta el 30 de Junio de 2028, para suceder a Brian Johnson, cuyo mandato vence el 30 de Junio de 2025;

B. Un (1) miembro por un período de tres (3) años a partir del 1 de Julio de 2025 y hasta el 30 de Junio de 2028, para suceder a Sandi Kanne, cuyo mandato vence el 30 de Junio de 2025;

C. Un (1) miembro por un período de tres (3) años a partir del 1 de Julio de 2025 y hasta el 30 de Junio de 2028, para suceder a John Kroog, cuyo mandato vence el 30 de Junio

POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADICIONAL de que se llevará a cabo una Audiencia de Presupuesto el martes 6 de mayo de 2025 a las 6:45 p.m. en el auditorio de la Escuela Secundaria Bayport-Blue Point, 200 Snedecor Avenue, Bayport, Nueva York, antes de la reunión regular de

la Junta de Educación. Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADICIONAL de que las peticiones de nominación de candidatos para el cargo de miembro de la Junta de Educación se presentarán a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m. del 21 de Abril de 2025 ante el Secretario de dicho Distrito Escolar en el Centro Administrativo Bayport-Blue Point, 189 Academy Street, Bayport, Nueva York. Cada vacante es un cargo específico separado y se requiere una petición separada para nominar a un candidato para cada cargo separado. Dicha petición debe dirigirse al Secretario del Distrito; debe estar firmada por al menos veinticinco (25) votantes calificados del distrito; debe indicar el nombre y la residen-cia del candidato; y debe describir la vacante específica para la que se postula al candidato, incluida la duración del mandato y el nombre

del último titular. Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADICIONAL de que se requiere el registro personal de los votantes ya sea de conformidad con la Sección 2014 de la Ley de Educación o de conformidad con el Artículo 5 de la Ley Electoral. Si un votante se ha registrado hasta ahora de conformidad con §2014 de la Ley de Educación y ha votado en cualquier votación anual de la Elección y el Presupuesto del Distrito Escolar o en la reunión especial del distrito dentro de los últimos cuatro (4) años, o si es elegible para votar según el Artículo 5 de la Ley Electoral, también es elegible para votar en esta elección. Todas las demás personas que deseen votar deben registrarse. El registro continuo con el propósito de registrar a todos El registro continuo los votantes calificados del Distrito de conformidad con §2014 de la Ley de Educación se llevará a cabo en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito, Centro Administrativo Bayport-Blue Point, 189 Academy Street, Bayport, NY, cada día que la escuela está en sesión, de Lunes a Viernes, entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 2:00 p.m., hasta el Jueves 15 de Mayo de 2025 para agregar cualquier nombre adicional al Registro preparado de conformidad con §2014 de la Ley de Educación, momento en el cual cualquier persona tendrá derecho a que su nombre se coloque en dicho registro, siempre que se sepa o se demuestre a satisfacción de dicha Junta de Registro que tiene derecho a votar en dicha Elección Anual del Distrito Escolar y Votación Presutaria nara el cual se prepara el resitro, y que el registro así preparado de conformidad con §2014 de la Ley de Educación y la lista de registro preparada por la Junta Electoral del Condado de Suffolk se archivará en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito Escolar, Centro Administrativo Bayport-Blue Point, 189 Academy Street, Bayport, y estará abierto para inspección por cualquier votante calificado del distrito entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 2:00 p.m. (Sábado, con cita previa, entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 12:00 p.m.), hora prevaleciente, a partir del Jueves 15 de Mayo de 2025, y cada uno de los días anteri-

ores a la fecha establecida para la

Elección Anual del Distrito Escolar y la Votación del Presupuesto, excepto el Domingo, incluido el día establecido para la reunión. POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO

ADICIONAL de que las solicitudes de boletas por correo anticipado o en ausencia para la elección de miembros de la junta escolar y proposiciones se pueden solicitar en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito, Centro Administrativo en 189 Academy Street, Bayport, entre las horas de 8:00 a.m. y 3:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente en cualquier día escolar. Una solicitud para una boleta de voto anticipado por correo o en ausencia debe ser recibida por el Secretario del Distrito no antes de treinta (30) días antes de la fecha de la votación/elección. Dicha solicitud debe ser recibida por el Secretario del Distrito al menos siete (7) días antes de la elección si la boleta se va a enviar por correo al votante, o el día antes de la elección si la boleta se va a entregar personalmente al votante o a su agente designado. Al recibir una solicitud oportuna para una boleta de voto anticipado o en ausencia enviada por correo, el Secretario del Distrito enviará la boleta a la dirección designada en la solicitud a más tardar seis (6) días antes de la votación/elección. No se realizará un escrutinio de ninguna boleta de voto por correo anticipado o de votante ausente a menos que se haya recibido en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito Escolar a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente, en la fecha de la elección. Una lista de todas las personas a las que se les habrá emitido una boleta de voto anticipado por correo o en ausencia estará disponible en la oficina del Secretario en cada uno de los cinco (5) días anteriores a la fecha de la votación/elección y durante el horario de oficina regular hasta la fecha de la elección. Y POR LA PRESENTE SE NOTI-

FICA que, de conformidad con la disposición de §2014 de la Ley de Educación del Estado de Nueva York, la Junta de Registro se reunirá el Martes 20 de Mayo de 2025 en el Gimnasio de la Escuela Secundaria Bayport-Blue Point, 200 Snedecor Avenue, Bayport, Nueva York, entre las 7:00 a.m. y las 9:00 p.m., hora vigente, para preparar el Registro del distrito escolar que se utilizará para las reuniones o elecciones que se celebren después de la Elección Anual del Distrito Escolar y la Votación del Presupuesto o la elección después de la preparación de dicho Registro, momento en el cual cualquier persona puede tener derecho a que su nombre se coloque en dicho Registro siempre que en dicha reunión de la Junta de Registro se sepa o se demuestre a satisfacción de dicha Junta de Registro que tienen en ese momento, o en lo sucesivo, derecho a votar en la reunión escolar o elección para la cual se prepara dicho Registro.

Y SE NOTÍFICA ADEMÃS POR LA PRESENTE que cualquier contribuyente puede obtener una copia de la declaración de la cantidad de dinero que se requerirá para el año siguiente para fines escolares durante los catorce (14) días inmediatamente anteriores a dicha Elección Anual del Distrito Escolar y Votación del Presupuesto, excepto Sábado, Domingo o feriado en el Centro Administrativo de Bayport-Blue Point, 189 Academy Street, Bay-port, y en cada casa escolar en dicho distrito en la que se mantenga la escuela entre las 10:00 a.m. v las 3:00 p.m. hora prevaleciente, de la siguiente manera:

Escuela Secundaria Bayport-Blue Point, 200 Snedecor Avenue, Bay-

Escuela Secundaria James Wilson Young, 602 Sylvan Avenue, Bayport Primaria 150 Academy Street, Bayport Escuela Primaria Blue Point, 212 Blue Point Ave., Blue Point Escuela Primaria Sylvan Avenue, 600 Sylvan Avenue, Bayport Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADICIONAL, de conformidad con el Capítulo 258 de las Leyes de 2008, la Sección 495 se agregó a la Ley del Impuesto sobre la Propiedad Inmobiliaria y requiere que el Distrito Escolar adjunte a su presupuesto propuesto un informe de exen-Dicho informe de exención mostrará qué parte del valor total de tasación en el registro de liquidación

final utilizado en el proceso presu-

puestario está exento de impuestos. El informe enumerará cada tipo de exención otorgada, identificada por la autoridad estatutaria, y mostrará el impacto acumulativo de cada tipo de exención expresado ya sea como un monto en dólares del valor tasado o como un porcentaje del valor tasado total en la lista, el monto acumulado que se espera recibir de los beneficiarios de cada tipo de exención como pagos en lugar de impuestos (PILOT) u otros pagos por servicios municipales. y el impacto acumulativo de todas las exenciones concedidas. Este informe de exención se publicará en cualquier tablón de anuncios mantenido por el Distrito para avisos públicos y en el sitio web mantenido por el Distrito. Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO

ADICIONAL, de que los votantes militares que no están registrados actualmente pueden solicitar registrarse como votantes calificados del distrito escolar. Los votantes militares que son votantes calificados del distrito escolar pueden presentar una solicitud para una boleta militar. Los votantes militares pueden designar una preferencia para recibir un registro de votante militar, una solicitud de boleta militar o una boleta militar por correo, transmisión de fax o correo electrónico en su solicitud de dicho registro, solicitud de boleta o boleta. Los formularios de solicitud de registro de votantes militares deben recibirse en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito no más tarde de las 5:00 p.m. del 24 de abril de 2025. Las solicitudes de boletas militares deben recibirse en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito por correo o en persona a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m. del 24 de abril de 2025. No se realizará un escrutinio militar a menos que se devuelva por correo o en persona y (1) se reciba en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito antes del cierre de las urnas el día de las elecciones y muestre una marca de cancelación del servicio postal de los Estados Unidos o del servicio postal de un país extranjero, o muestre un endoso fechado de recepción por otra agencia del gobierno de los Estados Unidos; o (2) recibido por la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m. del día de las elecciones y firmado y fechado por el votante militar y un testigo del mismo, con una fecha asociada que no sea posterior al día anterior a la elección. Fechado: 12 de Marzo de 2025 Suzanne Bonetti Secretario de Distrito

Bayport-Blue Point U.F.S.D. Condado de Suffolk, Nueva York LIA, 20251069, 4/24 - 5/1, 8, 15 | NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING,

PATCHOGUE-MEDFORD UNION

Junta de Educación

FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT TOWN OF BROOKHAVEN, SUF-FOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing of the qualified voters of Patchogue-Medford Union Free School District, Town of Brookhaven, Suffolk County,, New York, will be held at Patchogue-Medford High School, 181 Buffalo Ave, Medford, New York, in said District on Wednesday May 7, 2025 at 7:00 p.m., prevailing time, for the transaction of such business as is authorized by the New York State Education Law, including the following items.

- 1. Presentation of the budget document.
- To discuss all of the items herein set forth, to be voted upon by voting machine, at the election to be held on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, as hereinafter set forth.
- To transact such other ess as i come before the meeting

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that said vote and election will be held on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, at 7:00 a.m. prevailing time, in the school buildings located in such districts as enumerated below:

District No. 1: South Ocean Middle School 225 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, New York District No. 2: Medford Elementary School 281 Medford Avenue, Patchogue, New York

District No. 3: Saxton Middle

School

121 Street, Saxton Patchogue, New York District No. 4: Tremont Elementary School 145 Tremont Av Medford, New York strict No. 5: District Eagle Elementary School 1000 Wave Av Medford, New York, Avenue,

at which time the polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., prevailing time, to vote by voting machines upon the following items:

- 1. To elect two (2) members of the Board of Education, at large, for a term of three (3) years commencing July 1,
- 2. To vote upon the following proposition: PROPOSITION 1: SCHOOL

DISTRICT BUDGET "Shall the Patchogue-Medford School District budget for fiscal year 2025-2026 be adopted and the requisite portion thereof raised by taxation on the taxable property of the District?" AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN that petitions nominating candidates for the office of Member of the Board of Education of the Patchogue-Medford Union Free School District shall be filed with the District Clerk of said School District at the District Clerk's office, Administrative Center, 241 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, New York not later than Monday, April 21, 2025, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., prevailing time. All nominating petitions must be signed by at least 25 qualified votes of the District or 2% of the number of voters who voted in the 2024 School District election, whichever is greater); must state the name and residence of each signer, and must state the name and residence of the candidate. Vacancies on the Board of Education shall not be considered separate, specific offices; candidates run at large. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN that personal registration of voters is required either pursuant to New York Education Law §2014 or pursuant to Article 5 of the New York State Election Law. If a voter has heretofore registered pursuant to New York Education Law §2014 and has voted at any annual or spe cial district meeting within the past four (4) calendar years, such voter is eligible to vote at this election: if a voter is registered and eligible to vote pursuant to Article 5 of the New York State Election Law, such voter is also eligible to vote at this election. All other persons wish to vote must register. Voters may register on any school day prior to May 12, 2025, at the Administrative Center, 241 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, New York, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., prevailing time, to add any additional names to the registers to be used at the aforesaid election, at which time any person will be entitled to have her or his name placed on such registers provided that at the meeting of the Board of Registration he or she is known, or proven to the satisfaction of the Board of Registration to be then or thereafter entitled to vote at such public hearing or election for which such registers are prepared, and that the registers so prepared pursuant to New York Education Law §2014 and the registration list prepared by the Board of Elections of Suffolk County be filed in the Office of the District Clerk of the School District, Administrative Center, 241 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, New York, and will be open for inspection by any qualified voter of the District on weekdays between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., prevailing time, on and pre-arranged appointment, except Sunday; AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN that pursuant to New York Education Law §2014, the Board of Registration shall meet on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, in the school buildings designated for each election district between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m., prevailing time, to prepare the Register of the School District to be used at the annual meeting and election that is to be held in the school year 2025-2026, and any special meeting that may be held after the preparation of said Register, at which time any

person will be entitled to have her or his name placed on such Register, provided

that at such meeting of the Board of Registration he or she is known or proven to the satisfaction of such Board of Registration to be then or thereafter entitled to vote at the school meeting or election for which such Register is prepared.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that qualified voters with disabilities who seek information about access to polling places may, in advance of the day of the vote contact the District Clerk at (631) 687-6370 for information about accessibility

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that pursuant to Education Law §2017 of the State of New York, the Board of Education has divided the Patchogue-Medford Union Free School District into five (5) election districts, said districts being bounded and described as follows:

District No. 1: All that portion of the Patchogue-Medford Union Free School District bounded on the south by the Great South Bay: on the east by the easterly boundary line of the District; on the north by the center of Main Street, also known as Montauk Highway; and on the west the westerly boundary line of the District.

District No. 2: All that portion of the Patchogue-Medford Union Free School District bounded on the south by the center line of Main Street, also known as Montauk Highway; on the east by the easterly boundary line of the District; on the north by the center line of the Sunrise Highway; on the west by the westerly boundary line of the District.

District No. 3: All that portion of the Patchogue-Medford Union Free School District bounded on the south by the center line of the Sunrise Highway: on the east by the easterly boundary line of the District; on the north by the center line of Woodside Avenue; and on the west by the westerly

boundary line of the District.
District No. 4: All that portion of
the Patchogue-Medford Union Free School District bounded on the south by the center line of Woodside Avenue; on the east by the easterly boundary line of the District; on the north by the center line of the main line of the right-of-way of the Long Island Railroad; and on the west by the westerly boundary line of the District.

District No. 5: All that portion of the Patchogue-Medford Union Free School District bounded on the south by the center line of the main line of the right-of-way of the Long Island Railroad; on the east by the easterly boundary line of the District; on the north by the northerly boundary line of the District; and on the west by the westerly boundary line of the District. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN that beginning seven (7) days immediately preceding May 7, 2025, public budget hearing, any resident in the District may request to review a copy of the proposed budget by appearing at the Office of the District Clerk Administrative Center, 241 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, New York 11772. Additionally, a statement of the estimated expenses for the ensuing year may be obtained by any resident in the District during the fourteen (14) days immediately preceding said election on the school district website (www.pmschools.org), at the Patchogue-Medford Library during its normal hours of operation ed at 54-60 East Main Street, Patchogue, New York, at the School District Administrative Center, 241 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, New York, and at each of the following school buildings in which school is maintained between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., prevailing time, except Saturdays, Sundays and holidays:

Barton Elementary School, Barton Avenue, Patchogue, New York; Bay Elementary School, Bay Avenue, Patchogue, New York;

Canaan Elementary School, Fry Boulevard, Patchogue, New York; Eagle Elementary School, Wave Avenue, Medford, New York; Medford Elementary School, Medford Avenue, Patchogue, New York; Oregon Middle School, Oregon Ave-

nue, Medford, New York; Patchogue-Medford High School,

Buffalo Avenue, Medford, New York; River Elementary School, River Ave-

nue, Patchogue, New York; Saxton Middle School, Street, Patchogue, New York; South Ocean Middle School, 225

South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, New York: and Tremont Elementary School, Tremont Avenue, Medford,

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that pursuant to Real Property Tax Law Section 495, the School District is required to attach to its proposed budget an exemption report. Said exemption report, which will also become part of the final budget, will show how much of the total assessed value on the final assessment roll used in the budgetary process is exempt from taxation, list every type of exemption granted, identified by statutory authority, and show: (a) the cumulative impact of each type of exemption expressed either as a dollar amount of assessed value or as a percentage of the total assessed value on the roll; (b) the cumulative amount expected to be received from recipients of each type of exemption as payments in lieu of taxes or other payments for municipal services; and (c) the cumulative impact of all exemptions granted. The exemption report shall be posted on any bulletin board maintained by the District for public notices and on any web-

site maintained by the District.
AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that applications for absentee and early mail ballots will be obtainable during school business hours at the office of the District Clerk beginning April 21, 2025. In accordance with Education Law §§ 2018-a and 2018-e, completed absentee and early mail ballot applications may not be received by the District Clerk earlier than thirty (30) days prior to the election, and must be received by the District Clerk at least seven (7) days before the election if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the election, if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter or to the agent named in the absentee or early mail ballot application. Absentee and early mail ballots must be received by the District Clerk not later than 5:00 p.m., prevailing time, on Tuesday, May 20, 2025. A list of persons to whom absen-

tee ballots shall have been issued, and a list of all persons to whom early mail voter's ballots shall have been issued, will be available for inspection to qualified voters of the District in the office of the District Clerk on and after May 15, 2025, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on weekdays prior to the day set for the annual election and on Saturday, May 17, 2025, by advanced appointment by contacting the District Clerk at (631) 687-6370 and on May 20, 2025, the day set for the election. Any qualified voter may, upon examination of such lists, file a written challenge of the qualifications as a voter of any person whose name appears on such lists, stating the reasons for such challenge. Any such written challenge shall be transmitted by the District Clerk or a designee of the Board of Education to the inspectors of election on election

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that military voters who are not currently registered may apply to register as a qualified vo er of the Patchogue-Medford Union Free School District by requesting and returning a registration application to the District Clerk in person, or by email to TDeLeva@ pmschools.org or fax sent to (631) 687-6369. The request for the registration application may include the military voter's preference for receipt of the registration application by either mail, fax or email. Military voter registration application forms must be received in the office of the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on April 24, 2025. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN, that military voters who

are qualified voters of the Patchogue-Medford Union Free School District may request an application for a military ballot from the District Clerk and return such military ballot application to the District Člerk in person, or by email to TDeLeva@ pmschools.org or fax sent to (631) 687-6369. For a military voter to be issued a military ballot, a valid military ballot application must be received in the office of the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m., on April 24, 2025. Military ballot applications received in accordance with the foregoing will be processed in the same manner as a non-military ballot application under Section 2018-a of the Education Law. The application for military ballot may include the military voter's preference for receipt of the military ballot by mail, fax, or email. A military voter's original military ballot application and military ballot must be returned by mail or in person to the office of the District Clerk at 241 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, New York, along with the required signed affidavit by the voter.
AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN, that military ballots shall be canvassed if they are received by the District Clerk before the close of polls on May 20, 2025, showing a cancellation mark of the United States Postal Service or a foreign country's postal service, or showing a dated endorsement of receipt by another agency of the United States Government; or received not later than 5:00 p.m. on May 20, 2025, and signed and dated by the military voter and one witness thereto, with a date which is ascertained to be not later than the day before the election.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that pursuant to a rule adopted by the Board of Education in accordance with New York Education Law §2035, any referenda or propositions to amend the budget, or otherwise to be submitted for voting at said election, must be filed with the District Clerk at 241 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, New York, not later than 5:00 p.m., prevailing time, on March 21, 2025. All such petitions must be typed or printed in the English language; must be directed to the Clerk of the School District; must be signed by at least one hundred (100) qualified voters of the district; and must legibly state the name of each signer. However, the Board of Education will not entertain any petition to place before the voters any proposition, the purpose of which is not within the powers of the voters to determine, nor any proposition or amendment which is contrary to

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that those voters seeking information regarding this Budget Vote and Election in Spanish should contact the Office of the Superintendent of Schools at (631) 687-6380. THERESA DELEVA

District Clerk of the Board of Education Patchogue-Medford U.F.S.D. Administrative Center 241 South Ocean Avenue Patchogue, New York 11772 Town of Brookhaven County of Suffolk AVISO DE AUDIENCIA PÚBLICA, VOTACIÓN PRESUPUESTARIA Y ELECCIÓN DISTRITO ESCOLAR LIBRE DE LA UNIÓN DE PAT-

CHOGUE-MEDFORD CIUDAD DE

BROOKHAVEN, CONDADO DE SUFFOLK, NUEVA YORK POR LA PRESÉNTE SE NOTIFICA que se llevará a cabo una audiencia pública de los votantes calificados del Distrito Escolar Libre de Patchogue-Medford Union, Ciudad de Brookhaven, Condado de Suffolk, ia Patchogue-Medford, 181 Buffalo Ave, Medford, Nueva Ýork, en dicho Distrito el miércoles 7 de mayo de 2025 a las 7:00 p.m., en el momento prevaleciente, para la transacción de dichos negocios según lo autorizado por la Ley de Educación del Estado de Nueva York, incluidos los siguientes elementos.

1. Presentación del documento

- ${\it de\ presupuesto}.$
- 2. Discutir todos los puntos aquí expuestos, para ser votados por máquina de votación, en la elección que se llevará a cabo el martes 20 de mayo de 2025, como se establece a

continuación. Para tratar cualquier otro asunto que pueda presentarse adecuadamente antes de la

reunión Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADICIONAL de que dicha votación y elección se llevará a cabo el martes

20 de mayo de 2025, a las 7:00 a.m., hora prevaleciente, en los edificios escolares ubicados en los distritos

que se enumeran a continuación: Distrito Nº 1: Escuela Secundaria

South Ocean 225 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, Nueva York

Distrito No. 2: Escuela Primaria Medford

Medford Avenue, Patchogue, Nueva York Distrito Escuela No. 3:

Secundaria Saxton 121 Saxton Street, Patchogue, Nueva York

Distrito Nº 4: Escuela Primaria Tremont 145 Tremont Avenue,

Medford, Nueva York Distrito Nº 5: Escuela Primaria

1000 Wave Avenue, Medford, Nueva York, Momento en el cual las urnas

estarán abiertas de 7:00 a.m. a 9:00 $\,$ p.m., hora vigente, para votar por máquinas de votación sobre los siguientes ítems:
1. Elegir a dos (2) miembros de la

Junta de Educación, en general, por un período de tres (3) años a partir del 1 de julio de 2025.

2. Votar la siguiente proposición: PROPOSICIÓN 1: PRESUPUESTO DEL DISTRITO

ESCOLAR "¿Se debe adoptar el presupuesto del Distrito Escolar de Patchogue-Medford para el año fiscal 2025-2026 y aumentar la parte requerida del mismo mediante impuestos sobre

nipuestos sobre la propiedad imponible del Distrito?" Y SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS POR LA

PRESENTE que las peticiones de nominación de candidatos para el cargo de Miembro de la Junta de Educación del Distrito Escolar Libre de la Unión de Patchogue-Medford se presentarán ante el Secretario del Distrito de dicho Distrito en la oficina del Secretario del Distrito, Centro Administrativo, 241 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, Nueva York a más tardar el lunes, 21 de abril de 2025, entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 5:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente Todas las peticiones de nominación deben estar firmadas por al menos 25 votos calificados del Distrito o el 2% del número de votantes que votaron en las elecciones del Distrito Escolar de 2024, lo que sea mayor); debe indicar el nombre y la residencia de cada firmante, y debe indicar el nombre y la residencia del candidato. Las vacantes en la Junta de Educación no se considerarán cargos separados y específicos; Los candidatos se postulan en general. Y POR LA PRESENTE SE NOTI-FICA ADICIONALMENTE que se requiere el registro personal de los votantes de conformidad con la Lev de Educación de Nueva York §2014 o de conformidad con el Artículo 5 de la Ley Electoral del Estado de Nueva York. Si un votante se ha registrado hasta ahora de conformidad con la Ley de Educación de Nueva York §2014 y ha votado en cualquier reunión anual o especial del distrito dentro de los últimos cuatro (4) años calendario, dicho votante es elegible para votar en esta elección; si un votante está registrado y es elegible para votar de conformidad con el Artículo 5 de la Ley Electoral del Estado de Nueva York, dicho votante también es elegible para votar en esta elección. Todas las demás personas aue deseen votar dehen registrars Los votantes pueden registrarse en cualquier día escolar antes del 12 de mayo de 2025, en el Centro Administrativo, 241 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, Nueva York, entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 4:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente, para agregar cualquier nombre adicional a los registros que se utilizarán en la elección antes mencionada, momento en el cual cualquier persona tendrá derecho a que su nombre se coloque en dichos registros siempre que en la reunión de la Junta de la Inscripción se sabe o se demuestra a satisfacción de la Junta de Registro que tiene derecho

a votar en dicha audiencia pública

o elección para la cual se preparan dichos registros, y que los registros así preparados de conformidad con la Ley de Educación de Nueva York §2014 y la lista de registro preparada por la Junta Electoral del Condado de Suffolk se presenten en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito de la Escuela Distrito, Centro Administrativo, 241 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, Nueva York, y estará abierto para inspección por parte de cualquier votante calificado del Distrito los días de semana entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 4:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente, a partir del 12 de mayo de 2025, y los sábados con cita previa, excepto los domingos

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE NOTIFI-CA que, de conformidad con la Ley de Educación de Nueva York §2014 la Junta de Registro se reunirá el martes 20 de mayo de 2025 en los edificios escolares designados para cada distrito electoral entre las horas de 7:00 a.m. y 9:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente, para preparar el Registro del Distrito Escolar que se utilizará en la reunión anual v la elección que se llevará a cabo en el año escolar 2025-2026, y cualquier reunión especial que pueda celebrarse después de la preparación de dicho Registro, en la que cualquier persona tendrá derecho a que su nombre se coloque en dicho Registro, siempre que en dicha reunión de la Junta de Registro se sepa o se demuestre a satisfacción de dicha Junta de Registro que tiene derecho a votar en la reunión escolar o elección para la cual se encuentra dicho

Registro está preparado. Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVI-SO ADICIONAL de que los votantes calificados con discapacidades que buscan información sobre el acceso a los lugares de votación pueden, antes del día de la votación, comunicarse con el Secretario del Distrito al (631) 687-6370 para obtener información sobre la accesibilidad.

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADICIONAL de que, de conformidad con la Ley de Educación §2017 del Estado de Nueva York, la Junta de Educación ha dividido el Distrito Escolar Libre de Patchogue-Medford Union en cinco (5) distritos electorales, dichos distritos están delimitados y descritos de la sigui-

Distrito No. 1: Toda la porción del Distrito Escolar Libre de la Unión de Patchogue-Medford delimitada al sur por la Gran Bahía del Sur; al este por la línea fronteriza oriental del Distrito; al norte por el centro de la calle principal, también conocida como Montauk Highway; y al oeste por la línea fronteriza occidental del Distrito.

Distrito No. 2: Toda la porción del Distrito Escolar Libre de la Unión de Patchogue-Medford delimitada al sur por la línea central de Main Street, también conocida como Montauk Highway; al este por la línea fronteriza oriental del Distrito; al norte por la línea central de la unrise Highway; al oeste por la línea fronteriza occidental del Distrito.

Distrito No. 3: Toda la porción del Distrito Escolar Libre de la Unión de Patchogue-Medford delimitada al sur por la línea central de la Autopista Sunrise; al este por la línea fronteriza oriental del Distrito; al norte por la línea central de la Avenida Woodside; y al oeste por la línea fronteriza occidental del Distrito.

Distrito No. 4: Toda la porción del Distrito Escolar Libre de la Unión Patchogue-Medford delimitade sur por la línea central de la Avenida Woodside; al este por la línea fronteriza oriental del Distrito; al norte por la línea central de la línea principal del derecho de paso del Ferrocarril de Long Island; y al oeste por la línea fronteriza occidental del Distrito.

Distrito No. 5: Toda la porción del Distrito Escolar Libre de la Unión Patchogue-Medford delimitada al sur por la línea central de la línea principal del derecho de paso del Ferrocarril de

Long Island; al este por la línea fronteriza oriental del Distrito; al norte por la línea fronteriza septentrional del Distrito; y al oeste por la línea fronteriza occidental del Distrito.

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE NOTIFI-CA que a partir de los siete (7) días inmediatamente anteriores al 7 de mayo de 2025, audiencia de presupuesto público, cualquier residente del Distrito puede solicitar revisar una copia del presupuesto propues to presentándose en la Oficina del Centro Administrativo del Secretario del Distrito, 241 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, Nueva York 11772. Además, cualquier residente del Distrito puede obtener una declaración de los gastos estimados para el año siguiente durante los catorce (14) días inmediatamente anteriores a dicha elección en el sitio web del distrito escolar (www. pmschools.org), en la Biblioteca Patchogue-Medford durante su horario normal de operación, ubicada en 54-60 East Main Street, Patchogue. Nueva York, en el Centro Administrativo del Distrito Escolar, 241 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, Nueva York, y en cada uno de los siguientes edificios escolares en los que se mantienen clases entre las 9 a.m. y las 4 p.m., hora prevaleciexcepto sábados, domingos v feriados:

Escuela Primaria Barton, Barton Avenue, Patchogue, Nueva York; Escuela Primaria Bay, Bay Avenue, Patchogue, Nueva York;

Escuela Primaria Canaan, Fry Boulevard, Patchogue, Nueva York; Escuela Primaria Eagle, Wave Avenue, Medford, Nueva York;

Escuela Primaria Medford, Medford Avenue, Patchogue, Nueva York; Escuela Secundaria de Oregón, Avenida Oregón, Medford, Nueva

Escuela Secundaria Patchogue-Medford, Buffalo Avenue, Medford, Nueva York; Escuela Primaria River, River Avenue, Patchogue, Nueva York: Escuela Secundaria Saxton, Saxton Street, Patchogue, Nueva York;

Escuela Secundaria South Ocean. 225 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, Nueva York; y Escuela Primaria Tremont, Avenida Tremont, Medford, Nueva York.
Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO

ADICIONAL de que, de conformidad con la Sección 495 de la Ley de Impuestos sobre Bienes Inmuebles, se requiere que el Distrito Escolar adjunte a su presupuesto propuesto un informe de exención. Dicho informe de exención, que también formará parte del presupuesto final, mostrará qué parte del valor total de la tasación en la lista de liquidación final utilizada en el proceso presupuestario está exenta de impuestos. enumerará cada tipo de exención otorgada, identificada por la autoridad legal, y mostrará: (a) el impacto acumulativo de cada tipo de exención expresado como un monto en dólares del valor tasado o como un porcentaje del valor tasado total en el rollo; (b) el monto acumulado que se espera recibir de los beneficiarios de cada tipo de exención como pagos en lugar de impuestos u otros pagos por servicios municipales; y c) el efecto acumulativo de todas las exenciones concedidas. El informe de exención se publicará en cualquier tablón de anuncios mantenido por el Distrito para avisos públicos y en cualquier sitio web mantenido por el Distrito.

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADICIONAL de que las solicitudes de boletas de voto en ausencia y por correo anticipado se podrán obtener durante el horario escolar en la oficina del Secretario del Distrito a partir del 21 de abril de 2025. De acuerdo con la Ley de Educación del Distrito no puede recibir las solicitudes completadas de boletas de voto en ausencia y por correo anticipado antes de treinta (30) días antes de la elección, y el Secretario del Distrito debe recibirlas al menos siete (7) días antes de la elección si la boleta se va a enviar por correo al votante, o el día antes de la elección. si la boleta se va a entregar personalmente al votante o al nombrado en la solicitud de boleta de voto en ausencia o por correo anticipado. Las boletas de voto en

ausencia y por correo anticipado deben ser recibidas por el Secretario del Distrito a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente, el martes 20 de mayo de 2025.

Una lista de las personas a las que se les habrán emitido boletas de voto en ausencia, y una lista de todas las personas a las que se les habrán emitido boletas de voto anticipado por correo, estará disponible para inspección para los votantes cal-ificados del Distrito en la oficina del Secretario del Distrito a partir del 15 de mayo de 2025, entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 4:00 p.m. en días laborables anteriores al día establecido para la elección anual y el sábado, 17 de mayo de 2025, con cita previa comunicándose con el Secretario del Distrito al (631) 687-6370 y el 20 de mayo de 2025, el día fijado para la elección. Cualquier votante calificado puede, después de examinar dichas listas, presentar una impugnación por escrito de las calificaciones como votante de cualquier persona cuyo nombre aparezca en dichas listas, exponiendo las razones de dicha impugnación. Cualquier impugnación por escrito será transmitida por el Secretario del Distrito o una persona designada por la Junta de Educación a los inspectores electorales el día de las

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADICIONAL, de que los votantes militares que no están registrados actualmente pueden solicitar registrarse como votantes calificados del Distrito Escolar Libre de Patchogue-Medford Union solicitando y devolviendo una solicitud de registro al Secretario del Distrito en persona, o por correo electrónico a TDeLeva@pmschools.org o fax enviado al (631) 687-6369. La solicitud de la solicitud de registro puede incluir la preferencia del votante militar para recibir la solicitud de registro por correo, fax o correo electrónico. Los formularios de solicitud de registro de votantes militares deben recibirse en la oficina del Secretario del Distrito a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m. del 24 de abril

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVI-SO ADICIONAL, que los votantes militares que son votantes califi-cados del Distrito Escolar Libre de Patchogue-Medford Union pueden solicitar una solicitud para una boleta militar del Secretario del Distrito y devolver dicha solicitud de boleta militar al Secretario del Distrito en persona, o por correo electrónico a TDeLeva@pmschools. org o fax enviado al (631) 687-6369. Para que a un votante militar se le emita una boleta militar, se debe recibir una solicitud de boleta militar válida en la oficina del Secretario del Distrito a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m., el 24 de abril de 2025. Las solicitudes de boletas militares recibidas de acuerdo con lo anterior se procesarán de la misma manera que una solicitud de boleta no militar bajo la Sección 2018-a de la Ley de Educación. La solicitud de boleta militar puede incluir la preferencia del votante militar para recibir la boleta militar por correo, fax o correo electrónico. La solicitud original de boleta militar y la boleta militar de un votante militar deben devolverse por correo o en persona a la oficina del Secretario del Distrito en 241 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, Nueva York, junto con la declaración jurada firmada requeri-

da por el votante. Y SE DA AVISO ADICIONAL POR LA PRESENTE, que las boletas militares serán escrutadas si son recibidas por el Secretario del Distrito antes del cierre de las urnas el 20 de mayo de 2025, mostrando una marca de cancelación del Servicio Postal de los Estados Unidos o del vicio nostal de un naís ex jero, o mostrando un endoso fechado de recibo por otra agencia del Gobierno de los Estados Unidos; o recibidas a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m. del 20 de mayo, 2025, y firmada y fechada por el votante militar y un testigo del mismo, con una fecha que se determina que no será posterior al día anterior a la elección. Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO

ADICIONAL de que, de conformidad con una regla adoptada por la Junta de Educación de acuerdo con la Ley de Educación de Nueva York \$2035. cualquier referéndum o proposición para enmendar el presupuesto, o de otra manera que se presente para votar en dicha elección, debe presentarse ante el Secretario del Distrito en 241 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, Nueva York, a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m., hora prevaleciente, el 21 de marzo de 2025. Todas estas peticiones deben ser mecanografiadas o impresas en el idioma inglés; debe dirigirse al Secretario del Distrito Escolar; debe estar firmada por al menos cien (100) votantes calificados del distrito; y debe indicar de manera legible el nombre de cada firmante. Sin embargo, la Junta de Educación no considerará ninguna petición para presentar a los votantes cualquier proposición cuyo propósito no esté dentro de los poderes de los votantes para determinar, ni ninguna proposición o enmienda que sea contraria a la ley. Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVI-

SO ADICIONAL de que aquellos votantes que buscan información sobre este Presupuesto, Votación y Elección en español deben comunicarse con la Oficina del Superintendente de Escuelas al (631) 687-6380.

TERESA DELEVA Secretario de Distrito de la Junta

Educación Patchogue-Medford U.F.S.D. Centro Administrativo 241 Avenida del Océano Sur Patchogue, Nueva York 11772 Ciudad de Brookhaven Condado de Suffolk

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING, BUDGET VOTE AND ELECTION FIRE ISLAND UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT TOWNS OF ISLIP AND BROOKHA-VEN, SUFFOLK COUNTY, NEW

YORK NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a public hearing of the qualified voters of the Fire Island Union Free School District, Corneille Estates, Suffolk County, New York, will be held in the gymnasium of the Woodhull School building in said District on Tuesday, May 13, 2025, at 7:00 p.m. prevailing time, for the transaction of business as authorized by the Education Law, including the following items:

- 1. Presentation of the budget document.
- To discuss all of the items herein set forth, to be voted upon by ballot, at the election to be held on Tuesday, May 20, 2025 as hereinafter set
- To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
 AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN, that the annual meeting of the qualified voters of the Fire Island Union Free School District of the Towns of Islip and Brookhaven, Suffolk County, New York, will be held at the Woodhull School in said District on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, between the hours of 3:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m., prevailing time, the gymnasium of the Woodhull School, at which time the polls will be opened to vote by voting by ballot upon the following items:

To adopt the annual budget of the School District for the fiscal year 2025-2026 and to authorize the requisite portion thereof to be raised by taxation on the taxable property of the District.

To elect two (2) members the Board of Education, each for a three (3) year term commencing July 1, 2025, and expiring on June 30, 2028, to succeed Jay Lippert and Linda Nowachek whose

terms expire June 30, 2025. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that petitions nominating andidates for the office of Mer ber of the Board of Education of the Fire Island Union Free School District shall be filed with the District Clerk of said School District at the District Clerk's office, Woodhull School, 75 Surf Road, Corneille Estates, Fire Island, New York, between the hours of 8:00 AM and 3:00 PM on each day other than a Saturday, Sunday or School Breaks/ Holidays, but by no later than April 21, 2025 between the hours of 8:00 AM and 3:00 PM, prevailing time. All nominating petitions shall be directed to the District Clerk and must be signed by at least 25 qualified voters of the District (representing the

greater of 25 or 2% of the number of voters who voted in the previous annual election); must state the name and residence of each signer, and must state the name and residence of the candidate. Candidates run at large and vacancies on the Fire Island UFSD Board of Education are not considered separate. specific offices. The two candidates with the greatest number of votes shall each receive a three (3) year term, commencing on July 1, 2025, and ending on June 30, 2028. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN that qualified voters with disabilities who seek information about access to polling places may. in advance of the day of the vote, contact the District Clerk at 631 583-5626 for information about accessibility.
AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN that beginning May 6, 2025 any resident in the District may request to review a copy of the proposed budget by appearing at the Woodhull School, 75 Surf Road, Corneille Estates, Fire Island, New York, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m., prevailing time, except Saturdays, Sundays and School Breaks/Holidays. Additionally, a statement of the estimated expenses for the ensuing year may be obtained on the school district website: www.fi.k12.ny.us. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN, that pursuant to Real Property Tax Law Section 495, the School District is required to attach to its proposed budget an exemption report. Said exemption report, which will also become part of the final budget, will show how much of the total assessed value on the final assessment roll used in the budgetary process is exempt from taxation list every type of exemption granted identified by statutory authority, and show: (a) the cumulative impact of each type of exemption expressed either as a dollar amount of assessed value or as a percentage of the total assessed value on the roll; (b) the cumulative amount expected to be received from recipients of each type of exemption as payments in lieu of taxes or other payments for municipal services; and (c) the cumulative impact of all exemptions granted. The exemption report shall be posted on any bulletin board maintained by the District for public notices and on any website maintained by the District

AND FÜRTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that applications for absentee and early mail ballots will be obtainable during school business hours at the office of the District Clerk beginning April 21, 2025. In accordance with Education Law §§ 2018-a and 2018-e, completed absentee and early mail ballot applications may not be received by the District Clerk earlier than thirty (30) days prior to the election, and must be received by the District Clerk at least seven (7) days before the election if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the election, if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter or to the agent named in the absentee or early mail ballot application. Absentee and early mail ballots must be received by the District Clerk not later than 5:00 p.m., prevailing time, on Tuesday, May 20, 2025.

A list of persons to whom absentee ballots, early mail voter's ballots, and military ballots shall have issued will be available for inspection to qualified voters of the District in the office of the District Clerk on and after Thursday, May 15, 2025, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on weekdays prior to the day set for the annual election and on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, the day set for the election. Any qualified voter may, upon examination of such lists, file a written challenge of the qualifications as a voter of any person whose name appears on such lists, stating the reasons for such challenge. Any such written challenge shall be transmitted by the District Clerk or a designee of the Board of Education to the inspectors of election on

election day.
AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that military voters who are qualified voters of the Fire Island UFSD may request an application for a military ballot from the District Clerk in person, by mail to District Clerk, P.O. Box 428,

Ocean Beach, NY 11770, by email to tmurphy@fi.k12.ny.us or fax sent to (631) 583-5167. In such request, the military voter may indicate their preference for receiving the application by mail, fax or email. A military voter must return the original military ballot application person or by mail to the office of the District Clerk at P.O. Box 428, Ocean Beach, NY 11770. In order for a military voter to be issued a military ballot, a valid military ballot application must be received in the office of the District Clerk no later than 3:00 P.M., on April 24, 2025. Military ballot applications received in accordance with the foregoing will be processed in the same manner as a non-military ballot application under Sections 2018-b and 2018-f of the Education Law. The application for a military ballot may include the military voter's preference for receipt of the military ballot by mail, fax, or email.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that military ballots shall be can vassed if they are received by the District Clerk before the close of polls on May 20, 2025 showing a cancellation mark of the United States Postal Service or a foreign country's postal service, or showing a dated endorsement of receipt by another agency of the United States Government; or received not later than 5:00 p.m. on May 20, 2025 and signed and dated by the military voter and one witness thereto, with a date which is ascertained to be not later

than the day before the election. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that pursuant to a rule adopted by the Board of Education in accordance with New York Education Law §2035, any referenda or propositions to change the number of Board of Education members, or a bond issue for capital improvements, or any other peti-tion required by law to be stated in the Notice of Annual Meeting and Election must be filed with the District Clerk, not later than 3:00 p.m., prevailing time, on March 22, 2025. Any other petition, except those petitions required by law to be stated in the Notice of Annual Meeting and Election, must be filed with the District Clerk of the Fire Island Union Free School District Board of Education at the Woodhull School, 75 Surf Road, Corneille Estates, Fire Island, New York. All such petitions must be typed or printed in the English language; must be directed to the Clerk of the School District; must be signed by at least 25 qualified voters of the District (representing the greater of 25 or 5% of the number of voters who voted in the previous annual election); and must legibly state the name of each signer. However, the Board of Education will not entertain any petition to place before the voters any proposition the purpose of which is not within the powers of the voters to determine, nor any proposition or amendment which is

contrary to law. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that the qualified voters of the School District shall be entitled to vote at said annual vote and election. A qualified voter is one who is (1) a citizen of the United States of America, (2) eighteen years of age or older, and (3) a resident within the School District for a period of thirty (30) days preceding the annual vote and election. The School District may require all persons offering to vote at the budget vote and election to provide one form of proof of residency pursuant to Education Law 2018-c. Such form may include a driver's license, a non-driver identification card, a utility bill, or a voter registration card. Upon offer of proof of residency, the School District may also require all persons offering to vote to provide their signature, printed name and address.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that those voters seeking of the last those voters seeking information regarding this Budget Vote and Election in Spanish should contact the Office of the District Clerk at 631-583-5626.

Traci Murphy, District Clerk Fire Island Union Free School Dis-

Towns of Islip and Brookhaven, County of Suffolk, New York Dated: April 3, April 17, May 1, May 15, 2025 AVISO DE AUDIENCIA PÚBLICA,

VOTACIÓN SOBRE EL PRESU-PUESTO Y ELECCIÓN DISTRITO ESCOLAR FIRE ISLAND UNION FREE

CIUDADES DE ISLIP Y BROOKHA-VEN, CONDADO DE SUFFOLK, NEW YORK

POR LA PRESENTE SE NOTIFI-CA que el martes 13 de mayo de 2025, a las 7:00 p. m., hora local, se celebrará una audiencia pública de los votantes cualificados del Distrito Escolar Fire Island Union Free, Corneille Estates, Condado de Suffolk, Nueva York, en el gimnasio del edificio de la escuela Woodhull en dicho Distrito, para tratar los asuntos autorizados por la Ley de Educación, incluyendo los siguientes puntos:

- 1. Presentación del documento del presupuesto.
- Debatir todos los puntos aquí expuestos, los cuales someterán a votación mediante boleta elección que se llevará a cabo el martes 20 de mayo de 2025, según se detalla a continuación.
- 3. Tratar cualquier otro asunto que puedan surgir durante la reunión.

SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS que la reunión anual de los votantes calificados del Fire Island Union Free de las ciudades de Islip y Brookhaven, Condado de Suffolk, Nueva York, se llevará a cabo en la escuela Woodhull en dicho Distrito el martes 20 de mayo de 2025, entre las 3:00 p. m. y las 9:00 p. m., hora local, el gimnasio de la escuela Woodhull, momento en el que se abrirán las urnas para votar por papeleta sobre los siguientes puntos:

- Adoptar el presupuesto anual del Distrito Escolar para el año fiscal 2025-2026 y autorizar que la parte necesaria del mismo se recaude mediante impuestos sobre la propiedad imponible del Distrito.
- 2. Elegir a dos (2) miembros de la Junta de Educación, cada uno por un período de tres (3) años a partir del 1 de julio de 2025 y que expirará el 30 de junio de 2028, para suceder a Jay Lippert y Linda Nowachek, cuyos términos expiran el 30 de junio de

SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS que las peticiones para nominar de candidatos para el cargo de Miembro de la junta de educación del Fire Island Union Free se presentarán ante la Secretaria del Distrito, escuela Woodhull, 75 Surf Road, Corneille Estates, Fire Island, Nueva York, entre las 8:00 a.m. y las 3:00 p.m. todos los días que no sean sábados, domingos o recesos escolares/feriados, pero a más tardar el 21 de abril de 2025 entre las 8:00 a.m. y las 3:00 p. m., hora local. Todas las peticiones de nominación deben estar dirigidas a la Secretaria del Distrito y deben estar firmadas por al menos 25 votantes calificados del Distrito (representando el mayor entre 25 o el 2 % del número de votantes que votaron en la elección anual anterior); deben indicar el nombre y residencia de cada firmante y el nombre y residencia del candidato. Los candidatos se postulan sin asignación a un cargo específico y las vacantes en la Junta de Educación de Fire Island UFSD no se consideran cargos específicos o individuales. Los dos candidatos con el mayor número de votos recibirán cada uno un mandato de tres (3) años, comenzando el 1 de julio de 2025 y finalizando el 30 de junio de 2028. SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS que los votantes calificados con discapacidades que necesiten información sobre el acceso a los lugares de del día de la votación con la Secretaria del Distrito al 631-583-5626 para obtener información sobre la para obterier información sobre la accesibilidad. SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS que a partir del 6 de mayo de 2025 cualquier residente del Distrito puede solicitar

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to propuesto presentándose en la escuela Woodhull, 75 Surf Road, Corneille Estates, Fire Island, Nue-

va York, entre las 8:00 a. m. y las 3:00 p. m., hora local, excepto los

domingos y días festivos o de receso escolar. Además, estará disponible una declaración de los gastos estimados para el próximo año en el sitio web del distrito escolar: www.

fi.k12.ny.us. SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS que, de conformidad con la Sección 495 de la Ley de Impuesto sobre Bienes Inmuebles, el Distrito Escolar está obligado a adjuntar a su presupuesto propuesto un informe de exenciones. Dicho informe de exención, que también formará parte del presupuesto definitivo, mostrará gué parte del valor total de la tasación en la lista de tasación final utilizada en el proceso presupuestario está exenta de impuestos, enumerará cada tipo de exención otorgada, identificada por la autoridad legal, y mostrará: (a) el impacto acumulado de cada tipo de exención, expresado como un monto en dólares del valor de tasación o como un porcentaje del valor de tasación total en la lista: b) el importe acumulado esperado a récibir de los beneficiarios de cada tipo de exención en concepto de pagos sustitutivos de impuestos u otros pagos por servicios municipales: v c) el impacto acumulado de todas las exenciones concedidas. El informe de exenciones se publicará en cualquier tablero de anuncios que el Distrito mantenga para avisos públicos y en cualquier sitio web que el Distrito mantenga.

SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS que las solicitudes para boletas de voto en ausencia y por correo anticipaestarán disponibles durante el horario escolar en la oficina de la Secretaria del Distrito a partir del 21 de abril de 2025. De acuerdo con las secciones §§ 2018-b y 2018-f de la Ley de Educación, la Secretaria Distrito no puede recibir las solicitudes completadas de boletas de voto en ausencia v por correo anticipado antes de los treinta (30) días antes de la elección, y la Secretaria del Distrito debe recibirlas al menos siete (7) días antes de la elección si la boleta debe enviarse al votante por correo, o el día antes de la elección, si la boleta debe ser entregada al votante personalmente. La Secretaria del Distrito debe recibir las boletas de voto en ausencia y por correo anticipado a más tardar a las 5:00 p. m., hora local, del martes

20 de mayo de 2025. Se pondrá a disposición del público una lista de personas que hayan recibido boletas de voto en ausencia, por correo anticipado y militares, la cual podrá ser consultada por los votantes calificados del distrito en la oficina de la Secretaria del Distrito a partir del jueves 15 de mayo de 2025, entre las horas de 8:00 a .m. y 3:00 p. m. en días laborables previos al día de la elección anual y el martes 20 de mayo de 2025, día de la elección. Cualquier votante calificado podrá, tras el examen de dichas listas, presentar una impugnación por escrito de las calificaciones como votante de cualquier persona cuyo nombre aparezca en dichas listas, indicando las razones de dicha impugnación. Cualquier impugnación por escrito deberá ser transmitida por la Secretaria del Distrito o un delegado de la Junta de Educación a los inspecto-res electorales el día de la elección. SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS que los votantes militares que sean elec-tores calificados del UFSD de Fire Island podrán solicitar una solicitud para una boleta militar a la Secretaria del Distrito en persona, por correo postal a la Secretaria del Distrito, P.O. Box 428, Ocean Beach, NY 11770, por correo electrónico a tmurphy@fi.k12.ny.us o por fax enviado al (631) 583-5167. En dicha solicitud, el votante militar puede indicar su preferencia para recibir la solicitud por correo, fax o correo electrónico. Un votante litar debe devolver la solicitud original de boleta militar en persona o por correo a la oficina de la Secretaria del Distrito en P.O. Box 428. Ocean Beach, NY 11770. Para que a un votante militar se le emita una boleta militar, se debe recibir una solicitud de boleta militar válida en la oficina de la Secretaria del Distrito a más tardar a las 3:00 p. m. del 24 de abril de 2025. Las solicitudes de boletas militares recibidas de acuerdo con lo anterior se procesarán de la misma manera que una solicitud de boleta no militar. según la Sección 2018- b y 2018-f de la Ley de Educación. La solicitud de boleta

militar puede incluir la preferen-

cia del votante militar para recibir la boleta militar por correo, fax o

correo electrónico. SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS que las boletas militares serán escrutadas si son recibidas por la Secretaria del Distrito antes del cierre de las urnas el 20 de mayo de 2025, con la marca de cancelación del Servicio Postal de los Estados Unidos o del servicio postal de un país extranjero, o con un sello de recepción fechado por otra agencia gubernamental de los Estados Unidos. También serán escrutadas si son recibidas a más tardar a las 5:00 p. m. del 20 de mayo de 2025, y están firmadas y fechadas por el votante militar y un testigo del mismo, con una fecha que se compruebe que no es posterior al día anterior a la elección.

SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS que de acu-

erdo con una regla adoptada por la Junta de Educación en conformidad con la Sección §2035 de la Ley de Educación de Nueva York, cualquier referéndum o proposición para cambiar el número de miembros de la Junta de Educación, o una emisión de bonos para mejoras de capital, o cualquier otra petición requerida por ley para ser declarada en el Aviso de Reunión Anual y Elección debe presentarse ante la Secretaria del Distrito a más tardar a las 3:00 p. m., hora local, el 22 de marzo de 2025. Cualquier otra petición, excepto aquellas peticiones requeridas por ley para ser declaradas en el Aviso de Reunión Anual y Elección, debe presentarse ante la Secretaria del Distrito de la Junta de Educación del Distri-to Escolar Fire Island Union Free en la Escuela Woodhull, 75 Surf Road, Corneille Estates, Fire Island, Nueva York. Todas estas peticiones deben estar escritas o impresas en el idioma inglés; deben dirigirse a la Secretaria del Distrito Escolar; deben estar firmadas por al menos 25 votantes calificados del distrito (que representen 25 o el 5 % del número de votantes en la elección anual anterior, el mayor de los dos): y deben indicar de manera legible el nombre de cada firmante. Sin embargo, la Junta de Educación no admitirá ninguna petición para presentar ante los votantes propuestas cuyo propósito no esté dentro de las facultades de los votantes para determinar, ni propuestas o enmiendas que vayan en contra de la ley. SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS que los

votantes calificados del Distrito Escolar tendrán derecho a votar en dicha votación y elección anual. Un votante calificado es aquel que (1) es ciudadano de los Estados Unidos América, (2) tiene dieciocho años de edad o más, y (3) es residente dentro del Distrito Escolar por un período de treinta (30) días antes de la votación v elección anual. El Distrito Escolar puede requerir que todas las personas que se ofrezcan a votar en la votación y elección del presupuesto presenten una forma de prueba de residencia de con-formidad con la Ley de Educación 2018-c. Dicha forma puede incluir una licencia de conducir, una tarjeta de identificación sin licencia, una factura de servicios públicos o una tarjeta de registro de votante. Al presentar un comprobante de residencia, el Distrito Escolar también puede requerir que todas las personas que se ofrecen a votar proporcionen su firma, nombre en letra imprenta y dirección. SE NOTIFICA ADEMÁS que aquel-

los votantes que busquen información sobre esta Votación sobre el Presupuesto y Elección en español deben comunicarse con la oficina de la Secretaria del Distrito al 631-

Traci Murphy, Secretaria del Distrito Distrito Escolar Fire Island Union

Condado de Suffolk, Nueva York Fecha: 3 de abril, 17 de abril, 1 de mayo, 15 de mayo de 2025 LIA, 20251071, 4/3, 17 - 5/1, 15 |

NOTICE OF PUBLIC BUDGET HEARING, ANNUAL TRUSTEE ELECTION, BUDGET VOTE AND REGISTRATION OF VOTERS FOR WILLIAM FLOYD UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE MAS-TICS-MORICHES-SHIRLEY TOWN OF BROOKHAVEN, SUF-FOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that a Public Budget Hearing of the

William Floyd Union Free School

District of the Mastics-Moriches-Shirley, Town of Brookhaven, Suffolk County, New York ("District") will be held in the Library of the William Floyd High School, 240 Mastic Beach Road, Mastic Beach, New York, on Tuesday, May 13, 2025 at 6:30 p.m., prevailing time, at which the proposed District Budget for the 2025-2026 school year will be presented and explained.

NOTICE is also given that the Annual District Meeting and Election ("Election") will be held on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, for the purpose of: (a) voting on the District budget for the 2025-2026 school year; (b) electing Trustees of the Board of Education; and (c) transacting such other business as is authorized by law.

NOTICE is also given that ballots shall be cast upon voting machines between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m., prevailing time, at a single polling place, which shall be located in the lobby adjoining the auditorium of the William Floyd High School.

NOTICE is also given, that a copy of a detailed written statement setting forth the amount of money which will be required for the ensuing year for school purposes specifying the several purposes and amount of each, may be obtained by any resident of the District, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., prevailing time, during the fourteen (14) days immediately preceding said Election, except Saturday, said Election, except Saturday, Sunday, or holidays, at the Office of the Superintendent of Schools, at the William Floyd High School, 240 Mastic Beach Road, Mastic Beach, New York, at each school building during the hours that school is in session, at the Mastics-Moriches Shirley Community Library located the District and on the District's internet website at: http:// www.wfsd.k12.ny.us.

NOTICE is also given, that in addition to the proposed District budget for the 2025-2026 fiscal year and school year, which will appear on the ballot as <u>Proposition No. 1</u> the following proposition will be submitted to the voters, which will appear on the ballot as <u>Proposition</u> No. 2, in substantially the form as hereinafter set forth:

Proposition No. 2Shall the Board of Education of the William Floyd Union Free School District be authorized to establish a new Repair Reserve fund pursuant to Section 6-d of the General Munic ipal Law, to be known as the "2025 Repair Reserve Fund" for the purposes of paying for repairs to capital improvements or equipment of a type that does not recur annually or at shorter intervals, in an amount up to \$5 million dollars (plus interest earned thereon), having a probable term of ten (10) years, to be funded with current or future years budgetary appropriations or other revenues not required by law to be paid into other funds or accounts?

NOTICE is also given, in accordance with §495 of the N.Y. Real Property Tax Law, that the District shall prepare a Real Property Tax "Exemption Report" which shall show how much of the assessed value on the final assessment roll (utilized for the school tax levy) exempt from taxation by the District. This exemption report will list every type of exemption granted and will show: (1) the cumulative impact of each type of exemption; (2) the cumulative amount expected to be received as payments in lieu of taxes (PILOTS), or other payments, from recipients of each type of exemption; (3) the cumulative impact of all exemptions granted. This Exemption Report will be posted on the District's website and on District bulletin boards utilized for posting public notices. The ort will be annexed to any preliminary District budget, and shall become part of the final

budget.

NOTICE is also given that three Trustees of the Board of Education will be elected to fill, three-year terms, commencing July 1, 2025, due to the expiration of the terms of office of April Coppola, Lorraine Mentz and Luis J. Soto, whose current terms expire on June 30, 2025. Petitions nominating candidates for the office of Trustee of the Board of Education shall be filed between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., prevailing time, with the District Clerk in the District

Office, at the William Floyd High School, but not later than Monday, April 21, 2025 at 5:00 p.m., prevailing time. Each petition must be signed by at least twenty-five (25) qualified voters of the District, must state the residence of each signer, and must describe the specific vacancy for which the candidate is nominated, including the length of term of office and the name of the last incumbent. No person shall be nominated by petition for more than one specific office. A sample form of nominating petition may be obtained from the office of the District Clerk during regular office hours.

NOTICE is also given that pursuant to Section 2014 of the Education Law, personal registration of voters is required to vote at the Annual election and budget vote. Any voter who previously has registered pursuant to \$2014 of the Education Law and has voted at any annual or special school District meeting within the last four (4) calendar years (2021-2024), and any qualified voter of the District who is registered with the Suffolk County Board of Elections pursuant to Article 5 of the Election Law, is eligible to vote at this election. All other persons who wish to vote

must register.

NOTICE is also given that prospective voters may be registered in the District Clerk's Office, at the William Floyd High School, 240 Mastic Beach Road, Mastic Beach, New York, on each day that the District Clerk's Office is open, prior to May 14, 2025, between the hours of 9:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

NOTICE is also given that the Board of Registration will meet in the District Office at the William Floyd High School, on Thursday, May 15, 2025, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., prevailing time, for the purpose of registering qualified voters of the District to vote at the aforesaid Election. Any person shall be entitled to have his or her name placed on such register of voters. provided that at such meeting of the Board of Registration he or she is known or proven to the satisfaction of said Board of Registration to be then or thereafter entitled to vote at such Election for which the register is so prepared. The registration list so prepared, as well as the register of qualified voters of the District prepared by the Board of Elections of Suffolk County, will be filed in the Office of the District Clerk, and will be open for inspection by any qualified voter of the District between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., prevailing time, on each of the five days (except Sundays with Saturday hours by appointment) prior to and on the date set for the election.

NOTICE is also given that the Board of Registration will meet during the hours of voting on May 20. 2025, at the time and place set forth above for such vote, for the purpose of preparing a register for future District meetings or elections, and any person shall have his or her name placed on said register who personally appears Board and is a qualified voter of the District.

NOTICE is also given that absentee ballots may be applied for during school business hours at the office of the District Clerk. A list of all persons to whom absentee ballots have been issued will be available for public inspection in the office of the District Clerk during regular office hours, until the day of the election. Applications for absentee ballots on the form prescribed by §2018-a of the Education Law must be received by the District Clerk at least seven (7) days before the Election if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter. No absentee voter's ballot shall be canvassed unless it shall have been received in the office of the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on the day of the Election

NOTICE that pursuant to Section 2018-e of the Education Law, applications for early mail ballots may be obtained at the Office of the District Clerk of the District during all days in which the District is in session. Completed applications must be received by the District Clerk no earlier than April 21, 2025 and by May 13, 2025, if the early mail ballot is to be mailed to the voter. If

the early mail ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter at the Office of the District Clerk the completed application must be received by the District Clerk no later than May 19, 2025. No early mail voter's ballot will be canvassed unless it has been received in the Office of the District Clerk of the District no later than 5:00 p.m. on May 20, 2025. A list of all persons to whom early ballots have been issued will be available in the Office of the District Clerk's office during office hours on and after May 14, 2025 until May 19, 2025 except on Saturday May 17, 2025, prearranged appointment by contacting the District Clerk at (631) 874-1117 or via email at cvisintin@ wfsd.k12.ny.us. A challenge to an early ballot may not be made on the basis that the voter should have applied for an absentee ballot.

that

NOTICE is also given military voters who are currently registered to vote may apply to register as a qualified voter of the District by contacting the District Clerk at the William Floyd High School, 240 Mastic Beach Road, Mastic Beach, New York by telephone (631) 874-1117, or email: cvisintin@wfsd.k12.ny.us to receive an application to register as a qualified voter of the District for the Annual Election and Budget Vote. Military voters may indicate their preference for receiving the registration application by mail, by facsimile, or electronic mail (email). The application to register must be received by the District Clerk no later than 5:00 PM on April 24, 2025. An individual will qualify as a military voter if he or she (1) is a qualified voter of the State of New York, who is in actual military service, and is absent from the District on the day of registration or election or discharged from service within 30 days of an election; or (2) a spouse, parent, child, or dependent of such service member who is a qualified voter and is absent due to the service of the military member. Military ballots may be applied for during school business at the office of the District Clerk. Military ballots must be received by the District Clerk no later than 5 p.m. on the day of the election in order to be canvassed. In order for a military voter to be issued a military ballot, the school district must have received in the office of the school district clerk a valid ballot application no later than 5:00 pm on April 24, 2025. A military voter may designate a preference to receive a military voter registration, military ballot application or military ballot by mail, facsimile transmission or electronic mail in their request for such registration, ballot application, or ballot. Such designation shall remain in effect until revoked or changed by the military voter. Ballots for military voters shall be mailed, or otherwise distributed, no later than April 25, 2025. Military ballots must be received by the District Clerk (1) before the close of the polls on election day and showing a cancellation mark of the U.S. postal service or a foreign country's postal service, or showing a dated endorsement of receipt by another agency of the U.S. government or (2) by 5:00 P.M. on election day and signed and dated by the military voter and one witness thereof, with a date which is ascertained to be not later than the day before the

NOTICE is also given that a list of all persons to whom military ballots shall have been issued will be available for inspection to qualified voters of the District in the said Office of the District Clerk during regular office hours, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., prevailing time, until the day of the Annual Election and

Budget Vote.

NOTICE is also given that pursuant to a rule adopted by the Board of Education in accordance with §2035 of the Education law, additional propositions may be placed upon the ballot by the Board of Education upon a proper petition, signed by at least 58 qualified voters of the District, setting forth the name and residence address of each signer, subject to the following further rules: (i) the proposed ballot proposition must

be typed or printed in the English language and must pertain to a question that it is within the power of the voters to decide; and (ii) the petition requesting placement of an additional proposition on the ballot must be directed to the District Clerk and filed with the Board of Education at the District Office on or before April 21, 2025, at 5:00 p.m. prevailing time (except as to a question or proposition that is required by law to be stated in this published notice of the Annual District Meeting and Election); and (iii) any proposition which, if approved by the voters, would require the expenditure of District funds, must specify the amount of the required appropriation.

NOTICE is also given that the Board of Education shall designate itself or such of its employees as it shall deem appropriate as a set of poll clerks to cast and canvass affidavit ballots (if any) in accordance with Education Law §2019-a(2)(b).

\$2019-a(2)(b).
Dated: March 18, 2025
Mastic Beach, New York
BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF
EDUCATION OF
THE WILLIAM FLOYD UFSD, OF
THE MASTICS-MORICHES-SHIR-

TOWN OF BROOKHAVEN SUFFOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK

CAROLYN VISINTIN District Clerk AVISO DE AUDIENCIA PÚBLICA SOBRE PRESUPUESTO, ELEC-CIÓN ANUAL DE FIDEICOMISARI-OS, VOTACIÓN PRESUPUESTAR-IA Y REGISTRO DE VOTANTES PARA WILLIAM FLOYD UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT DE MASTICS-MORICHES-SHIRLEY, CIUDAD DE BROOKHAVEN, CONDADO DE SUFFOLK, NUEVA

YORK
POR LA PRESENTE SE
NOTIFICA que se llevará a cabo
una audiencia pública sobre el
presupuesto de William Floyd
Union Free School District de
Mastics-Moriches-Shirley, ciudad
de Brookhaven, condado de
Suffolk, Nueva York ("Distrito")
en la Biblioteca de William Floyd
High School, ubicada en 240 Mastic
Beach Road, Mastic Beach, Nueva
York, el martes 13 de mayo de 2025
a las 6:30 p. m., hora vigente, en la
que se presentará y explicará el
presupuesto del distrito que se ha
propuesto para el año escolar 20252026.

También SE NOTIFICA que la Reunión Anual y Elecciones del Distrito ("Elecciones") se llevarán a cabo el martes 20 de mayo de 2025, con el propósito de: (a) votar sobre el presupuesto del Distrito para el año escolar 2025-2026; (b) elegir a los fideicomisarios de la Junta de Educación; y (c) realizar cualquier otro trámite que esté autorizado por la ley.

También SE NOTIFICA que las boletas se emitirán en máquinas de votación, en el horario de 7:00 a.m. a 9:00 p.m., hora vigente, en un solo lugar destinado a votar, que se ubicará en el vestíbulo contiguo al auditorio de William Floyd High School.

También SE NOTIFICA que cualquier residente del Distrito podrá obtener una copia de la detallada declaración escrita donde se establece la cantidad de dinero para fines escolares que es necesaria para el año siguiente, especificando los distintos objetivos y el valor de cada uno, en el horario de 9:00 a. m. a 4:30 p. m., hora vigente, durante los catorce (14) s inmediatamente anteriores dichas Elecciones, excepto sábados, domingos o días festivos, en la Oficina del Superintendente de Escuelas, ubicada en William Floyd High School, 240 Mastic Road, Mastic Beach, Beach Nueva York, en todos los edificios escolares en el horario en que las escuelas permanezcan abiertas, en la Biblioteca Comunitaria Mastics-Moriches-Shirley, ubicada dentro del Distrito, y en el sitio web de Internet del Distrito en: http://www.wfsd. k12.ny.us.
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También SE NOTIFICA que, además del presupuesto que el Distrito presentara para el año fiscal y escolar 2025-2026, que aparecerá en la boleta como Propuesta Numero 1, se presentará a los votantes la siguiente propuesta, que aparecerá en la boleta como Propuesta Numero

 $\underline{2}$, sustancialmente en la forma que se establece a continuación:

Propuesta Numero 2 ¿Se autorizará a la Junta de Educación del Distrito Escolar Libre de William Floyd Union a establecer un nuevo fondo de Reserva para Reparaciones de conformidad con la Sección 6-d de la Ley Municipal General, que se conocerá como el "Fondo de Reserva para Repara-ciones 2025" con el fin de pagar las reparaciones de mejoras de capital o equipos de un tipo que no se repita anualmente o a intervalos más cortos? por un monto de hasta \$5 millones de dólares (más los intereses devengados por los mismos) con un plazo probable de diez (10) años, se financiará con el actual o asignaciones presupuestarias de años futuros u otros ingresos que por ley no estén obligados ser pagados en otros fondos o cuentas?

También SE NOTIFICA que, de acuerdo con §495 de la Ley de Impuestos sobre Bienes Inmuebles de Nueva York, el Distrito preparará "Informe de exención' impuestos sobre bienes inmuebles que mostrará qué parte del valor estimado en la lista de tasación final (utilizada para el impuesto escolar) está exento de impuestos por el Distrito. Este informe de exención enumerará todos los tipos de exención concedidos y mostrará: (1) el impacto acumulativo de tipo de exención; (2) la cantidad acumulada que se espera recibir como pagos en lugar de impuestos (PILOTS), u otros pagos, de los beneficiarios de cada tipo de exención; (3) el impacto acumulativo de todas las exenciones concedidas. Este Informe de Exención se publicará en el sitio web del Distrito y en los tablones de anuncios del Distrito utilizados para difundir avisos públicos. El Informe de exención se anexará a cualquier presupuesto preliminar del Distrito formará parte del presupuesto final.

También SE NOTIFICA que tres fideicomisarios de la Junta de Educación serán elegidos para prestar sus servicios durante un período de tres años, a partir del 1 de julio de 2025, debido a la terminación del ejercicio de sus cargos de April Coppola, Lorraine Mentz y Luis J. Soto, cuyas representaciones actuales finalizan el 30 de junio de 2025. Las solicitudes de nominación de candidatos para el cargo de Fideicomisario de la Junta de Educación se presentarán entre las 9:00 a. m. y las 4:30 p. m., hora vigente, ante el secretario del Distrito en la Oficina del Distrito, en William Floyd High School, a más tardar el lunes 21 de abril de 2025 a las 5:00 p. m., hora vigente. Cada solicitud debe estar firmada por al menos veinticinco (25) votantes calificados del Distrito, debe indicar la residencia de cada firmante y debe describir la vacante específica para la cual se nomina al candidato, incluyendo la duración del ejercicio del cargo y el nombre del último titular. Ninguna persona podrá ser nominada por solicitud para más de un cargo específico. obtener un formulario de muestra de la solicitud de nominación en la oficina del secretario del Distrito durante el horario habitual de atención.

También SE NOTIFICA que, conformidad con la Sección 2014 de la Ley de Educación, se exige el registro personal de los votantes para participar en las elecciones anuales y en la votación presupuestaria. Cualquier votante que se haya registrado previamente de conformidad con \$2014 de la Ley de Educación y haya votado en cualquier reunión anual o especial del Distrito escolar dentro de los últimos cuatro (4) años calendario (2021-2024), y cualquier votante calificado del Distrito que esté registrado en la Junta Electoral del Condado de Suffolk, de conformidad con el Artículo 5 de la Ley Electoral, es elegible para votar en estas elecciones. Todas las demás personas que deseen votar deben registrarse.

También SE NOTIFICA que los posibles votantes pueden registrarse en la Oficina del secretario del Distrito, en William Floyd High School, ubicada en 240 Mastic Beach Road, Mastic Beach, Nueva York, cuando la Oficina del secretario del Distrito esté abierta, antes del 14 de

mayo de 2025, entre las 9:30 a. m. y la 1:30 p. m.

También SE NOTIFICA que la Junta de Registro se reunirá en la Oficina del Distrito en William Floyd High School, el jueves 15 de mayo de 2025, en el horario comprendido entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 5:00 p.m., hora vigente, con el propósito de registrar votantes calificados del Distrito para participar en las mencionadas Elecciones. Cualquier persona tendrá derecho a que su nombre sea incluido en dicho registro de votantes, siempre que en dicha reunión de la Junta de Registro se sepa o se demuestre a satisfacción de dicha Junta de Registro que tiene derecho a votar en ese momento o posteriormente en la elección para la cual el registro está preparado. La lista de registro preparada de esa manera, así como el registro de votantes calificados del Distrito preparado por la Junta de Elecciones del Condado de Suffolk, se archivarán en la Oficina del secretario del Distrito y estarán disponibles para su inspección por parte de cualquier votante calificado del Distrito entre las 9:00 a. m. y las 4:00 p. m., hora vigente, cinco días de la semana (excepto los domingos con horario de sábado y con cita previa) antes y en la fecha fijada para la elección.

También SE NOTIFICA la Junta de Registro se reunirá durante el horario de votación del 20 de mayo de 2025, en el momento y lugar establecidos anteriormente para dicha votación, con el fin de preparar un registro para futuras reuniones o elecciones de Distrito, y el nombre de cualquier persona que comparezca personalmente ante dicha Junta y sea un votante calificado del Distrito deberá figurar en dicho registro.

en dicho registro. También SE NOTIFICA que las boletas de voto en ausencia se pueden solicitar durante el horario laboral escolar en la oficina del secretario del Distrito. Una lista de todas las personas a quienes se les han emitido boletas de voto en ausencia estará disponible para inspección pública en la oficina del secretario del Distrito durante el horario laboral habitual, hasta el día de las elecciones. Las solicitudes de boletas de voto en ausencia en el formulario prescrito por \$2018-a de la Ley de Educación deben ser recibidas por el secretario del Distrito al menos siete (7) días antes de las Elecciones si la boleta se enviará por correo al votante, o el día antes de las Elecciones si la boleta debe entregarse personalmente al votante. Ninguna boleta de votante ausente será incluida en el conteo a menos que haya sido recibida en la oficina del secretario del Distrito a más tardar a las 5:00 p. m. del día de las Elecciones.
También SE NOTIFICA que

de conformidad con la sección 2018-e de la Ley de Educación, se pueden obtener solicitudes para boletas de votación anticipadas por correo en la oficina del secretario del Distrito durante todos los días en que el distrito esté laborando. solicitudes completas deben presentarse ante el secretario del distrito a partir del 21 de abril de 2025 y a más tardar el 13 de mayo de 2025, en caso de que la boleta de votación anticipada por correo se deba enviar por correspondencia al votante. Si el votante desea recibir la boleta de votación anticipada por correo personalmente en la oficina del secretario del distrito, debe presentar su solicitud completa ante el secretario del distrito a más tardar el 19 de mayo de 2025. No se someterán a escrutinio las boletas de votación anticipada por correo a menos que se havan recibido en la oficina del secretario del distrito a las 5:00 p. m. La lista con el nombre de todas las personas a las que se les emitieron boletas de votación anticipada estará disponible en la oficina del secretario del distrito durante el horario de atención, a partir del 14 de mayo de 2025 hasta el 19 de mayo de 2025, excepto el sábado 17 de mayo de 2025. Si desea consultar dicha lista, puede hacerlo mediante una cita previa que debe programar comunicándose por teléfono con el secretario del Distrito al (631) 874-1117 o enviando un correo electrónico a cvisintin@ wfsd.k12.ny.us. No se podrán impugnar las boletas de votación anticipada con el argumento de que el votante debió haber solicitado una boleta para votación en ausencia. También SE NOTIFICA que los

votantes militares que actualmente no están registrados para votar pueden solicitar registrarse como votantes calificados del Distrito comunicándose con el secretario del Distrito en William Floyd High School, 240 Mastic Beach Road, Mastic Beach, Nueva York, por teléfono al (631) 874-1117, o por correo electrónico en cvisintin@ wfsd.k12.ny.us, a fin de recibir una solicitud para registrarse como votante calificado del Distrito para las Elecciones Anuales y la Votación Presupuestaria. Los votantes militares pueden indicar su preferencia para recibir la solicitud de registro por correo, fax o correo electrónico. La solicitud de registro debe ser recibida por el secretario del Distrito a más tardar a las 5:00 p. m. del 24 de abril de 2025. Una persona es elegible como votante militar si él o ella (1) es un votante calificado del Estado de Nueva York, que está en servicio militar real, y está ausente del Distrito el día del registro o las elecciones o es dado de baja del servicio dentro de los 30 días de una elección; o (2) un cónyuge, padre, hijo o dependiente de dicho miembro del servicio que es un votante calificado y está ausente debido al servicio del miembro militar. Las boletas militares se pueden solicitar durante el horario laboral escolar en la oficina del secretario del Distrito. Las boletas militares deben ser recibidas por el secretario del Distrito a más tardar a las 5 p.m. del día de las elecciones para ser contadas. Para que un votante militar reciba una boleta militar, el distrito escolar debe haber recibido una solicitud de boleta válida en la oficina del secretario del Distrito escolar a más tardar a las 5:00 p. m. del 25 de abril de 2024. Un votante militar puede designar una preferencia para recibir un registro de votante militar, una solicitud de boleta militar o una boleta militar por correo, envío por fax o correo electrónico en su solicitud de dicho registro, solicitud de boleta o boleta. designación permanecerá vigente hasta que sea revocada o modificada por el votante militar. Las boletas para los votantes militares se enviarán por correo, o se distribuirán de otra manera, a más tardar el 25 de abril de 2025. Las boletas militares deben ser recibidas por el secretario del Distrito (1) antes del cierre de las urnas el día de las elecciones y mostrando una marca de cancelación del servicio postal de los Estados Unidos o del servicio postal de un país extranjero, o mostrando un endoso fechado de recibo por otra agencia del gobierno de los Estados Unidos o (2) antes de las 5:00 p. m. del día de las elecciones y firmado y fechado por el votante militar y un testigo del mismo, con una fecha que se determine y que no excederá el día anterior a la elección.

También SE NOTIFICA que una lista de todas las personas a quienes se habrán emitido boletas militares estará disponible para inspección por los votantes calificados del Distrito en dicha Oficina del secretario del Distrito durante el horario laboral habitual, de 9:00 a. m. a 4:00 p. m., hora vigente, hasta el día de las Elecciones Anuales y la Vetación Programatorio.

Votación Presupuestaria. También SE NOTIFICA que, de conformidad con una norma adoptada por la Junta de Educación de acuerdo con §2035 de la Ley de Educación, la Junta de Educación colocar propuestas adicionales en la boleta electoral previa solicitud correspondiente, firmada por al menos 58 votantes establezca el nombre y la dirección de residencia de cada firmante, sujeto a las siguientes normas adicionales: (i) la sugerencia de boleta propuesta debe estar escrita a máquina o impresa en idioma inglés y debe referirse a una pregunta que esté dentro del poder de los votantes decidir, y (ii) la solicitud de colocación de una propuesta adicional en la boleta electoral debe dirigirse al secretario del Distrito y presentarse ante la Junta de Educación en la Oficina del Distrito el 21 de abril de 2025, o antes, a las 5:00 p. m., hora vigente, (excepto en cuanto a una pregunta o proposición que la ley exija que se indique en este aviso publicado de la Reunión Anual de Distrito y Elecciones); y (iii) cualquier propuesta que, de ser aprobada por los votantes, requiera el gasto de fondos del Distrito, debe especificar la cantidad de la asignación requerida

asignación requerida.

También SE NOTIFICA que la Junta de Educación se designará a sí misma o a sus empleados, según lo considere apropiado, como un grupo de empleados electorales para emitir y contar las boletas de declaración jurada (si corresponde) de acuerdo con la Ley de Educación §2019-a (2) (b).
Fecha: 18 de marzo, 2025

Fecha: 18 de marzo, 2025 Mastic Beach, Nueva York POR ORDEN DE LA JUNTA DE EDUCACIÓN DE WILLIAM FLOYD UFSD, DE MAS-TICS MORICHES-SHIRLEY

MORICHES-SHIRLEY, CIUDAD DE BROOKHAVEN CONDADO DE SUFFOLK, NUEVA YORK

CAROLYN VISINTIN
SECRETARIA DE DISTRITO
LIA, 20251074, 4/3, 17 - 5/1, 15 |

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING, BUDGET VOTE AND ELECTION OF THE EASTPORT-SOUTH MANOR CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT SUFFOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Public Hearing of the qualified voters of the Eastport-South Manor Central School District, Town of Manorville, Suffolk County, New York, will be held in the Board Room at the Eastport-South Manor Junior-Senior High School, 543 Moriches Middle Island Road, Manorville, New York, in said District on May 7, 2025, at 6:30 p.m., prevailing time, for the transaction of business as authorized by the Education Law, including the following items:

ing the following items:

1. To present to the voters a detailed statement of the amount of money which will be required for the 2025-2026 fiscal year.

2. To discuss all the items hereinafter set forth to be voted upon by voting machine at the Budget Vote and Election to be held on Tuesday, May 20, 2025.

3. To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting pursuant to Education Law of the State of New York and acts amendatory thereto.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that a copy of the statement of the amount of money which will be required to fund the School District's budget for 2025-2026, exclusive of public moneys, may be obtained by any resident of the District beginning April 25, 2025, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., prevailing time, except Saturday, Sunday or holidays at the Office of the District Clerk, 149 Dayton Avenue, Manorville, New York, and on the District's internet website.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that said Budget Vote and Election will be held on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, in the Board Room at the Eastport-South Manor Junior-Senior High School, 543 Moriches Middle Island Road, Manorville, between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m., prevailing time, at which time the polls will be opened to vote by voting machine upon the following items:

1. To adopt the annual budget of the School District for the fiscal year 2025-2026 and to authorize the requisite portion thereof to be raised by taxation on the taxable property of the District. 2. To elect three (3) members of the Board of Education as follows:

Three (3) members of the Board for a term of three (3) years commencing July 1, 2025, and expiring on June 30, 2028, to fill the positions currently held by Cristina Costanza, Francesco Ferraro and David Samartino, whose terms expire on June 30, 2025. The candidates receiving the three highest number of votes shall be appointed to the three (3) three-year terms.

3. To authorize the Board of

Education, for the purpose of enabling the residents of the

Eastport-South Manor Central School District to have the benefit of full library services. to enter into a contract with the Suffolk Cooperative Library System for library services for each resident to be provided either Westhampton Free rary, Mastics-Moriches-Library, Mastics-Moriches-Shirley Library, Riverhead Free Library or Center Moriches Free Library for the period of July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026 and to expend therefore during the District's fiscal year 2025-26 sum of money not exceeding \$2,847,944.00 and that the Board of Education be authorized to

levy the necessary tax therefore. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that pursuant to Section 495 of the Real Property Tax Law, the School District is required to attach to its proposed budget an exemption report. Said exemption report, which will also become part of the final budget, will show how the total assessed value of the final assessment roll used in the budgetary process is exempt from taxation, every type of exemption granted by the statutory authority, and show the cumulative impact of each type of exemption, the cumulative amount expected to be received as payments in lieu of taxes (PILOT) and the cumulative impact of all exemptions granted. In addition, said exemption report shall be post ed on any bulletin board maintained by the District for public notices and on any website maintained by the District

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that petitions nominating candidates for the office of member of the Board of Education shall be filed with the Clerk of the School District at her office in 149 Dayton Avenue, Manorville, New York, not later than April 21, 2025, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., prevailing time. Each petition shall be directed to the Clerk of the District; must be signed by at least twenty-five (25) qualified voters of the District. Vacancies on the Board of Education are not considered separate, specific offices; candidates run at large. Nominating petitions shall not describe any specific vacancy upon the Board for which the candidate is nominated.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that personal registration of voters is required either pursuant to Section 2014 of the Education Law, or pursuant to Article 5 of the Election Law. If a voter has heretofore registered pursuant to Section 2014 of the Education Law and has voted at an annual or special district meeting within the last four (4) calendar years, he or she is eligible to vote at this election. If a voter is registered and eligible to vote under Article 5 of the Election Law, he or she is also eligible to vote at this election. All other persons

who wish to vote must register.
AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, the voters may register with the Clerk of said School District at her office in the District Administration Office, 149 Dayton Avenue, Manorville, New York, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. when school is in session at any day prior to May 15, 2025 to add any additional names to the Register to be used at the aforesaid election, at which time any person will be entitled to have his or her name placed on such Register provided that at such meeting with the Clerk of said School District he or she is known or proven to the satisfaction of the Clerk of said School District to be then or thereafter entitled to vote at such election for which the Register is prepared. The Register so prepared pursuant to Section 2014 of the Education Law will be filed in the Office of the District Clerk, at her office in the District Administration Office, 149 Dayton Avenue, Manorville, New York, and will be open for inspection by any qualified voter of the District beginning on, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., prevailing time, on each day prior to the day set for the election, except Sunday, and at the polling place(s) on the day of the vote. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-

BY GIVEN, that military voters who are qualified voters of the district may submit an application for a military ballot by contacting the District Clerk at her office at 149 Dayton

Avenue, Manorville, New York 11949 or via email at reyesm@esmonline. org. In the request for an application for a military ballot, the military voter is permitted to designate his/her preference for receiving the appli-cation for a military ballot, and the military ballot, by mail, facsimile transmission or electronic mail. All military ballot applications must be received no later than 5:00 pm on April 24, 2025. All qualified military voters' ballot application and military ballot must be returned by mail or in person. Ballots for military voters shall be distributed to qualified military voters no later than April 25, 2025. Military ballots must be received by the District Clerk (1) before the close of the polls, on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, and must show a cancellation mark of the United States postal service or a foreign country's postal service, or must show a dated endorsement of receipt by another agency of the United States Government; or (2) not later than 5: 00 pm on the day of the election and be signed and dated by the military voter and one witness, with a date ascertained to be not later than the day before the election.

A list of persons to whom military ballots are issued will be available for inspection to qualified voters of the District in the Office of the District Clerk on and after Thursday. May 15, 2025, between the hours of 8: 00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., prevailing time, on each day prior to the day set for the annual election, except Sunday, and on May 20, 2025, the day set for the election. Any qualified voter then present in the polling place may object to the voting of the ballot upon appropriate grounds by making his or her challenge and the reasons therefore known to the Inspector of Election before the close of the polls

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that applications for early mail and absentee ballots will be obtainable during school business hours from the District Clerk beginning April 21, 2025; completed applications must be received by the District Clerk no earlier than April 21, 2025 and at least seven (7) days before the election, May 13 2025, if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the election, May 19, 2025, if the ballot isto be delivered personally to the voter. Early mail and Absentee ballots must be received by the District Clerk not later than 5: 00 p.m., prevailing time, on Tuesday, May 20, 2025.

A list of persons to whom early mail and absentee ballots are issued will be available for inspection to qualified voters of the Districtin the Office of the District Clerk on and after Thursday, May 15, 2025, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., prevailing time, on each day prior to the day set for the annual election, except Sunday, and on May 20, 2025, the day set for the election. Any qualified voter then present in the polling place may object to the voting of the ballot upon appropriate grounds by making his or her challenge and the reasons therefore known to the Inspector of Election before the close of

the polls. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN, that pursuant to a rule adopted by the Board of Education in accordance with Section 2035 of the Education Law, any referenda or propositions to amend the budget, or otherwise to be submitted for voting at said election, must be filed with the Clerk of the Board of Education at the District Office, 149 Dayton Avenue, Manorville, New York 11949, in sufficient time to permit notice of the proposition to Public Hearing, Budget Vote and Election required by Section 2004 of the Education Law or on or before April 21, 2025), at 5: 00 p.m., prevailing time; must be typed or printed in the English language; must be directed to the Clerk of the School District; must be signed by at least seventy-eight (78) qualified voters of the District (representing the greater of 25 qualified voters or 5% of the number of voters who voted in the previous annual election); and must legibly state the name of each signer. However, the School Board will not entertain any petition to place before the voters any proposition the purpose of which is not within the powers of the voters to determine,

which is unlawful, or any proposition which fails to include a specific appropriation where the expenditure of monies is required by the proposition, or where other valid reason exists for excluding the proposition from the ballot.

Dated: Manorville, New York March 5, 2025

By Order of the BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE EASTPORT-SOUTH MANOR CEN-TRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT Manorville, New York Michelle Reyes, District Clerk AVISO DE AUDIENCIA PÚBLICA,

VOTACIÓN PRESUPUESTARIA Ý ELECCIÓN DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR CENTRAL DE EASTPORT-SOUTH MANOR

CONDADO DE SUFFOLK, NUEVA YORK

POR LA PRESENTE SE NOTIFI-CA que se celebrará una Audiencia Pública de los votantes cualificados del Distrito Escolar Central de Eastport-South Manor, Municipio de Manorville, Condado de Suffolk, Nueva York, en la Sala de Juntas de la Escuela Secundaria Eastport-South Manor, ubicada en 543 Moriches Middle Island Road, Manorville, Nueva York, en dicho Distrito, el 7 de mayo de 2025 a las 18:30 h, hora vigente, para tratar los asuntos autorizados por la Ley de Educación, incluvendo los siguientes puntos:

1. Presentar a los votantes un estado detallado de la cantidad de dinero que se requerirá para el año fiscal 2025-2026

2. Debatir todos los puntos que se indican a continuación para su votación por máquina en la Votación y Elección del Presupuesto, que se celebrará el martes 20 de mayo de 2025

3. Tratar cualquier otro asunto que se presente debidamente ante la reunión de conformidad con la Ley de Educación del Estado de Nueva

York y sus leyes modificatorias. Y ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que cualquier residente del Distrito podrá obtener una copia del estado de cuenta del monto necesario para financiar el presupuesto del Distrito Escolar para el año 2025-2026, sir incluir fondos públicos, a partir del 25 de abril de 2025, entre las 8:00 a. m. y las 4:00 p. m., hora vigente, excepto sábados, domingos y festivos, en la Oficina del Secre tario del Distrito, ubicada en 149 Dayton Avenue, Manorville, Nueva York, y en el sitio web del Distri-to. Y, ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que dicha Votación y Elección del Presupuesto se llevará a cabo el martes 20 de mayo de 2025 en la Sala de Juntas de la Escuela Secundaria Eastport-South Manor, ubicada en 543 Moriches Middle Island Road Manorville, entre las 6:00 a.m. y las 9:00 p. m., hora vigente. En ese momento, se abrirán las urnas para votar mediante máquina de votación sobre los siguientes puntos:

1. Aprobar el presupuesto anual del Distrito Escolar para el año fiscal 2025-2026 y autorizar que la parte correspondiente se recaude mediante impuestos sobre los bienes gravables del Distrito.
2. Elegir a tres (3) miembros del

Consejo de Educación, de la siguiente manera:

Tres (3) miembros del Consejo por un período de tres (3) años, con vigencia desde el 1 de julio de 2025 hasta el 30 de junio de 2028, para cubrir los cargos que actualmente ocupan Cristina Costanza, Francesco Ferraro y David Samartino, cuyos mandatos vencen el 30 de junio de 2025. Los candidatos que obtengan el mayor número de votos serán dess para los tres (3) mandato:

de tres años. 3. Autorizar a la Junta de Educación, con el propósito de permitir que los residentes del Distrito Escolar Central Eastport-South Manor se beneficien de servicios bibliotecarios completos, a celebrar un contrato con el Sistema de Bibliotecas Cooperativas de Suffolk para que los servicios bibliotecarios para cada residente sean proporcionados por la Biblioteca Gratuita de Westhampton, la Biblioteca Mastics Moriches-Shirley, la Biblioteca Gratuita de Riverhead o la Biblioteca Gratuita de Center Moriches durante el período del 1 de julio de 2025 al 30 de junio de 2026 y a gastar para ello durante el año fiscal 2025-26 del Distrito una suma de dinero que no exceda de \$2,847,944.00 y que la Junta de Educación esté autorizada a imponer el

impuesto necesario para ello. Y, ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que, de conformidad con el Artículo 495 de la Ley del Impuesto sobre Bienes Inmuebles, el Distrito Escolar debe adjuntar a su presupuesto propues to un informe de exenciones. Dicho informe, que también formará parte del presupuesto final, mostrará cómo el valor catastral total del censo final utilizado en el proceso presupuestario está exento de impuestos, enumerará cada tipo de exención otorgada por la autoridad legal y mostrará el impacto acumulado de cada tipo de exención, el monto acumulado que se espera recibir como pagos en lugar de impuestos (PILOT) y el impacto acumulado de todas las exenciones otorgadas. Además, dicho informe de exenciones se publicará en cualquier tablón de anuncios que mantenga el Distrito para avisos públicos y en cualquier sitio web que mantenga el Distrito. Y, ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que las peticiones de nominación de candidatos para el cargo de miembro de la Junta de Educación deberán presentarse ante la Secretaria del Distrito Escolar en su oficina ubicada en 149 Dayton Avenue, Manorville, Nueva York, a más tardar el 21 de abril de 2025, entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 5:00 p.m. hora vigente. Cada petición deberá dirigirse a la Secretaria del Distrito y deberá estar firmada por al menos treinta y un (31) votantes calificados del Distrito. Las vacantes en la Junta de Educación no se consideran cargos separados v específicos: los candidatos se postulan por general. Las peticiones de nominación no deberán describir ninguna vacante específica en la Junta para la cual se nomina al candidato.

Y, ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que el registro personal de votantes es obligatorio, ya sea de conformidad con la Sección 2014 de la Ley de Educación o de conformidad con el Artículo 5 de la Ley Electoral. Si un votante se ha registrado previamente de conformidad con la Sección 2014 de la Ley de Educación y ha votado en una reunión distrital anual o extraordinaria en los últimos cuatro (4) años calendario. elegible para votar en estas elecciones. Si un votante está registrado y es elegible para votar según el Artículo 5 de la Ley Electoral, también es elegible para votar en estas elecciones. Todas las demás personas que deseen votar deben registrarse

POR LA PRESENTE SE NOTI-FICA que los votantes pueden registrarse con la Secretaria de dicho Distrito Escolar en su oficina ubicada en la Oficina de Administración del Distrito, 149 Dayton Avenue, Manorville, Nueva York, entre las 8:00 a. m. y las 4:00 p. m. Durante el período escolar, cualquier día antes del 15 de mayo de 2025, se podrá añadir cualquier nombre adicional al Registro que se utilizará en la elección antes mencionada. En ese momento, cualquier persona tendrá derecho a que su nombre se incluya en dicho Registro, siempre que en la reunión con el Secretario del Distrito Escolar se sepa o se demuestre, satisfacción del Secretario, que tiene derecho a votar en ese momento o posteriormente en la elección la que se ha preparado el Registro. El Registro, preparado de con-formidad con el Artículo 2014 de la Ley de Educación, se archivará en la Oficina de la Secretaria del Distrito, en su oficina ubicada en la Oficina de Administración del Distrito, 149 Dayton Avenue, Manorville, Nueva York, y estará abierto a nección de cualificado del Distrito a partir de las 8:00 a. m. y las 4:00 p. m., hora vigente, cada día anterior al día de la elección, excepto el domingo, y en el/los centro(s) de votación el día de la votación. Y, ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que los votantes militares con derecho a voto del distrito pueden presentar una solicitud de papeleta militar comunicándose con la Secretaria de Distrito en su oficina ubicada en 149 Dayton Avenue, Manorville, Nueva York 11949, o por correo electrónico a revesm@esmonline.org. En la solicitud de papeleta militar, el votante militar puede indicar su preferen-

cia para recibirla por correo postal, fax o correo electrónico. Todas las solicitudes de papeleta militar deben recibirse a más tardar a las 17:00 h del 24 de abril de 2025. Todas las solicitudes de papeleta de los votantes militares con derecho a voto y las papeletas militares deben entregarse por correo postal o en persona. Las papeletas para votantes militares se distribuirán a los votantes militares calificados a más tardar el 25 de abril de 2025. Las papeletas militares deben ser recibidas por el Secretario de Distrito (1) antes del cierre de las urnas, el martes 20 de mayo de 2025, y deben mostrar una marca de cancelación del servicio postal de los Estados Unidos o del servicio postal de un país extranjero, o deben mostrar un endoso fechado de recibo por otra agencia del Gobierno de los Estados Unidos; o (2) a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m. del día de la elección y estar firmadas y fechadas por el votante militar y un testigo, con una fecha que se determine que no sea posterior al día anterior a la elección.

La lista de personas a quienes se expiden papeletas militares estará disponible para su inspección por parte de los votantes cualificados del Distrito en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito a partir del jueves 15 de mayo de 2025, de 8:00 a.m. a 4:00 p. m., hora vigente, todos los días previos al día de las elecciones anuales, excepto el domingo, y el 20 de mayo de 2025, día de las elecciones. Cualquier votante cualificado presente en el colegio electoral podrá oponerse a la votación de la papeleta por motivos justificados, comunicando su impugnación y las razones al Inspector de Elecciones antes del cierre de las urnas.

ADEMÁS, SE NOTIFICA que las solicitudes de papeletas de voto por correo anticipado y en ausencia estarán disponibles en el Secretario del Distrito durante el horario escolar a partir del 21 de abril de 2025. olicitudes completas deben ser recibidas por el Secretario de Distrito no antes del 21 de abril de 2025 y al menos siete (7) días antes de la elección, el 13 de mavo de 2025, si la boleta se enviará por correo al votante, o el día antes de la elección, el 19 de mayo de 2025, si la boleta se entregará personalmente al votante. Las papeletas de voto por correo anticipado y en ausencia deben ser recibidas por el Secretario de Distrito a más tardar a las 17:00 h, hora vigente, del martes 20 de mayo de

La lista de personas a quienes se emitieron papeletas de voto por correo anticipado y en ausencia estará disponible para su inspección por parte de los votantes cualificados del Distrito en la Oficina del Secretario de Distrito a partir del jueves 15 de mayo de 2025, entre las 8:00 h y las 16:00 h, hora vigente, todos los días anteriores al día de las elecciones anuales, excepto el domingo, y el 20 de mayo de 2025, día de las elecciones. Cualquier votante cualificado presente en el centro de votación podrá oponerse a la votación con fundamento, presentando su objeción y las razones correspondientes al Inspector de Elecciones antes del cierre de las

Y ADEMÁS POR LA PRESENTE

SE NOTIFICA que, de conformidad

con una regla adoptada por la Junta de Educación de conformidad con la Sección 2035 de la Ley de Educación, cualquier referéndum o propuesta para enmendar el presupuesto, o que de otra manera se someta a votación en dicha elección, debe presentarse al Secretario de la Junta de Educación en la Oficina del Distrito, 149 Dayton Avenue, Manorville, Nueva York 11949, con tiempo suficiente para permitir incluya con el Aviso de Audiencia Pública, Votación de Presupuesto y Elección requerido por la Sección 2004 de la Ley de Educación o en o antes del 21 de abril de 2025), a las 5:00 p.m., hora vigente; debe estar escrito a máquina o impreso en el idioma inglés; debe dirigirse al Secretario del Distrito Escolar: debe estar firmado por al menos setenta y ocho (78) votantes calificados del Distrito (que representen el mayor de 25 votantes calificados o el 5% del número de votantes que votaron en

la elección anual anterior); y debe indicar legiblemente el nombre de cada firmante. Sin embargo, la Junta Escolar no aceptará ninguna petición para presentar a los votantes ninguna propuesta cuyo propósito no esté dentro de la facultad de los votantes para determinar, que sea ilegal, o ninguna propuesta que no incluya una asignación específica cuando la propuesta requiera el gasto de fondos, o cuando exista otra razón válida para excluir la propuesta de la boleta electoral.

Fecha: Manorville, Nueva York, 5 de marzo de 2025

Por Orden de la

JUNTA DE EDUCACIÓN DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR CENTRAL DE EASTPORT-SOUTH MANOR Manorville, Nueva York Michelle Reyes, Secretaria de Dis-

LIA, 20251075, 4/3, 17 - 5/1, 15 |

REFEREE'S NOTICE OF SALE IN

SUPREME COURT - COUNTY OF SUFFOLK

DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE
FOR FFMLT TRUST 2006-FF4,
MODIFICACE PASS THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-FF4, Plaintiff - against - PAUL SALAM-ONE A/K/A PAUL NICHOLAS SAL-

AMONE, et al Defendant(s). Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered on March 31, 2022. I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the Brookhaven Town Hall, 1 Independence Hill, Farmingville, NY 11738 on the 12th day of May, 2025 at 10:30 AM. All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Town of Brookhaven, County of Suffolk and State of New York.

Premises known as 323 Mount Vernon Avenue, Medford, (Town of Brookhaven) NY 11763.

(SBL#: 0200-771.00-03.00-001.000) Approximate amount of lien \$539,719.46 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed judgment and

Index No. 603941/2018. Christopher M. Hahn, Esq., Referee. Davidson Fink LLP

Attorney(s) for Plaintiff 400 Meridian Centre Blvd, Ste 200 Rochester, NY 14618

Tel. 585/760-8218 For sale information, please visit

Auction.com at www.Auction.com or call (800) 280-2832 Dated: March 6, 2025

During the COVID-19 health emergency, bidders are required to comply with all governmental health requirements in effect at the time of sale including but not limited to, wearing face coverings and maintaining social distancing (at least 6-feet apart) during the auction, while tendering deposit and at any subsequent closing. Bidders are also required to comply with the Foreclosure Auction Rules and COVID-19 Health Emergency Rules issued by the Supreme Court of this County in addition to the conditions set forth in the Terms of Sale. Auction Loca-

tions are subject to change.

LIA, 20251077, 4/10, 17, 24 - 5/1

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF SUFFOLK COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS,

-against-

MELANIE SEXTON, ET AL. NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Suffolk on December 13, 2018, wherein COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS, INC. is the Plaintiff and MELANIE SEXTON, ET AL. are the Defendant(s). I, the undersigned Referee, will sell at public auction at the BROOKHAVEN TOWN HALL, 1 INDEPENDENCE HILL, FARMINGVILLE, NY 11738, on May 14, 2025 at 10:30AM, premises known as 188 MASTIC BOULEVARD, MASTIC, NY 11950; and the following tax map identification: 0200-854.00-01.00-022.000.

ALL THAT CERTAIN PLOT, PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND, SITUATE, LYING AND BEING IN THE TOWN OF BROOKHAVEN, SUFFOLK COUNTY, AND STATE OF NEW

Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index No.: 041181/2010. Edward G. Heilig, Esq. - Referee. Robertson, Anschutz, Schneid, Crane & Partners, PLLC, 900 Merchants Concourse, Suite 310, Westbury, New York 11590, Attorneys for Plaintiff. All foreclosure sales will be conducted in accordance with Covid-19 guidelines including, but not limited to, social distancing and mask wearing. *LOCATION OF SALE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DAY OF IN ACCORDANCE WITH COURT/CLERK DIRECTIVES. LIA, 20251078, 4/10, 17, 24 - 5/1 |

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF SUFFOLK NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC DBA MR. COOPER,

ANTOINETTE BURRELLI, ET AL. NOTICE OF SALÉ

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Suffolk on December 19, 2024, wherein NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC DBA MR. COOPER, is the Plaintiff and ANTOINETTE BURRELLI, ET AL are the Defendant(s). I, the undersigned Referee, will sell at public auction at BROOKHAVEN TOWN HALL, 1 INDEPENDENCE HILL, FARMINGVILLE, NY 11738, on May 12, 2025 at 10:00AM, premises known as 26 WILLIAMS AVENUE, BROOKHAVEN A/K/A HOLTSVILLE, NY 11742; and the following tax map identification: 0200-767.00-03.00-

ALL THAT CERTAIN PLOT, PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND, SITUATE, LYING AND BEING IN THE VIL-LAGE OF HOLTSVILLE, FORMER-LY WAVERLY, TOWN OF BROOKHA-VEN, COUNTY OF SUFFOLK AND STATE OF NEW YORK

Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index No.: 621728/2018. Ryan Nicholas Brown, Esq. - Referee. Robertson, Anschutz, Schneid, Crane & Partners, PLLC, 900 Merchants Concourse, Suite 310, Westbury, New York 11590, Attorneys for Plaintiff. All foreclosure sales will be conducted in accordance with Covid-19 guidelines including, but not limited to, social distancing and mask wearing. *LOCATION OF SALE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DAY OF IN ACCORDANCE WITH COURT/CLERK DIRECTIVES.

LIA, 20251079, 4/10, 17, 24 - 5/1 |

NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME COURT SUFFOLK COUNTY WILMINGTON SAVINGS FUND SOCIETY, FSB, NOT IN ITS INDI-VIDUAL CAPACITY BUT SOLELY AS THE TRUSTEE OF IMPERIAL FUND MORTGAGE TRUST 2022-NQM3, Plaintiff against

PAUL SMITH, et al Defendant(s) Attorney for Plaintiff(s) Kelley Kronenberg, 111 Broadway, Suite 1205, New York, NY 10006, (800) 484-

Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered May 8, 2024, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at Brookhaven Town Hall, 1 Independence Hill, Farmingville, NY 11738 on May 9, 2025 at 10:00 AM. Premises known as 45 Grasslands Circle, Mount Sinai, New York 11766. District 0200 Sec 095.0 Block 09.00 Lot 012.000. All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being at Mt. Sinai, Town of Brookhaven, County of Suffolk and State of New York. Approximate Amount of Judgment \$687,660.33 plus interest, fees, and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index No 604912/2023.

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. Scott B. Augustine, Esq., Referee File # 02207014 LIA, 20251080, 4/10, 17, 24 - 5/1 |

NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME COURT: COUNTY OF SUFFOLK COLONIAL WOODS CONDOMINI-UM, Plaintiff, against SUFFOLK COUNTY PUBLIC ADMINISTRA-

TOR as Administrator of Estate of Frances Brill; and "JOHN DOE" and "MARY DOE", Defendants. Pursuant to an Amended Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered herein on February 24, 2025, I. the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction on the front steps of Brookhaven Town Hall, One Independence Hill, Farmingville, New York, May 12, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. premises being in the Town of Brookhaven, County of Suffolk, State of New York as more fully described as: ALL that certain plot, piece or parcel of real property, situate and being part of a condominium in the Town of Brookhaven, County of Suffolk and State of New York, known and designated as Unit No. 422 together with a 3630% undivided interest in the common elements of the condominium hereinafter described as the same is defined in the Declaration of the Condominium hereinafter referred to. The real property above described is a unit shown on the plans of a condominium prepared and certified by Allen & Grant, P.C. and filed in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Suffolk on May 6 1974 as Condominium Map No. 34 defined in the Declaration of Condominium entitled, "Parr Village Condominium", now known as Colonial Woods Condominium made by the Parr Company of Suffolk Inc., under Article 9-B of the New York Real Property Law, dated May 3, 1974 and recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Suffolk on May 6, 1974 in Liber 7632 Cp 188 as amended by instruments recorded in Liber 7735 Cp 461, Liber 8555 Cp 576 and Liber 8555 Cp 580 covering the property herein described. Said premises known as 10 Smith Commons, Town of Brookhaven, Suffolk County, New York District 0200; Section 988.90, Block 05.00, Lot 008.000. Said premises will be sold subject to zoning restrictions, covenants, easements, conditions, reservations and agreements, if any; subject to any state of facts as may appear from an accurate survey; subject to facts

as to possession and occupancy and subject to whatever physical condition of the premises may be; subject to any violations of the zoning and other municipal ordinances and regulations, if any, and if the United States of America should file a tax lien, or other lien, subject to the equity of redemption of the United States of America; subject to the rights of any lienors of record whose liens have not been foreclosed herein, if any; subject to the rights of holders of security in fixtures as defined by the Uniform Commercial Code; subject to taxes, assessments and water rates which are liens on the premises at the time of sale, with accrued interest or penalties thereon; and subject to a first mortgage initially held by MERS, as Nominee for Indymac Bank, FSB, mortgaggiven by Defendant FRANCES BRILL, mortgagor, in the amount of \$204,750.00, dated 3/6/2007 and recorded on 5/7/2007 in the Office of the Suffolk County Clerk in Liber 21530 at Page 206; said mortgage being assigned by MERS, as Nominee for Indymac Bank, FSB as assignor to US Bank National Association as Trustee as assignee dated 1/27/17 and recorded in the Office of the Suffolk County Clerk in Liber 22806 at Page 840. Index No. 609710/2022

Dated: April 1, 2025

Scott Zamek, Esq. Cohen, Warren, Meyer & Gitter, P.C., Attorneys for Plaintiff, 98 Maple Avenue, Suite 100, Smithtown, New

LIA, 20251081, 4/10, 17, 24 - 5/1 |

NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME State of New York Mortgage Agency, Plaintiff AGAINST Michael Costanza; Francesca Costanza; et al., Defendant(s) Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly entered December 4, 2019, I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the Brookhav-en Town Hall, 1 Independence Hill, Farmingville, NY 11738 on May 9, 2025 at 10:00 AM, premises known as 8 Thrasher Avenue, Bellport, NY 11713. All that certain plot piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements erected, situate, lying and being in the Town of Brookhaven, County of Suffolk and State of

New York, District: 0200, Section: 872.00, Block: 05.00, Lot: 065.000. Approximate amount of judgment \$383,682.11 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index #601636/2015. Erin Marie McTiernan, Esq., Referee McCalla Raymer Leibert Pierce, LLC 420 Lexington Avenue-Suite 840 New York, NY 10170 23-14720NY 85097

LIA, 20251082, 4/10, 17, 24 - 5/1 |

Legal Notice Notice of formation of WALLYB-WELLNES LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State SSNY on 12/10/24. Office located in SUFFOLK. SSNY has been designat ed for service of process. SSNY shall mail copy of any process served against the LLC 197 FOREST RD WEST MASTIC BEACH NY 11951.

LIA, 20251083, 4/10, 17, 24 - 5/1,

Notice of formation of Sam Squared Foodservice LLC Articles of Organization file with the Secretary of State of New York SSNY on 03/26/2025. Office located in Suffolk County. SSNY as agent of Sam Squared Foodservice LLC Upon whom pro-cess against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to 50 Glenmore Lane, Coram, NY 11727 Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

LIA, 20251090, 4/10, 17, 24 - 5/1,

Notice of formation of Junkify LLC Articles of Organization file with the Secretary of State of New York SSNY on 01/15/2025. Office located in Suffolk County. SSNY as agent of Junkify LLC Upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to 55 Kelsey Avenue, Port Jefferson Station, NY 11776 Purpose: Any lawful purpose. LIA, 20251091, 4/10, 17, 24 - 5/1,

Notice of formation of Jenlu Beauty

Articles of Organization file with the Secretary of State of New York SSNY on 01/02/2025. Office located in Suffolk County. SSNY as agent of Jenlu Beauty LLC Upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to 209 Sutton Court, Mount Sinai, NY 11766

Purpose: Any lawful purpose. LIA, 20251092, 4/10, 17, 24 - 5/1,

Notice of formation of JEM Properties 1 LLC

Articles of Organization file with the Secretary of State of New York SSNY on 01/02/2025. Office located in Suffolk County. SSNY as agent of JEM Properties 1 LLC Upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to 20 Nidzyn Avenue, Speonk, New York 11972 Purpose: Any lawful purpose. LIA, 20251093, 4/10, 17, 24 - 5/1, 8, 15 I

Notice of formation of JEM Properties 2 LLC

Articles of Organization file with the Secretary of State of New York SSNY on 01/02/2025. Office located in Suffolk County. SSNY as agent of JEM Properties 2 LLC Upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to 20 Nidzyn Avenue, Speonk, New York 11972 Purpose: Any lawful purpose. LIA, 20251094, 4/10, 17, 24 - 5/1,

Notice of formation of JUMOZY LLC. Articles of Or ganization filed with the Secretary of State of New York SSNY on April 1, 2025. Office located in Suffolk Cty. SSNY has been designated for service of pro-Y shall mail conv proc ess served against the LLC: 316 Beaver Dam Rd Brookhaven, NY 11719. Purpose: any lawful purpose. **LIA**, **20251095**, **4/10**, **17**, **24** - **5/1**,

Notice of formation of Gensinger

Fire Protection ITM LLC Articles of Organization filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/12/2024. Office location: Suffolk County. SSNY Designated as agent of LLC upon whom process, against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 11 Bolin Road, Coram, NY 11727 Purpose: any lawful activLIA, 20251096, 4/10, 17, 24 - 5/1,

Notice of Annual Meeting Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the plot holders of the Blue Point Cemetery Association will be held on Tuesday, May

6, 2025 at 8pm at the Blue Point Firehouse for the purpose of electing directors and for other business that may properly come before the

meeting Donald C. Kern E. Eric Klug Directors **LIA**, 20251102, 4/17, 24 - 5/1

NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME COURT - COUNTY OF SUFFOLK NEXTRES, LLC

Plaintiff,

JOSEPH E. MORRISON; et al

Defendant(s) Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale, duly entered 02/03/2025, I, the undersigned Referee, will sell at public auction, at Brookhaven Town Hall, 1 Independence Hill, Farmingville, NY 11738, on 5/16/2025 at 10:30AM, premises known as 4 Cornell Rd, East Pat-chogue, NY 11772, and described

as follows: ALL that certain plot piece or par-cel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Town of Brookhaven, County of Suffolk and State of New York.
District 0200 Section 982.80 Block

07.00 Lot 003.000

The approximate amount of the current Judgment lien is \$305,112.24 plus interest and costs. The Premises will be sold subject to provisions of the aforesaid Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale; Index # 627290/2023

Edward Heilig, Esq., Referee. MCCABE, WEISBERG & CONWAY, LLC, 10 Midland Avenue, Suite 205, Port Chester, NY 10573 Dated: 3/17/2025 F File Number: 23-301428 CA

LIA, 20251103, 4/17, 24 - 5/1, 8 |

Notice of formation of CHRISTINE CAMPISI DANCE COMPANY LLC Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York SSNY on 03/30/2024. Office located in Albany. SSNY has been designated for service of process. SSNY shall mail copy of any process served against the LLC to 168 14th Ave, Holtsville, NY 11742. Purpose: any lawful purpose

LIA, 20251104, 4/17, 24 - 5/1, 8, 15, 22 |

NOTICE OF SALE

Supreme Court County of Suffolk Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as Trustee for the Structured Asset Securities Corporation Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2005-NC2. Plaintiff AGAINST

Julio Izquierdo, et al, Defendant Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclo-sure and Sale duly dated January 2025 and entered on January 23, 2025, I, the undersigned Referee, will sell at public auction at the Brookhaven Town Hall, 1 Independence Hill, Farmingville, NY on May 19, 2025 at 2:00 PM premises known as 23 Champlain Port Jefferson Station, NY 11776. All that certain plot piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements erected, situate, lying and being in the County of Suffolk, State of New York, SECTION: 281.00, BLOCK: 08.00, LOT: 055.000, Dist 0200. Approximate amount of judgment is \$744.276.65 plus interests and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judg-# 628891/202

For sale information, please visit Auction.com at www.Auction.com or call (800) 280-2832.

Harold A. Steuerwald, Referee FRENKEL LAMBERT WEISS WEIS-MAN & GORDON LLP

53 Gibson Street Bay Shore, NY 11706 LIA, 20251106, 4/17, 24 - 5/1, 8 |

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of formation of Taco El Primo NY LLC Articles of organization filed with the SSNY on 04/09/2025,

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office located in Suffolk County. SSNY has been designated for service of process. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process served against the LLC to <u>9 Koren Ln, Middle Island</u> NY 11953. Purpose: Any lawful pur-

LIA, 20251107, 4/17, 24 - 5/1, 8, 15, 22

"Where Speech Therapy Smiles and Success! Notice of formation of Speech with Kimmy LLC. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York SSNY on 12/26/24. Office located in Suffolk County. SSNY has been designated for service of process. SSNY shall mail copy of any process served against the LLC to 40 Iroquois Ave, Selden, NY 11784. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LIA, 20251112, 4/17, 24 - 5/1, 8, 15 22 |

Notice of Formation of Zeus Consulting and Fabrication. Articles of Organization filed with secretary of state NY on 10/29/2024 office location Suffolk County.SSNY designated as agent of Zeus Consulting and Fabrication upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to 3 smythe ct bellport NY 11713 Purpose: Any

LIA, 20251117, 4/17, 24 - 5/1, 8,

Notice of Formation of GUIDING YOU WITH GRACE LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2025-04-14. 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 GUIDING YOU WITH GRACE LLC PO BOX 252 HOLTSVILLE, NY 11742. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. LIA, 20251118, 4/24- 5/1, 8, 15,

REFEREE'S NOTICE OF SALE IN FORECLOSURE

SUPREME COURT - COUNTY OF SUFFOLK

THE BANK OF NEW YORK MEL-LON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF THE CWABS INC., ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2004-ECC1, Plaintiff - against - JOHN CILLUFFO, et al Defendant(s).

Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered on August 2, 2024. I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the Brookhaven Town Hall, 1 Independence Hill, Farmingville, NY 11738 on the 22nd day of May, 2025 at 12:00 PM. All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Town of Brookhaven, County of Suffolk and State of New York.

Premises known as 18 Woodbrook Drive, Ridge, NY 11961. (District: 200, Section: 242.20, Block:

01.00, Lot: 095.000)

Approximate amount of lien \$485,953.51 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed judgment and

terms of sale. Index No. 621511/2023. Kevin R. Johnston, Esq., Referee.

McCalla Raymer Leibert Pierce, LLC Attornev(s) for Plaintiff

420 Lexington Avenue, Suite 840 New York, NY 10170 Tel. 347/286-7409

For sale information, please visit Auction.com at www.Auction.com or call (800) 280-2832

Dated: March 25, 2025 During the COVID-19 health emergency, bidders are required to comply with all governmental health n effect at the time rements of sale including but not limited to, wearing face coverings and maintaining social distancing (at least 6-feet apart) during the auction, while tendering deposit and at any subsequent closing. Bidders are also required to comply with the Foreclosure Auction Rules and COVID-19 Health Emergency Rules issued by the Supreme Court of this County in addition to the conditions set forth in the Terms of Sale. Auction Loca-

tions are subject to change.

LIA, 20251121, 4/24 - 5/1, 8, 15

Notice of Self Storage Sale Please take notice Prime Storage

Medford located at 3220 Horse Block Rd Medford NY 11763 intends to hold a sale of the property stored in the below listed Storage Spaces. The public sale shall occur as an online auction via <u>www.storagetrea-sures.com</u> on 5/14/25 at 12:00 PM. Unless stated otherwise the descrip tion of the contents are household goods, furnishings and garage essentials. Natasha Rodriguez unit #149; Catherine Burke unit #174; Beatrice Birt unit #315; Ryan Bennett unit #346; Anthony Mondo unit #509; Wanda Appling unit #677. This sale may be withdrawn at any time without notice. See manager for details. LIA, 20251122, 4/24 - 5/1

PUBLIC NOTICES SEND LEGAL NOTICES TO LIAOFFICE@LIADVANCE.NET

Notice of Self Storage Sale Please take notice Prime Storage Shirley located at 235 William Floyd Parkway Shirley NY 11967 intends to hold a sale of the property stored in the below listed Storage Spaces The public sale shall occur as an online auction via www.storagetreasures.com on 5/14/25 at 12:00 PM. Unless stated otherwise the description of the contents are household goods, furnishings and garage essentials. Glenville Squires Jr unit #1250; Andre Smith unit #1413; Charlie Landman unit #166. This sale may be withdrawn at any time without See manager for details. LIA, 20251123, 4/24 - 5/1 |

Notice of Self Storage Sale Please take notice Prime Storage -Centereach located at 21 Hammond Rd Centereach NY 11720 intends to hold a sale of the property stored in the below listed Storage Spaces. The public sale shall occur as an online auction via <u>www.storagetreasures.</u> <u>com</u> on 5/14/25 at 12:00 PM. Unless stated otherwise the description of the contents are household goods. furnishings and garage essentials. Kevin Baez unit #00252 - 1994 Chevy Suburban, and VIN# 1GNFK16KX-RJ417868 (For Parts Only); Rebecca Fischer unit #04084; Glenda M Brown unit #7188. This sale may be withdrawn at any time without notice. See manager for details. LIA, 20251124, 4/24 - 5/1 |

Notice of Self Storage Sale

Please take notice Prime Storage Port Jefferson Station located at 1184 Route 112 Port Jefferson NY 11776 intends to hold a sale of the property stored in the below listed Storage Spaces. The public sale shall occur as an online auction via www. storagetreasures.com on 5/14/25 at 12:00 PM. Unless stated otherwise the description of the contents are household goods, furnishings and garage essentials. Keith Butler unit #A245; Kelly Felice unit #A364; Kelly Felice unit #A545. This sale may be withdrawn at any time without notice. See manager for details. LIA, 20251125, 4/24 - 5/1 |

NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME COURT SUFFOLK COUNTY CITIBANK, N.A., AS TRUSTEE FOR WAMU ASSET-BACKED CERTIFI-CATES WAMU SERIES 2007-HE3, Plaintiff against

BERNARD SCOTT, et al Defen-

Attorney for Plaintiff(s) Margolin, Weinreb & Nierer, LLP, 575 Under-hill Boulevard, Suite 224, Syosset,

Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered March 12, 2025, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at Brookhaven Town Hall, 1 Independence Hill, Farmingville, NY 11738 on May 29, 2025 at 11:00 AM. Premises known as 6 Field Lane, Miller Place, New York 11764. District 0200 Sec 097.00 Block 02.00 Lot 004.033. All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings improvements thereon situate, lying and being at Miller Place, Town of Brookhaven, County of Suffolk and State of New York. Approximate Amount of Judgment is \$1,108,020.91 plus interest, fees, and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index No 607808/2023.

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.
Mara S. Manin, Esq., Referee File

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LIA, 20251126, 4/24 - 5/1, 8, 15 |

Legal Notice #121676 Notice of formation of Blue Spruce Mechanical LLC. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York SSNY on 01/02/2025. Office located in Suffolk County. SSNY has been designated for service of process. SSNY shall mail copy of any process served against the LLC 630 College Road Farmingville, N.Y. 11738. Purpose: any lawful

purpose. LIA, 20251131, 5/1, 8, 15, 22, 29 - 6/5 |

NOTICE OF ELECTION HOLTSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Fire Commissioners, a Special Election of the qualified voters of the Holtsville Fire District in the Town of Brookhaven, County of Suf folk, State of New York, will be held at the Holtsville Fire District located at 1025 Waverly Avenue, Holtsville, New York, on June 3, 2025 between the hours of 6:00 o'clock P.M. and 9:00 o'clock P.M. for the purpose stated in the below proposition: PROPOSITION: THE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS OF THE HOLTSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT, TOWN OF BROOKHAVEN, COUN-TY OF SUFFOLK, IN A RESOLUTION ADOPTED APRIL 17, 2025, APPROVED AN AMENDMENT OF THE DEFINED BENEFIT LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY THE FIRE DISTRICT AND ESTABLISHED FOR ACTIVE VOLUNTEER FIRE-FIGHTERS OF THE HOLTSVILLE FIRE DEPARTMENT, TO EXTEND THE MAXIMUM YEARS OF SER-VICE CREDIT FOR WHICH A PARTICIPATING ACTIVE VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER MAY EARN A SERVICE AWARD FROM 40 TO 50 YEARS; AND THAT THE PRE-ENTITLEMENT DEATH BEN-EFIT BE CHANGED TO READ PRE-ENTITLEMENT: THE INSUR-PRE-ENTITLEMENT: THE INSUR-ANCE FACE VALUE IF ANY, PLUS THE PRESENT VALUE OF THE MEMBER'S ACCRUED BENEFITS; AND THEREFORE THE MAXIMUM PROJECTED ACCRUED MONTHLY SERVICE AWARD FROM \$800 TO \$1,000, EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1,

THE CALENDAR YEAR 2025 CON-TRIBUTION DUE FOR THE PRO-GRAM IS ABOUT \$123,800.00, WHICH INCLUDES AN AVERAGE CONTRIBUTION FOR EACH PAR-TICIPATING VOLUNTEER FIRE-FIGHTER THAT EARNS SERVICE CREDIT OF APPROXIMATELY \$2,000.00. THE ANNUAL CONTRI-BUTION FOR THE AMENDED PROGRAM WILL INCREASE AS RESULT OF THIS AMENDMENT AND IS THEREFORE ESTIMATED TO BE \$138,900.00. THE AVERAGE CONTRIBUTION PER PARTICIPATING VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER THAT EARNS SERVICE CRED-IT WILL BE APPROXIMATELY \$2,240.00. THE

DISTRICT PAYS ADDITIONAL ANNUAL ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS OF ABOUT \$7,175.00 WHICH WILL NOT CHANGE AS A RESULT OF THIS AMENDMENT.

Pursuant to subdivision 4 of Section 179 of the Town Law, every elector of the aforesaid Town who shall be a registered voter of such Town and who shall have resided in the Fire District for a period of thirty (30) days next preceding the Special Election which is the subject of this notice shall be qualified to vote upon such proposition.

Please note that only those persons who have registered with the County Board of Elections on or before e 23rd day before the Fire Distric election day shall be eligible to vote. For this Special Election, such registration must have taken place on or before May 11, 2025.

Please be advised that the Board of Elections of the Holtsville Fire District shall meet on May 27, 2025 at 9:00 a.m. at the District Office located at 1025 Waverly Avenue, Holtsville, New York, for the purpose of preparing the rolls of registered voters of the Fire District.

Dated: April 17, 2025 BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS OF THE HOLTSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT Bv: WAYNE PETRY

Fire District Secretary LIA, 20251132, 5/1 i

NOTICE

The bond resolution, a summary of which is published herewith, has been adopted on April 22, 2025, and the validity of the obligations authorized by such bond resolution may be hereafter contested only if such obligations were authorized for an object or purpose for which the WILLIAM FLOYD UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE MASTICS-MOIRCHES-SHIRLEY, in the County of Suffolk, New York, is not authorized to expend money or if the provisions of law which should have been complied with as of the date of publication of this Notice were not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the publication of this Notice, or such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the

Carolyn Visintin District Clerk BOND RESOLUTION OF THE WILLIAM FLOYD UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE MASTICS-MORICHES-SHIRLEY NEW YORK, ADOPTED APRIL 22, 2025, AUTHORIZING 2025,CONSTRUCTION ADDITIONS AND/ OR ALTERATIONS IMPROVEMENTS TO DISTRICT BUILDINGS AND SITES STATING THEREOF; THE ESTIMATED TOTAL COST THEREOF IS NOT TO EXCEED \$78,500,000: APPROPRIATING SAID AMOUNT THEREFOR INCLUDING THE EXPENDITURE OF \$21,000,000 OF CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS ON HAND; AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$57,500,000 SERIAL BONDS OF SAID DISTRICT TO FINANCE THE BALANCE OF SAID APPROPRIATION

Objects or purposes: struction of additions and/or alterations and improvements to District buildings and sites

Amount of obligations to be issued not to exceed \$57,500,000 Period of probable use-

fulness: thirty (30) years A complete copy of the bond resolution summarized above shall be

available for public inspection during normal business hours at the office of the District Clerk, William Floyd Union Free School District of the Mastics-Moriches-Shirley, 240 Mastic Beach Road, Mastic Beach, New

York Dated: April 22, 2025 Mastic Beach, New York LIA, 20251133, 5/1

NOTAR

La resolución de bonos, de la cual se publica un resumen en adjunta al presente, se ha adoptado el 22 de abril de 2025, y la validez de las obligaciones autorizadas por dicha resolución de bonos solo puede impug-narse en lo sucesivo si dichas obligaciones fueron autorizadas para un objeto o propósito para el cual el DISTRITO ESCOLAR LIBRE DE LA UNIÓN WILLIAM FLOYD DE MAS-TICS-MORICHES-SHIRLEY, NUEVA YORK SHIRLEY, en el Condado de Suffolk, Nueva York, no está autorizada a gastar dinero o si las disposiciones de la ley que deberían haberse cumplido a partir de la fecha de publicación de este Aviso no se cumplieron sustancialmente, y se inicia una acción, demanda ó procedimiento que impugna dicha validez dentro de los veinte días posteriores a la publicación de este Aviso, o tales obligaciones fueron autorizadas en violación de las disposiciones de la Constitució

Carolyn Visintin Secretaria del

Distrito RESOLUCIÓN DE BONOS DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR LIBRE DE LA UNIÓN WILLIAM FLOYD DE MASTICS-MORICHES-SHIRLEY, NUEVA YORK, ADOPTADA EL 22 DE ABRIL DE 2025, QUE AUTORIZA LA CONSTRUCCIÓN AUTORIZA LA CONSTRUCCION DE ADICIONES Y/O ALTERACIONES Y MEJORAS A LOS EDIFICIOS DEL DISTRITO Y LOS SITIOS DE LOS MISMOS; DECLARANDO QUE EL COSTO TOTAL ESTIMADO DE LOS MISMOS NO EXCEDERÁ DE 78.500.000

DÓLARES: APROPIANOLOSE DICHA CANTIDAD PARA
ELLO, INCLUIDO EL GASTO
DE 21.000.000 DE DÓLARES
DE FONDOS DE RESERVA
DE CAPITAL DISPONIBLES; Y
AUTORIZANDO LA EMISIÓN
DE NO ENCORED \$57.500.000 DE NO EXCEDER \$57,500,000 BONOS SERIADOS DE DICHO DISTRITO PARA FINANCIAR SALDO DEDICHA APROPIACIÓN.

Objetos o propositos: strucción de adiciones y/o alteraciones y mejoras a los edificios y sitios del Distrito

Cantidad de las obligaciones de a emitir no \$57,500,000 excederá

Período de probable utilidad: treinta (30) años

Una cópia completa de la resolución de bonos resumida anteriormente estará disponible para el público inspección durante el horario normal de trabajo en la oficina del Secretario del Distrito, Distrito Escolar Libre de la Unión William Floyd de Mastics-Moriches-Shirley, 240 Mastic Beach Road, Mastic Beach,

Nueva York Fecha: 22 de abril de 2025 Mastic Beach, Nueva York LIA, 20251134, 5/1

NOTICE OF SALE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EAST-ERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, NOT IN ITS INDIVIDUAL CAPACI-TY BUT SOLELY AS TRUSTEE FOR THE RMAC TRUST, SERIES 2016-CTT, Plaintiff AGAINST ALLEN T. SWEZEY, ELIZABETH SWEZEY, Defendant(s) Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly entered July 5, 2022, I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the Brookhaven Town Hall, 1 Independence Hill, Farmingville, NY 11738 on May 29, 2025 at 10:30 AM, premises known as 64 Highland Avenue, Patchogue, NY 11772. All that certain plot piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements erected, situate, lying and being at Patchogue, in the Town of Brookhaven, County of Suffolk and State of New York, District: 0204 Section: 011.00 Block: 01.00 Lot(s): 023.000 & 024.000. Approximate amount of judgment \$175,992.26 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index #20-cv-00091. Steven P. Bertolino, Esq., Referee Gross Polowy, LLC 1775 Wehrle Drive Williamsville, NY 14221 19-006655 85292

LIA, 20251135, 5/1, 8, 15, 22 |

NOTICE OF SALE United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York Freedom Mortgage Corporation, Plaintiff

AGAINST Mercy Rich, et al, Defendant Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly dated January 27, 2025 and entered on January 27, 2025, I, the undersigned Referee, will sell at public auction at the Riverhead Town Hall, 4 W 2nd Street, Riverhead, NY 11901 on June 2, 2025 at 12:00 PM premises known as 242 Trout Brook Lane, Riverhead, NY 11901. All that certain plot piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements erected, situate, lying and being in the County of Suffolk, State of New York, SEC-TION: 085.00, BLOCK: 02.00, LOT: 096.001; District 0600. Approximate amount of judgment is \$534,372.99 plus interests and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index # 22-cv-4827.

For sale information, please visit Auction.com at www.Auction.com or call (800) 280-2832. Stephanie S. Goldstone, Referee FRENKEL LAMBERT WEISS WEIS-

MAN & GORDON LLP

53 Gibson Street Bay Shore, NY 11706 LIA, 20251136, 5/1, 8, 15, 22 |

Notice of formation of NAILS BY

JULIA LLC
Articles of Organization filed with
Secretary of State of New York
(SSNY) on 01/21/2025. Office location: Suffolk County.

SSNY designated as agent of NAILS BY JULIA LLC upon whom process against it may be served.

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SSNY should mail process to NAILS BY JULIA LLC: 41 N PHILLIPS AVE #112, SPEONK, NY, 11972, USA Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose. LIA, 20251137, 5/1, 8, 15, 22,

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

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The Center Moriches Free Public Library will receive separate, sealed bids for the construction contract for its Community Garden Project forwarded to the Center Moriches Free Public Library (Director's Office) located at 235 Main Street, Center Moriches, New York 11934. Bids must be sealed with "Community Garden Project" written on the outside of the envelope containing the Bid Proposal. Bids must be received no later than 2:00 pm on May 22, 2025. All bids will be opened and read publicly on May 22, 2025 at 2:00 pm. Bid Proposals received after such date and time will be rejected.

Plans and specifications may be obtained beginning on May 1, 2025 at 12:00 pm, as follows:

Upon request, an electronic copy of the bid documents will be emailed to the requesting bidder. Contact the following person (<u>via email</u>) to obtain a Bid Package:

John Tanzi, Project Architect John Tanzi Architects email: jtanzi@jtarchitects.net

Bid security in the form of a certified check or money order payable to the Center Moriches Free Public Library (or a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bidder) in an amount equal to 5% (five percent) of the total amount of the bid shall be submitted with each bid. The surety issuing the bid bond shall possess a minimum policyholder rating of "A-" as listed in AM Best's Insurance Guide and be licensed to conduct business in the State of New York.

A pre-bid conference/walk through to review the scope of work and visit the project site will be held at the Center Moriches Free Public Library building located at 235 Main Street, Center Moriches, New York 11934 at 10:00 am on May 13, 2025. Participants will meet inside the building's main entrance. The project site visit is recommended for all bidders.

All questions and requests for clarifications must be submitted in writing via e-mail and received no later than 5:00 pm on May 15, 2025 to:

John Tanzi, Project Architect John Tanzi Architects

email: jtanzi@jtarchitects.net The contract will contain a provision that every laborer and workman employed on or about the work contemplated by the contract shall be paid not less than the rate of wages which are set forth in the "Prevailing Wage Rate" schedule from the New York State Department of Labor.

The contract will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder or the proposals will be rejected within 45 (forty-five) days of the date of opening proposals, subject, however, to the right reserved by the Board of Trustees of the Center Moriches Free Public Library to waive any informalities in, reject any or all proposals, accept any bid in whole or in part, or to advertise for new proposals, if, in the opinion of this Board of Trustees, the best interests of the Center Moriches Free Public Library will thereby be promoted. This notice is an offer to receive proposals for a contract and not an offer of a contract.

All bids shall include non-collusive bidding certification or statement required by Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York and shall also contain a non-segregated facilities certificate which shall provide that the bidder does not maintain or provide for its s facilities hich are regated on the basis of race, creed, color or national origin, whether such facilities are segregated by directive or on a de facto basis. Board of Trustees

Center Moriches Free Public Library

May 1, 2025 LIA, 20251138, 5/1

Invitation to Bidders BOARD OF EDUCATION South Country Central School Dis-

PUBLIC NOTICE: is hereby given for single prime contract sealed bids for: Auditorium Reconstruction at Bellport High School. Bids will be

received by the School District, on May 22, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. in the District Offices, 189 Dunton Avenue, East Patchogue, NY 11772, and at said time and place publicly opened and read aloud

Beginning Thursday. May 1, 2025, the Contract Documents may be examined at the Office of the Architect, BBS Architects, Landscape Architects and Engineers, P.C., 244 East Main Street, Patchogue New York, (631-475-0349). Complete Complete digital sets of Contract Documents may be obtained online as a download for a non-refundable fee of One-Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars at the following website: bbs.biddyha. com. Optionally, in lieu of digital copies, hard copies may be obtained through Biddy c/o Lohrius Blueprint, 226 Newtown Road, Plainview, NY 11803 (516-465-2880) upon a deposit of One-Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars for each complete set. Checks for deposits shall be made payable to the SOUTH COUNTRY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, and may be uncertified. All bid addenda will be transmitted to registered plan holders via email and will be available at the above referenced websites. Any bidder requiring documents to be shipped shall make arrangements with the printer and pay for all packaging and shipping costs. Plan holders who have obtained hard copies of the bid documents will need to make the determination if hard copies of the addenda are required for their use, and coordinate directly with the printer for hard copies of addenda to be issued. There will be no charge for registered plan holders to obtain hard copies of the bid addenda. The bid deposit for hard copies will be returned upon receipt of plans and specifications, in good condition, within thirty days after bid date, except for the lowest responsible bidder, whose check will be forfeited upon the award of

the contract. A non-mandatory pre-bid site walk through is scheduled for May 8, 2025 at 3:00 p.m. starting at the Bellport High School located at 205 Beaver Dam Road, Brookhaven, NY 11719. The Contract will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder or the proposals will be rejected within 45 days of the date of opening proposals. Bids shall be subject, however, to the discretionary right reserved by the School District to waive any informalities, accept or reject any alternatives, reject any proposals and to advertise for new proposals, if in its opinion the best interest of the School District will thereby be

promoted. Each bidder may not withdraw his bid within 45 days after the formal opening thereof. A bidder may withdraw his bid only in writing and prior to the bid opening date. By Order of:

The Board of Education

South Country Central School Dis-

Dated: April 24, 2025

LIA, 20251139, 5/1

Notice of Self Storage Sale Please take notice Prime Storage Shirley located at 235 William Floyd Parkway Shirley NY 11967 intends to hold a sale of the property stored in the below listed Storage Spaces. The public sale shall occur as an online auction via www.storagetreasures. com on 5/21/25 at 12:00 PM. Unless stated otherwise the description of the contents are household goods, furnishings and garage essentials. Gerson Garcia unit #1153. This sale may be withdrawn at any time without notice. See manager for details. LIA, 20251140, 5/1, 8 |

SPECIAL MEETING BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS

BROOKHAVEN FIRE DISTRICT Please be advised that the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Brookhaven Fire District is holding a special meeting on Wednesday, April 23, 2025, at 6 PM.
The Board of Fire Commissioners

will meet will be held at 2486 Montauk Highway, Brookhaven, New York 11719 Suffolk County. All correspondence for the Brookhaven Fire District is to be directed at 2486 Montauk Highway, Brookhaven, New York 11719 and marked ATTN:

Fire District.
BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS BROOKHAVEN FIRE DISTRICT

Michelle Rolston Fire District Secretary April 23, 2025 LIA, 20251141, 5/1 |

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing will be held on 13th of May, 2025, at 6:00 p.m., Planning Board of the Village of Patchogue will meet at 14 Baker Street, Patchogue, NY for the application of Efrain Tenezaca, 8 Pine Walk seeks permission to erect a one-story, single-family dwelling with an attached garage, covered porch and rear deck. Subject premises is located in the A Residential Zone.

25-14For all persons desiring to be heard either for or against the application will be afforded an opportunity during public meeting. The meeting can also be viewed on the Village's You Tube channel. April 25, 2025

John Rocco Chairman Planning Board LIA, 20251142, 5/1 |

NOTICE OF

PUBLIC HEARING PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Village of Bellport will hold a public hearing on May 15, 2025 at 7:00 pm at the Bellport Community Center located at 4 Bell St., Bellport, New York to consider the following appli-

Jerry Devito & Kim Hyland-Devito, 25 Thornhedge Road, Bellport, NY seek the following variances to elevate a two-story, single-family dwelling:

§ 21-240. Area requirements.

In addition any other requirements set forth in this chapter, the area restrictions applicable to any prop-erty located in the Residence "AA" District shall be the same as those set forth in article IV, division 2 of this chapter— Residence A District, except that no building shall be constructed, erected or altered in the Residence AA District unless said lot shall have an area of at least eighty thousand (80,000) square feet and have at least two hundred (200) feet of frontage along a street.

§ 21-218. Height (Pyramid Law). In the Residence A District no building hereinafter constructed, erected or altered shall exceed thirty-two (32) feet in height, and must be set back from all property lines so that the height of any point of the building is not greater than the horizontal distance of the point from the nearest property line to the building or structure at that location or protrude through a diagonal line formed by a forty-five-degree pyramid angle from all property lines. Chimneys are exempt from said restrictions. Accessory buildings and structures shall not be subject to the pyramid

Proposed: Pyramid encroachment of 1,733.5 cu feet

§ 21-221. Side yards.

In the Residence A District, there shall be two (2) side yards, one on each side of the building, the total width of both to be not less than sixty (60) feet, and no one side shall be less than twenty (20) feet in width. Existing: Side yard width of 49.9 feet § 21-223. Corner lots.

In the Residence A District, no building or structure shall be erected on a corner lot having a total area of less than forty thousand (40,000) square feet or having frontage of less than one hundred seventy-five (175) feet upon a street. That portion of a corner lot which has frontage upon the street which the main entrance of the building faces, as shown by plans or physical layout, shall be deemed the front thereof: that portion of the corner lot having frontage upon another street shall a eida vard hut euch eid yard shall be measured as, and have a depth equal to, a front yard; that portion of a corner lot on the side of the structure opposite to the last mentioned side shall be deemed a side yard and shall have a minimum

width of twenty (20) feet. Existing: 48.9 Front yard setback, 0 foot side vard setback

The Residence is located in the "AA" residence district and the Suffolk County Tax Map Number is 0202-15-1-9.6. All persons with an interest may attend and will be heard. The Community Center is handicapped

accessible.
BY ORDER OF THE ZONING

BOARD OF APPEALS, VILLAGE OF BELLPORT: JAMES WOOD, CHAIR-PERSON

LIA, 20251143, 5/1 |

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Village of Bellport Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing Thursday, May 15, 20245 at 7 pm in the Bellport Community Center, 4 Bell Street, Bellport, NY to consider the following application: Vishaan Chakrabarti & Maria Alatar-

is, 14 Shore Road, Bellport, NY are seeking to construct a pool in the rear yard of a single-family dwelling: Sec. 21-501. - Location.

(b) Setbacks: All outdoor swimming pools, including above ground pools shall be subject to:

(1) Minimum side and rear vard setbacks of fifteen (15) feet as measured from the edge of the water; Proposed: Pool located 7 feet from rear yard property line.

The single-family dwelling is located in the "AA" Residence District. The Suffolk County Tax Map Number is 0202 - 9 - 1 - 16.2.

All persons with an interest may attend and will be heard. The Community Center is handicapped accessible.

BY ORDER OF THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, VILLAGE OF BELLPORT: JAMES WOOD, CHAIR-

LIA, 20251144, 5/1 |

NOTICE OF

PUBLIC HEARING
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Village of Bellport Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on Thursday, May 15, 2025 at 7 pm in the Bellport Community Center, 4 Bell Street, Bellport, NY to consider the following application:

Colin Stokes, 6-8 Circuit Road, Bellport, New York, seeks the following variances to construct a basement entrance:

Sec. 21-86. - Nonconforming buildings and structures; nonconforming

(c) A legally existing nonconforming building or structure shall not be enlarged, expanded or altered except as follows:

(1) The use of the building or structure is permitted and conforms with the requirements of this chapter, and

(2) The proposed enlargement, expansion or alteration of the building or structure conforms with all area requirements

of this chapter, excepting minimum lot area and street frontage requirements. no event shall the degree nonconformity be increased.

(d) No building, structure or lot used for a nonconforming use shall be enlarged, expanded or altered. Sec. 21-271. - Building area.

building (a) Main accessory buildings: In the Residence B District the maximum total building area for the main building and all accessory buildings shall not exceed twenty (20) percent of

the total lot area. Proposed: Total area coverage of

The property is located in the "B" Residence District. The Suffolk County Tax Map Number is 0202-

All persons with an interest may attend and will be heard. The Community Center is handicapped accessible.

ORDER OF THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, VILLAGE OF BELLPORT: JAMES WOOD, CHAIR-PERSON

LIA, 20251145, 5/1 |

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Village of Bellport will hold a public hearing on May 15, 2025 at 7:00 pm at the Bellport Community Center located at 4 Bell St., Bellport, New York to consider the following application:

10 Broadview LLC, 10 Broadview Avenue, Bellport seeks the following variance for a second story addition: Sec. 21-218. Height (Pyramid Law). In the Residence A District no building hereinafter constructed, erected or altered shall exceed thirty-two (32) feet in height, and must be

set back from all property lines so that the height of any point of the building is not greater than the horizontal distance of the point from the nearest property line to the building or structure at that location or protrude through a diagonal line formed by a forty-five-degree pyramid angle from all property lines. Chimneys are exempt from said restrictions. Accessory buildings and structures shall not be subject to the pyramid

Proposed: Pyramid encroachment

of 50.52 cubic feet

The Residence is located in the "A" residence district and the Suffolk County Tax Map Number is 0202-6-3-15. All persons with an interest may attend and will be heard. The Community Center is handicapped

BY ORDER OF THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, VILLAGE OF BELLPORT: JAMES WOOD, CHAIR-

LIA, 20251146, 5/1 |

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

SALE OF CONDOMINIUM APARTMENT BY VIRTUE OF A DEFAULT in the payment of common charges to Blue Ridge Condominium I (hereinafter referred to as "Condominium") by Michele (Michelle) Andriacco (hereinafter referred to as "Own-er"), in accordance with the rights of Condominium and pursuant to the By-Laws and Declaration of the Condominium, the Condominium will conduct a public foreclosure sale of a certain condominium apartment located at 434 Birchwood Road, Medford, County of Suffolk, State of New York and all rights, title and interest in and to said real property, by Michelle M. Pfeiffenberg-er, Esq., Referee on May 22, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. at Brookhaven Town Hall, located at 1 Independence Hill,

Farmingville, New York 11738. The Apartment is sold "AS IS", and the sale is subject to the Terms of Sale and Terms of the By-Laws, Declaration, House Rules and Regulations of the Condominium.

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ROBERT C. WIRTH, ESQ. Felberbaum, Halbridge Wirth Attorneys for Blue Ridge Condominium I 357 Veterans Memorial Highway Commack, New York 11725 (631) 864-0800

LIA, 20251147, 5/1, 8, 15 |

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LIA, 20251148, 5/1, 8 |

PUBLIC NOTICE VILLAGE OF BELLPORT 2025-2026 TAX ROLL

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Tax Roll and Warrant for the Village of Bellport for the year 2025-2026 has been completed and is filed in the Office of the Village Clerk for the purposes of collecting property taxes levied on such roll. Taxes may be paid at Bellport Village Hall ? Bellport Lane, Bellport, NY between the hours of 9:00 am and 4:00 pm Monday through Friday and 9 am to noon Saturdays, June 1, 2025 through July 1, 2025. No payments can be made on Sundays or federal holidays. Taxes paid after July 1, 2025 will be assessed a 5% penalty for the month (or any part thereof) and an additional 1% per month (or any part thereof) that the tax is not

paid. Mary Pontieri Village of Bellport LIA, 20251150, 5/1

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