NC FULL LEGISLATURE 02.27.23 NASSAU COUNTY LEGISLATURE FULL LEGISLATURE MEETING ****** RICHARD NICOLELLO, PRESIDING OFFICER ****** ****** County Executive and Legislative Building 1550 Franklin Avenue Mineola, New York ******* Monday, February 27, 2023 6:36 p.m. TAKEN BY: KAREN LORENZO, OFFICIAL COURT REPORTER TOP KEY COURT REPORTING, INC. (516) 414-3516 _____1 _

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2	LEGISLATOR RICHARD J. NICOLELO
3	PRESIDING OFFICER
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6	LEGISLATOR HOWARD KOPEL
7	Deputy Presiding Officer
8	7th Legislative District
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10	LEGISLATOR DENISE FORD
11	Alternate Presiding Officer
12	4th Legislative District
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14	LEGISLATOR KEVAN ABRAHAMS
15	Minority Leader
16	1st Legislative District
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18	LEGISLATOR SIELA BYNOE
19	2nd Legislative District
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21	LEGISLATOR CARRIE SOLAGES
22	3rd Legislative District
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3	5th Legislative District
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5	LEGISLATOR C. WILLIAM GAYLOR, III
6	6th Legislative District
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8	LEGISLATOR JOHN J. GIUFFRE
9	8th Legislative District
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11	LEGISLATOR MAZI MELESA PILIP
12	10th Legislative District
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14	LEGISLATOR DELIA DERIGGI-WHITTON
15	11th Legislative District
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17	LEGISLATOR JAMES KENNEDY
18	12th Legislative District
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20	LEGISLATOR THOMAS MCKEVITT
21	13th Legislative District
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23	LEGISLATOR LAURA SCHAEFER
24	14th Legislative District
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2	LEGISLATOR JOHN FERRETTI,JR.
3	15th Legislative District
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5	LEGISLATOR ARNOLD W. DRUCKER
6	16th Legislative District
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8	LEGISLATOR ROSE MARIE WALKER
9	17th Legislative District
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11	LEGISLATOR JOSHUA LAFAZAN
12	18th Legislative District
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14	MICHAEL PULITZER
15	Clerk of the Legislature
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2	APPEARED:
3	COMMISSIONER RYDER
4	JAMES SHANAHAN
5	JEFF GROSS
6	DET. RODRIQUEZ
7	DET. BARBIERI
8	DET. SIKINGER
9	ADA GRASSO
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11	Public comment:
12	Brian Sullivan Bob Arciello
13	Corinne Kaufman Deborah Brooks
14	Brent Hill Angel Bran
15	Jayden Emery Kita Steele
16	Eloise Thomas Natalie Bran
17	Rev. Stanislaus Don Giorgio
18	Jacqueline Pfieffer Christina Tobacco
19	Amil Vitrani Richard Libbey
20	Charlene Thompson
21	Jerry Kornbluth Susan Gottehrer
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2	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: All
3	right. Thank you very much, everyone, for
4	coming tonight. We are going to start
5	the meeting tonight, as we always do,
6	with the Pledge of Allegiance. Please
7	rise and Legislator Ford will lead us in
8	the Pledge.
9	(Whereupon, the Pledge of
10	Allegiance is said by all.)
11	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Thank
12	you all for coming tonight to join with
13	us for tonight's meeting, as we always
14	do, to start things off. We have a
15	presentation regarding the Top Cops. We
16	then have a presentation in celebration
17	of Black History Month. Then there's the
18	public comment portion of our meeting
19	and, finally, the actual Legislative
20	Agenda. If you have not already submitted
21	a slip and you want to speak before the
22	legislature during the public comment
23	portion, there's a slips over there on
24	the table. So please come up, fill out a
25	slip and bring it to the Clerk's table

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2	right down here. Thank you very much.
3	Mike, Could you please call the
4	roll?
5	CLERK PULITZER: Thank you,
6	Presiding Officer.
7	Roll call: Deputy Presiding Officer
8	Howard Kopel?
9	LEGISLATOR KOPEL: Here.
10	CLERK PULITZER: Alternate Deputy
11	Presiding Officer Denise Ford?
12	LEGISLATOR FORD: Here.
13	CLERK PULITZER: Legislator Siela
14	Bynoe?
15	LEGISLATOR BYNOE: Here.
16	CLERK PULITZER: Legislator Carrie
17	A. Solages?
18	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Here.
19	CLERK PULITZER: Legislator Debra
20	Mule?
21	LEGISLATOR MULE: Here.
22	CLERK PULITZER: Legislator C.
23	William Gaylor, III?
24	LEGISLATOR GAYLOR: Present.
25	CLERK PULITZER: Thank you.
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2	Legislator John Giuffre?
3	LEGISLATOR GIUFFRE: Here.
4	CLERK PULITZER: Legislator Mazi
5	Pilip?
6	LEGISLATOR PILIP: Here.
7	CLERK PULITZER: Legislator Delia
8	DeRiggi-Whitton?
9	LEGISLATOR DERIGGI-WHITTON: Here.
10	CLERK PULITZER: Legislator James
11	Kennedy?
12	LEGISLATOR KENNEDY: Here.
13	CLERK PULITZER: Thank you.
14	Legislator Thomas McKevitt?
15	LEGISLATOR MCKEVITT: Here.
16	CLERK PULITZER: Legislator Laura
17	Schaefer?
18	LEGISLATOR SCHAEFER: Here.
19	CLERK PULITZER: Legislator John
20	Ferretti?
21	LEGISLATOR FERRETTI: Here.
22	CLERK PULITZER: Legislator Arnold
23	Drucker?
24	LEGISLATOR DRUCKER: Here.
25	CLERK PULITZER: Legislator Rose
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2	Marie Walker?
3	LEGISLATOR WALKER: Here.
4	CLERK PULITZER: Legislator Joshua
5	Lafazan?
6	LEGISLATOR LAFAZAN: Here.
7	CLERK PULITZER: Minority Leader
8	Kevan Abrahams?
9	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Here.
10	CLERK PULITZER: Presiding Officer
11	Richard Nicolello?
12	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Here.
13	CLERK PULITZER: We have a quorum.
14	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Okay.
15	We have a quorum.
16	To start things off. I would like to
17	invite up James Shanahan, Financial
18	Secretary of the Nassau County PBA, for
19	the purposes of a presentation.
20	MR. SHANAHAN: I want to thank the
21	Legislature for having us here tonight to
22	honor these four heroes who've shown once
23	again what our officers will do for the
24	residents of Nassau County.
25	So on November 4th, 2022, at
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2	approximately 8:45 a.m., First Precinct
3	police officers John Tucker, Andrew
4	Mirenda, Nicholas D'Attoma and Paul
5	Simonetti responded to a call for a house
6	fire in Roosevelt. Upon arrival, officers
7	observed the house to be fully engulfed.
8	A witness stated that someone was trapped
9	inside the house. The heavy smoke and
10	fast growing fire made it impossible for
11	them to enter the house.
12	The witness was able to provide them
13	with a location of the victim. Officer
14	Miranda got his department issued
15	breaching tool and started making entry
16	to the house through the exterior wall.
17	The officers switched off using the
18	breaching tool and an off duty fire
19	department volunteer who was there
20	working for the Town of Hempstead
21	Sanitation also helped break down the
22	exterior wall. They were able to locate
23	the victim, pulled her from the house.
24	She was unconscious and not breathing.
25	CPR was performed and she was transported

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2	to a local hospital, Ambulance 2351, for
3	treatment.
4	These officers' quick responses and
5	quick action enabled them to get the
6	victim out of the house. This is why
7	Nassau County PBA is proud to announce
8	Police Officers John Tucker, Andrew
9	Mirenda, Nicholas D'Attoma and Paul
10	Simonetti as Legislative Top Cops for
11	February of 2023.
12	COMMISSIONER RYDER: Thank you. It's
13	nice to see you guys at nighttime. Maybe
14	you're not too happy being here tonight.
15	I got to watch this video. And I
16	know we gave the recognition to the fire
17	department and the fire department went
18	above and beyond, as they always do. But
19	many times we are the true first
20	responders. We're the first ones at that
21	scene when that happened. I watched
22	Officer Mirenda's video as he ran back
23	and forth, from his body cam, back to get
24	that breaching tool that you all
25	authorized for us to buy. And it went
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2	into that car and he used it. Taking
3	turns, they pulled that victim out
4	through the wall. They went through
5	plywood. And anybody that has done
6	renovations at their home know, how hard
7	that is to bust plywood. They went
8	through plywood, they went through the
9	shingles, through the sheetrock, through
10	the insulation, broke the two by four,
11	and pulled that woman out through the
12	house, working together as a team with
13	our fire department, and then, of course,
14	our great police medics. They almost got
15	to save that woman's life, unfortunately,
16	it was tragic. But what they did that
17	night is heroic and that's why we're here
18	again, recognizing them.
19	But what I wanted to remind is that
20	the fire department and police medic,
21	everybody stepped in. That's what
22	responders do. They put their lives on
23	the line. They take the risk for all of
24	you. And again, very proud of the actions
25	that they did that night. Thank you.

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2	OFFICER TUCKER: Thank you to the
3	Nassau County Legislature, Commissioner
4	Ryder and Secretary Shanahan for
5	recognizing and your ongoing support for
6	ensuring that we always have the training
7	and the tools needed to handle the
8	complexity of the various calls that we
9	handle on a daily basis in the Police
10	Department. So thank you again for your
11	support. My name is Police Officer
12	Tucker.
13	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: I'd
14	like to introduce Minority Leader
15	Abrahams for some remarks.
16	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Thank you,
17	Presiding Officer. I think, Commissioner,
18	by the way, you look great, by the way,
19	and praying for you in your recovery
20	since your surgery.
21	What I was going to say was, is the
22	fact that, we can provide the tools and
23	the resources, such as the Commissioner
24	talked about, making sure you have the
25	proper apparatuses to make sure you do
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2	the heroic things you do. But the one
3	thing we can't put in place for you is
4	your heart, your bravery and your
5	heroism. I mean, it goes without saying.
6	Obviously, the woman has passed in this
7	very tragic situation, this house fire.
8	And a couple of months ago, myself and
9	Legislator Mule recognized individuals
10	from the Freeport Roosevelt Fire
11	Department and Sanitation as well. And I
12	think the Commissioner said it best, it's
13	a collective effort. And without you,
14	that collection in those efforts would
15	not be there. So tremendous work and my
16	hat is tipped off to each and every one
17	of you for your heroism. You are
18	phenomenal.
19	And as I said before, and we don't
20	take it lightly, the one thing that we
21	can't test for or one thing we can't
22	provide is bravery. And each of you have
23	exemplified that in your actions in this
24	particular house Fire in Roosevelt.
25	Thank you again. I want to commend
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2	each and every one of you for the job
3	well done. Thank you (applause).
4	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: I just
5	wanted to add real quickly, briefly.
6	Each month we we get to honor the Top
7	Cops, and what strikes me is the
8	diversity of circumstances. I mean, it
9	changes every month. To see the skill and
10	experience and reactions to all sorts of
11	different circumstances. It is
12	extraordinary. And your representation of
13	what the job means is truly incredible.
14	So congratulations, guys (applause).
15	So we'll invite you up in a moment
16	or two to for a purpose of a
17	presentation.
18	We have two presentations this month
19	from the Detectives Association Inc. So
20	now I'll invite President Jeff Gross.
21	MR. GROSS: Good evening. My name is
22	Jeff Gross. I'm the president of the
23	Nassau Detectives Association. I'm
24	honored to be here tonight. I want to
25	thank the Majority Leader Rich Nicolello,

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2	and the Minority Leader Kevan Abrahams,
3	and the full Legislative Body for having
4	us here today and having this program. It
5	means a lot to our detectives who do hard
6	work every day.
7	This first case I wanted to mention
8	was actually in January, and we were put
9	off because both the detectives from the
10	January were on line of duty sick, and
11	they were not able to be here. So it
12	means a lot that you're allowing me to do
13	two, and that not having to miss this
14	opportunity. So thank you for that.
15	This case was started on September
16	30th of 2022, is a report of shots fired
17	at a location. The officers responded and
18	it was negative results. The detectives
19	responded back the following day and they
20	recovered shell casings at an
21	intersection. They did a thorough
22	investigation, numerous interviews were
23	done. They recovered two videos of the
24	shooting. They were able to identify both
25	shooters.

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2	Again, they did multiple canvasses
3	and interviews. The suspects were
4	eventually stopped in a car stop. They
5	were found to have weapons on them, and
6	the detectives responded. Detective
7	Barbieri went and secured oral interviews
8	and confessions from them. Detective
9	Rodriguez had the case from the beginning
10	on the onset and all the way through, the
11	guys did a terrific job. It's still an
12	active case, so they really can't comment
13	on it. But if you want to ask me any
14	questions, you're free to do that. Thank
15	you very much.
16	The February case is a case for Pete
17	Sikinger and the members of the gang
18	unit, and Joe Grasso is the prosecutor
19	from the ADA's office. This case happened
20	on April 25, 2022, around 3:43 a.m. at
21	the Park West Nightclub in Westbury. Two
22	rival gangs were involved in a shooting.
23	Over 40 rounds were fired. One suspect
24	was shot multiple times. Detective
25	Sikinger responded. He's got a great
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2	knowledge of the gangs and the people
3	involved. He identified this as a gang
4	shooting through confidential informants
5	information he received, physical
6	evidence collected at the scene, and an
7	extensive criminal investigation of the
8	incident, they were able to get a
9	probable cause on five different
10	shooters.
11	Joe Grasso, the ADA, who was
12	assigned this case, extensive experience
13	being an ADA in the city. He's only been
14	out here for about ten months, but also
15	very knowledgeable on homicides and
16	gangs. And between the two of them and
17	their knowledge, they were able to indict
18	these five shooters on 57 different
19	charges. The case is still active, again,
20	but Detective Sikinger and ADA Grasso are
21	currently connecting these shooters, to
22	other shootings in Nassau County. These
23	guys are what we would consider career
24	criminals and they're responsible for a
25	crime wave just on their own.

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2	But I'd like to congratulate them
3	for the hard work that they do. And if
4	there's any questions, I'd be happy to
5	answer them. Otherwise, I'll put the
6	Commissioner on.
7	COMMISSIONER RYDER: So as we all
8	know, the rules have changed and the
9	Nassau County Police Department has
10	adapted. The great work by these
11	detectives that can't speak about the
12	cases that they did because they're
13	ongoing, is why we're getting a chance to
14	recognize them and can't get up and take
15	any questions. They're ongoing
16	investigations.
17	This case working with our District
18	Attorney's office, our gang unit, going
19	after the worst of the worst, and then
20	our DA going out and moving forward to
21	prosecute.
22	Our district attorney, young ADA
23	here, his dad was also a hero, and was
24	legal counsel at one time for the
25	Commissioner's Office, NYPD. He's also
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2	here. I'd like to recognize his dad here.
3	There he is, over there taking pictures.
4	But also a leader in his own way and
5	doing great work as a lawyer.
6	Partnering up with the District
7	Attorney, getting great cases gathered by
8	these detectives, getting the statements
9	that they've taken, putting the evidence
10	together and presenting a package to a
11	good young ADA is what gets the
12	prosecution, gets the ball across the
13	line. And when you get it across the
14	line, we put the bad guy where he belongs
15	in jail. And that's exactly what's going
16	to happen in these cases.
17	So I want to congratulate both of
18	them and thank the District Attorney's
19	for its continued cooperation with the
20	Police Department. Thank you.
21	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
22	Several legislators want to speak. So we
23	have Legislator Gaylor, Legislator Kopel,
24	and then Legislator Ford.
25	LEGISLATOR GAYLOR: Sure. Thank you,
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2	Presiding Officer.
3	My remarks are directed to the
4	January incident, which we can't go into
5	too much details. But it's always a
6	privilege for me to hear stories of the
7	great work that all of our law
8	enforcement community and our District
9	Attorney's office, in combination with
10	the law enforcement community, are doing
11	to recognize those folks in a forum like
12	this.
13	So this month, I want to commend
14	Detectives Rodriguez and Barbieri for
15	their thorough investigation and
16	interviews with eyewitnesses culminating
17	in the arrest of at least two people,
18	maybe more, ongoing, the recovery of
19	loaded firearms and vehicles and whatnot.
20	Just testament to the great work that you
21	guys do and continue to do.
22	Fortunately, in this incident, there
23	was no injuries from the dangerous
24	exchange of gunfire, an incident that
25	started in Inwood, and I think it ended
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2	up in Hempstead. But it's clear that
3	these individuals posed an ongoing threat
4	to the community. And since there's no
5	telling what kind of harm they may have
6	caused until they're apprehended and
7	taken off the street and we can put a
8	stop to this kind of activity.
9	So your hard work, as I said, is
10	testament to the fine training. All of
11	our men and women in blue receive that
12	allows them day to day to serve and
13	protect and keep our community safe. And
14	so this is another example why Nassau
15	County Police Department is the finest
16	law enforcement department, organization
17	found anywhere in this country.
18	So congratulations to Detective
19	Rodriguez and Detective Barbieri for
20	being January Top Cop. Appreciate it.
21	LEGISLATOR KOPEL: So let me start
22	with with Detectives Rodriguez and
23	Barbieri. I not only represent a good
24	part of the area that you that you serve,
25	I live there. I live there. I live not
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2	far from where this incident happened in
3	Inwood. And I've got children and
4	grandchildren over there.
5	What you've done and your hard work
6	makes me feel safe. Makes me feel safe
7	for myself, not only for myself, but for
8	my family as well. And I appreciate
9	everything that you're doing.
10	And not to neglect the Detective
11	Sikinger, as well as ADA Grasso, we all
12	know that gangs are a terrible scourge,
13	not only here, but all over the country,
14	many, many large cities. And you do
15	dangerous work. And it's just it's just a
16	good feeling to know that you're on the
17	job.
18	And your work, all three of you, all
19	four of you, I should say, exemplify the
20	spirit and the courage, all of which
21	combine to make Nassau County the safest
22	large metropolitan area in the country.
23	So congratulations on this award and
24	thank you very much for your service.
25	LEGISLATOR FORD: Good evening. All
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2	I can say is one can never underestimate
3	the courage and the level of
4	professionalism shown by our officers,
5	especially our detectives.
6	Detective Sikinger, your devotion
7	and dedication in working to solve this
8	crime, resulting in these dangerous gang
9	members being taken off our streets, I
10	have to say this success was the result
11	of your own dedication and your
12	determination to solve it, but also with
13	the partnership with ADA Grasso, who also
14	had a great knowledge of gangs which
15	helped in being able to solve this case.
16	I have to say congratulations to
17	both of you for making our neighborhoods
18	safer. It really is. I think that you
19	hear from the other legislators, we know
20	how dangerous your jobs are and having to
21	deal with these gangs. It really is, to
22	me, it goes one step above because we
23	know how dangerous they are and the
24	retaliation that they can show whether or
25	not to regular folk and even to our
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2	police officers. It's extremely
3	dangerous.
4	But thank you, both of you. And I
5	think we also should have to say, well,
6	Commissioner Ryder, of course, you know,
7	you lead this fine Police Department and
8	we see it day in and day out. And as the
9	Presiding Officer said, every time we
10	have, we're honoring our Top Cops, it's
11	always for a different reason. Whether or
12	not it's going into burning buildings,
13	helping to keep somebody from committing
14	suicide. They could be on train tracks or
15	wherever. It's always a different
16	experience. And I have to say that it is
17	always something that will always stay
18	with us knowing the dangers that they
19	face.
20	And I guess we'll have to do a
21	special shout out to DA Donnelly for
22	bringing ADA Grasso here into Nassau
23	County. You know, find job for both of
24	you. For all of you. Thank you very much
25	(applause).
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2	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Okay.
3	Let's invite the PBA up for the
4	presentation, then DA right behind.
5	(Whereupon, Citations
6	presented to Top Cops.)
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2	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Thank
3	you very much, everyone. And we're going
4	to proceed with the Agenda. So if we
5	could just have your attention for a
6	little while longer.
7	The Nassau County Legislature is
8	proud and privileged to celebrate Black
9	History Month. Harriet Tubman said,
10	"Every great dream begins with a dreamer.
11	Always remember you have within you the
12	strength, the patience and the passion to
13	reach for the stars, to change the
14	world".
15	Today, we recognize African
16	Americans who have shown the strength,
17	the passion and the patience, often in a
18	struggle against extraordinary
19	circumstances and adversity, to triumph
20	in all walks of life. So we salute all
21	those who have changed our world and are
22	still changing our world.
23	I'd like to introduce Legislator
24	Giuffre for the purposes of presentation
25	and then Minority Leader Abrahams.
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2	LEGISLATOR GIUFFRE: So at the West
3	Hempstead Chamber of Commerce meeting
4	last week, I had the pleasure of seeing
5	two young women who I recognized from the
6	cover of <i>Newsday</i> . And I said, Are you
7	the twins that are valedictorian and
8	salutatorian of West Hempstead High
9	School? And they answered in stereo,
10	"Yes". And it was a delight. They are as
11	nice as they are smart, and they are our
12	honorees for Black History Month.
13	I have the privilege to represent
14	them and their family in the County
15	Legislature. They are from West
16	Hempstead. And so we'd like to
17	acknowledge and honor Gloria Guerrier and
18	her sister, Victoria Guerrier, who at
19	West Hempstead High School have GPAs of
20	105.4 and 104.9, respectively. Did I get
21	that right, girls?
22	(Whereupon, Guerrier ladies
23	confirm.)
24	(Whereupon, applause.)
25	LEGISLATOR GIUFFRE: All right. And
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2	there's got to be some record that they
3	broke. Twins. How many times could this
4	have happened?
5	So their first assignment for their
6	college was to look back and see
7	they're going to Yale, by the way
8	(applause) To see how many twins in
9	Nassau County have met this this
10	achievement. And we have with them also
11	tonight, their mom, Marie (applause).
12	He's done a great job. And not only was
13	he their teacher at Chestnut Street
14	School, but he is now the superintendent
15	of the West Hempstead School District.
16	Dan Raymond (applause).
17	And I know before I bring you up,
18	their history with the Nassau County
19	Legislature goes all the way back to
20	kindergarten. Legislator Walker?
21	LEGISLATOR WALKER: I had the
22	privilege of reading to Victoria and
23	Gloria when they were in kindergarten.
24	Although that's not my district, Dan, the
25	superintendent, happens to be a
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2	Hicksville student, and he and his sister
3	grew up with my kids and he was a
4	principal over in Chestnut Street and
5	asked me what I please come and read to
6	his class. And at the time, Vin
7	Muscarella was the legislator that
8	represented that area. And I reached out
9	to Vin and I said, I know it's not my
10	district. But, you know, I have a special
11	connection with the principal teacher
12	there. And so he said, Absolutely. And
13	although they were little girls at that
14	time, five years old in kindergarten, the
15	smiles they have today were the same
16	smiles they had when they were five years
17	old in kindergarten. And I will never
18	forget those smiles and sweet little
19	girls. And they've grown up to be sweet,
20	amazing young women who are now headed
21	off to Yale. And we could not be prouder.
22	And I'm going to have to go through all
23	my pictures and find that picture and
24	then compare the two today and back when
25	you were five years old in kindergarten.

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2	So I'm very, very honored to be here
3	and share this special night with you.
4	God bless you all and the best of luck.
5	LEGISLATOR GIUFFRE: So if you'd like
6	to come up for photographs. Oh, please go
7	to the podium. Tell us a little bit about
8	yourselves and what you plan to do.
9	So who's older?
10	GLORIA GUERRIER: I am. So, hi, I'm
11	Gloria. Thank you, all, for inviting me
12	today. I'm so honored by this
13	recognition. I want to thank Nassau
14	County and all the administrators who
15	have supported me throughout my journey.
16	I couldn't have done or achieved this
17	much without you guys. The support I
18	received and all the aid and I really
19	appreciate it. And thank you so much.
20	VICTORIA GUERRIER: Hi, I'm Victoria
21	Guerrier. Yes, I'm the younger one. Twin
22	B, salutatorian. Always come after
23	Gloria. But honestly, I'm very happy for
24	my sister and for myself. I'm happy both
25	of us made it together as top two. Also,
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2	I'm also very appreciative of the support
3	I've gotten from Nassau County, the
4	teachers, my coaches. I would never have
5	accomplished this if I was in another
6	county, I believe, personally. So thank
7	you guys so much. I'm very honored. And
8	yes, thank you.
9	LEGISLATOR GIUFFRE: So would you
10	like to come up? We'll do pictures with
11	everybody. You too, Mom. And yes,
12	Superintendent Raymond.
13	(Whereupon, Citation
14	presented.)
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2	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: All
3	right. Minority Leader Abrahams.
4	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Thank you,
5	Presiding Officer.
6	So I think the Presiding Officer
7	started to talk a little bit about it.
8	Obviously, we're in Black History Month,
9	and during this time we try to celebrate
10	collectively on both sides, individuals
11	that have made their mark not just in the
12	last year, but have continued to make
13	their mark time and time again. And I
14	have the pleasure on behalf of the entire
15	Legislature of introducing Jeffrey and
16	Cheyenne Spencer. And at this time, I
17	would ask both of them to come to the
18	podium.
19	Jeffrey and Cheyenne are father and
20	daughter duo. They're lifelong residents
21	of Hempstead. Jeffrey is a firefighter
22	and his daughter Cheyenne is a ophthalmic
23	technician. Approximately eight years
24	ago, they began hosting events within the
25	community, starting with the safe
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2	Halloween parties for kids, Thanksgiving
3	sit down dinners and turkey giveaways for
4	those that are less fortunate. What
5	started off small, grew to them to
6	hosting numerous events throughout the
7	year. The largest event of the year being
8	their annual Christmas Toy Giveaway
9	dinner, where they serve the dinner and
10	give toys to hundreds of kids and
11	community members every year.
12	Their duo has fueled the smiles and
13	joy, and they bring many more families
14	together each and every year. Obviously,
15	during those times, government can't do
16	it all. And it's very important that we
17	have community individuals like Jeff and
18	Cheyenne that are here to be able to do
19	their part. They don't do it for money.
20	They don't do it for anything else but
21	the warmness that it gives them in their
22	hearts. So it gives me great pleasure to
23	recognize them today as our Black History
24	Honorees for obviously, the month of
25	Black History. Thank you again to both of

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2	you.
3	(Whereupon, applause.)
4	MS. SPENCER: Thank you.
5	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: I have a
6	citation here, but before I introduce you
7	and have you come up for the
8	presentation, please, the floor is yours.
9	MS. SPENCER: I just want to thank
10	you all for even considering honoring us
11	tonight. Like you said, my dad and I have
12	been doing this about eight years. This
13	Christmas would be our ninth. And we're
14	just grateful. We appreciative of the
15	support. And also the support that we get
16	from these two gentlemen behind us,
17	Village of Hempstead Trustees Boone and
18	Burrows. And I see a few familiar faces
19	that have been to our events before.
20	So I just want to thank you. And
21	like you said, we don't do it for
22	anything but the joy that we're able to
23	see and feel, putting smiles on hundreds
24	of people in the communities faces. So
25	thank you for honoring us.

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2	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Our pleasure.
3	You good, Jeff? Trustees. You're
4	good. All right. Fair enough. Come on up.
5	(Whereupon, Citation
6	presented.)
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2	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Okay,
3	let's get started with public comment.
4	First speaker is Brian Sullivan,
5	president of Nassau COBA.
6	MR. SULLIVAN: Forgive me, folks. I
7	was outside talking to our new sheriff.
8	Brian Sullivan, President, Nassau
9	County Correction Officers Benevolent
10	Association.
11	I just wanted to say a couple of
12	quick words. Tonight is not my night to
13	be here. Tonight is Anthony LaRocco's
14	night to be appointed as the sheriff in
15	Nassau County.
16	Obviously, several weeks ago,
17	whatever it was a month and a half ago,
18	whatever, we were here for a Public
19	Safety hearing and a lot of warts came
20	out. A lot of stuff that I've been
21	talking about here for the longest time.
22	Out of that meeting, I want to thank
23	several of the legislators that went over
24	to the jail and had a meeting with the
25	Administration. Legislator Pilip,

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2	Legislator Ferretti and Legislator Denise
3	Ford. Some things were rectified. Some of
4	the stuff that I talked about and I want
5	to thank you for getting involved in
6	this. There's been some increase in post
7	coverage in the perimeter outside, which
8	was definitely a bone of contention with
9	us.
10	The main thing that I just want to
11	stress here is, the last two sheriffs
12	that were appointed in Nassau County I
13	had high hopes of that there was going to
14	be a lot of cooperation, there was going
15	to be, whatever. One of them was a
16	captain on our job. The next one came
17	from outside, had a resumé that went down
18	the block and we didn't get anything
19	done. There was no cooperation with the
20	union. There was a lot of excuses why we
21	can't get things done; Money, this, that,
22	COVID, everything else.
23	I am not here to block or talk any
24	bad way about Anthony LaRocco. I know
25	Anthony LaRocco for probably 25 years. Do

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2	I think he could be a very good sheriff
3	in Nassau County? Yes. My issue is not
4	with Anthony LaRocco, and I'm not going
5	to go off on any tangents here. But I
6	think everybody in this room and in this
7	county knows where my issues are with
8	management in the jail.
9	I hope that Anthony LaRocco, once
10	he's appointed as the sheriff, will be
11	able to control that situation and we
12	will have a fruitful and cooperative
13	relationship.
14	One thing I can can talk about,
15	obviously, until I'm blue in the face is
16	staffing here. We just had, Civil Service
17	certified a test back in January excuse
18	me, February 1st. Sorry, just trying to
19	get my brain together. I was having
20	conversations in the back.
21	February 1st of this year, this past
22	month, Civil Service certified a test. We
23	thought that was the test that was given
24	in June of 2022. That was the test that
25	was given in September of 2021. That was
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2	just certified this past month. That's
3	not the fault of the Department. That's
4	not the fault of anybody else. I don't
5	even know if it's the fault of Civil
6	Service. I just don't understand why that
7	has to take so long.
8	It's my understanding now that the
9	test that was given in June of 2022, the
10	test results just hit the last several
11	days. People are calling me up saying
12	that there's people there.
13	The 2021 test that was certified
14	February 1st, amazingly had a list of 74
15	eligibles on it. I say this all the time
16	when I come here. I'm here 1000 years.
17	I'm like Methuselah. Thirty five years
18	ago, I took this test with 18,000 people.
19	This past test was given in 2021, they
20	have 74 eligibles on that test. We're
21	going to be in a bad way, if that's what
22	continues down the road.
23	This new test that just came out
24	today, I have it on good authority that
25	there is approximately 520 eligibles. And
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2	when you think about the average, you're
3	lucky to get one out of seven, one out of
4	ten. We're going to run through that list
5	pretty quick, too.
6	It's also my understanding,
7	information and belief, to sound like a
8	lawyer, that there may be another test
9	given in June of this year. We have to do
10	something. And that's the stuff that I
11	need to implore with Anthony LaRocco as
12	the new sheriff, as everybody here with
13	the Public Safety Committee, in
14	particular, with the County Executive's
15	office, with all of our administrators.
16	We can't go down the same road that we've
17	gone down with all past administrations.
18	We can't just not do something different
19	to bring people in to this job. This is a
20	very good job. I know it's a different
21	world now. Millennials, everything else
22	they could they could yell at me for what
23	you want. People don't want jobs like
24	this. You give a test that maybe 1000,
25	maybe 600 people test. We have to come up

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2	with a different plan.
3	We opened up the borders. We're
4	going into Queens or going into Suffolk.
5	There's other talk about possibly taking
6	people from other jobs and bringing them
7	here from different counties. I think we
8	need to explore all of this.
9	That's the main issue that I want to
10	talk about here is the staffing and the
11	cooperation between the County, the
12	Administration and the Union. We can't
13	all be compartmentalized in our own boxes
14	throwing dirt at each other. I've done
15	that a thousand times. It doesn't get
16	anywhere. We go through different
17	administrations. I'm here trying to
18	develop new relationships with new
19	administrations. Where does it get us? It
20	doesn't get us anywhere.
21	Perfect example that I could talk
22	about now. How many times did I talk in
23	front of this Legislative Body about our
24	academy. Our academy that we had on the
25	jail property was old, dilapidated inmate
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2	housing trailers. The police left there
3	in, God, forgive me, I think it was 2003
4	the police left there. We were in there
5	just until this new academy opened up in
6	Garden City.
7	Now, unfortunately, because of some
8	people looking for time and space in
9	there, our department has actually
10	brought back onto the jail property part
11	time in another old inmate housing area
12	to set it up, kind of just jerry rig it
13	up and set it up to put in service
14	training back on jail property in old
15	inmate housing areas. To me, this is
16	absurd. We shouldn't be doing this. We're
17	in the new academy over there. There
18	should be plenty of room. It's my
19	understanding that it's a lot smaller
20	than it was initially anticipated to be.
21	But what are we telling correctional
22	officers here? This this far down the
23	road after that academy was built?
24	There's talk about doing something else
25	on on our property. What are you telling
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2	the longstanding correctional officers
3	here whose morale is beneath the floor to
4	begin with, that now we're going to put
5	you in old inmate falling apart, housing
6	areas again, with roofs leaking, rusted
7	outdoors, old plumbing that hasn't been
8	used in probably 20 years?
9	This is pennywise and dollar
10	foolish, pennywise and dollar foolish.
11	It's just absurd. We have to figure out
12	another plan here, whether we get some
13	more space in that academy in Garden
14	City, we find another area in the county
15	to use. There's plenty of empty space and
16	county buildings. I just think that we
17	need to find a better plan here.
18	And as I said before, going forward,
19	I want to know exactly what the game plan
20	is with the new administration, with
21	Sheriff LaRocco, with everybody that's
22	there. I would like to know exactly what
23	the game plan is going forward about how
24	we're going to fix security in this
25	place, how we're going to address HALT,

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2	how we're going to address training.
3	Obviously, I talked about here ad
4	nauseam about all the use of force
5	incidents that we have here with the
6	least amount of inmates we've had in 30
7	years. We've had 30 to 40% increase in
8	uses of force. This can't go on.
9	So I want to have a good cooperative
10	relationship with Anthony LaRocco as the
11	sheriff. I would like somebody else to
12	calm down a little bit and we'll just
13	leave it at that. Like I said, I'm not
14	going to beat that to death here. But we
15	need to have a constructive relationship.
16	I want to congratulate and
17	anticipate going forward that he's going
18	to be appointed tonight, congratulate
19	Anthony LaRocco on being the new county
20	sheriff. But what's the game plan going
21	forward? We need to get a new academy for
22	our people. We need to fix a lot of
23	things here. We just can't go on the way
24	it is.
25	Thank you.
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2	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Thank
3	you, Brian.
4	I have a request from the
5	Administration to move up two
6	appointments, so we're going to quickly
7	present those two appointments.
8	Item 20, Resolution 39, a Resolution
9	to confirm the County Executive's
10	appointment of Arnold Pulaski to the
11	Nassau County Bridge Authority.
12	Motion by Legislator Walker,
13	seconded by Legislator Pilip. This
14	appointment is before us. Is Mr. Pulaski
15	here?
16	MR. PULASKI: Good evening. I'd like
17	to take this opportunity to thank the
18	County Executive and the Legislature for
19	giving me another opportunity to serve my
20	community. I've been here before. You
21	also approved me as Chair of the Nassau
22	County Water Resources Board several
23	years back.
24	Also I take the time to just say
25	thank you for your support, this is
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2	unrelated, to the Nassau County Police
3	Activity League, which I am vice
4	president, been on the board for 25
5	years. And if it wasn't for you people
6	supporting us, we couldn't do the nice
7	things we do for the 40,000 children of
8	our community.
9	But at any rate, I am appreciative
10	of whatever I can do to to help on the
11	Bridge Authority. And if you have any
12	questions, I'm here.
13	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
14	Legislator Ford.
15	LEGISLATOR FORD: Good evening. How
16	are you?
17	MR. PULASKI: I'm good.
18	LEGISLATOR FORD: Okay. So I guess
19	you're familiar with the Bridge Authority
20	and the Atlantic Beach Bridge. Do you
21	live in the area?
22	MR. PULASKI: I've lived in the Five
23	Towns my whole life. So I'm familiar with
24	at least crossing the bridge.
25	LEGISLATOR FORD: Okay. Thank you
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2	for being honest.
3	But my concern, of course, with the
4	changes that we had with the increase in
5	the fare, which you're not increasing
6	tolls. But I'm hoping that in the near
7	future we'll be able to meet with you to
8	discuss some of the increases, because
9	there are some that especially for our
10	trucks and everything, it has been very
11	egregious. The cost for trucks to be
12	going over the bridge like twice a day is
13	really cutting into the small business
14	owners because they're having to pay
15	these increased tolls. So I'm hoping that
16	we'll be able to work with you on that to
17	maybe take a fresh look with you, to be
18	able
19	MR. PULASKI: I'd be glad to help in
20	any way I can.
21	LEGISLATOR FORD: Because. Yeah.
22	MR. PULASKI: I'm a little familiar
23	with increases in rates because I manage
24	the town of Hempstead Water Department.
25	And I had those similar problems trying
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2	to increase rates in that area too.
3	Hopefully, I can bring some experience to
4	the table.
5	LEGISLATOR FORD: I'm sure you will,
6	sir. Thank you very much. And I know
7	we're undergoing a big change with this
8	eventually moving to E-ZPass. So God
9	bless you in wanting to help with that.
10	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
11	Legislator Solages.
12	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Okay. Thank
13	you. Good evening.
14	May you please discuss any plans for
15	the E-ZPass or cashless toll at the
16	Authority?
17	MR. PULASKI: Since I'm not on the
18	board at this point and I have really no
19	experience with them, it's very difficult
20	for me to answer any questions at this
21	point. Perhaps when I get on the board
22	and get familiarized with what they've
23	been doing, I might be better off to
24	help. But at this point
25	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Why is that
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2	bridge so special? Why is that the only
3	bridge in New York state that is a
4	cashless, that is only cash? Where's that
5	money going?
6	MR. PULASKI: I couldn't answer that
7	question. I've seen it my whole life and
8	crossed it many times. And I really don't
9	have an answer for that. I guess you'd
10	have to go back 70 or 80 years when they
11	established the bridge to find out how
12	the authority was created. I really don't
13	know.
14	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Thank you.
15	LEGISLATOR FORD: Legislator
16	Solages, E-ZPass should be up and running
17	probably by the summer.
18	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Any
19	other questions from Mr. Pulaski?
20	(Whereupon, no verbal
21	response.)
22	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Nope.
23	Thank you. Appreciate it. All in favor,
24	signify by saying, "Aye".
25	(Whereupon, all members of
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2	the Nassau County Legislature
3	respond in favor with, "Aye".)
4	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
5	opposed?
6	(Whereupon, no verbal
7	response.)
8	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
9	Carries unanimously.
10	Item 23, Resolution 42 is a
11	resolution confirming the County
12	Executive's appointment of Dana Durso to
13	the Nassau County Planning Commission.
14	Motion by Legislator Walker. Seconded by
15	Legislator Kennedy. That's before us. Ms.
16	Durso.
17	MS. DURSO: Good evening, everyone.
18	Thank you for having me here today. I
19	would like to thank Nassau County
20	Executive Bruce Blakeman and everybody
21	here today on the Board.
22	My name is Dana Durso, and I want to
23	thank everybody for your consideration on
24	being appointed to the Nassau County
25	Planning Commission. I want you to
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2	understand, I do not take this
3	consideration for this position lightly.
4	As I am ultimately selected, I will be
5	committed to this as I am with every
6	position that I hold.
7	Just to give you a little background
8	of myself, I, of course, live here in
9	Nassau County, Massapequa Park, to be
10	exact, where I serve as a trustee of the
11	Incorporated Village of Massapequa Park
12	since 2020. I'm currently serving my
13	second term, and I really enjoy serving
14	the community that I live in.
15	I am learning the understanding of
16	local government front and center. I also
17	have worked alongside Congressman Andrew
18	Garbarino as a community affairs
19	representative.
20	My career as a real estate agent for
21	the past eight years has really helped me
22	learn about communities all across across
23	Long Island, but also helping people
24	achieve a goal in finding their forever
25	homes.
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2	Family is so important to me. I have
3	served as a PTA president for my
4	daughter's school for two years, which
5	was one of the most rewarding jobs I've
6	had. From planning events to raising
7	money for our children's school have been
8	the best experience possible.
9	Between my two children, PTA events,
10	village board meetings and showing homes,
11	I also help to manage a family business.
12	I grew up in the restaurant business
13	since I was 12. Learning the business
14	understands the struggles of small
15	business owners, but most of all serving
16	the public with a smile and treating
17	everyone like family.
18	I love people. I love to work, and
19	most of all, I love to learn. I may not
20	have all the answers, but I am willing. I
21	hope that not only the skills I've
22	learned throughout my various positions
23	helps me with this one, but my
24	willingness to learn, my passion for
25	people and commitment to public service
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2	can be seen as a positive when deciding
3	if I am the correct person for this
4	position.
5	I thank you all for your time, and I
6	look forward to working with everyone.
7	Thank you.
8	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Any
9	questions?
10	MS. DURSO: Any questions?
11	LEGISLATOR WALKER: I don't really
12	have a question, but I really do feel
13	that your background and especially your
14	background dealing with real estate,
15	oftentimes when we have issues or
16	something from our districts that is gone
17	before the Planning Commission and we're
18	giving information, we're asking
19	questions, whatever, you know, you
20	understand a lot of that just from your
21	background in real estate. So hopefully
22	things will go well tonight, and I look
23	forward to working with you.
24	MS. DURSO: Thank you, Ms. Walker.
25	LEGISLATOR WALKER: Because I seem
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2	to have a lot of things on that Planning
3	Commission. Thank you.
4	MS. DURSO: Thank you.
5	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Okay.
6	Any other questions? Comments?
7	(Whereupon, no verbal
8	response.)
9	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: No.
10	All right. I'll call for a vote. All in
11	favor signify by saying, "Aye".
12	(Whereupon, all members of
13	the Nassau County Legislature
14	respond in favor with, "Aye".)
15	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
16	opposed?
17	(Whereupon, no verbal
18	response.)
19	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
20	Carries unanimously. Congratulations.
21	MS. DURSO: Thank you so much.
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2	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: I
3	apologize to the people for public
4	comment. We'll jump right back into that.
5	Bob Arciello, Nassau County CSEA and
6	Deputy Sheriffs.
7	MR. ARCIELLO: Good evening,
8	Presiding Officer Nicolello and
9	Legislators.
10	For those of you who don't know me,
11	my name is Bob Arciello. I'm the
12	executive vice president of CSEA Local
13	830 and president of the Deputy Sheriffs
14	Benevolent Association.
15	I'm here tonight just to give our
16	support from CSEA and from the Deputy
17	Sheriffs Benevolent Association for
18	Anthony LaRocco. I know Anthony, for
19	I've been with the County over 33 years
20	and four years as a correction officer,
21	the rest in the enforcement division on
22	the other side. And I know Anthony about
23	30 years. He was a very dedicated public
24	servant for his time here before he
25	retired as a captain from the Enforcement
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2	Division. Since the County Executive has
3	appointed him as undersheriff and then
4	acting sheriff now, he's done several
5	things to move the Enforcement Division
6	forward. He's a great guy, he's loyal,
7	trustworthy, and I just wanted to come up
8	and give my support for his appointment
9	tonight. Thank you.
10	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Thank
11	you very much, Bob.
12	Corrine Kaufman.
13	MS. KAUFMAN: Good evening. I'm
14	Corinne Kaufman, and I'd like to thank my
15	legislator, Delia DeRiggi-Whitton, for
16	inviting me here today. I thank all the
17	legislators for your time and for
18	welcoming me.
19	I'm here to speak with you about the
20	loss of our granddaughter, Paige Grace
21	Gibbons, who passed away from an
22	accidental fentanyl overdose on November
23	20, 2022.
24	On November 16th, I spoke with Paige
25	to wish you a happy birthday. She had
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2	just turned 19. Four days later, she was
3	dead from fentanyl poisoning.
4	What happened? Paige and another
5	girl also named Paige, and a third girl
6	planned a sleepover with the parents
7	home. The girls had purchased what they
8	thought was Percocet. They took a nibble.
9	As my son in law, David described, it was
10	100% fentanyl. That's how powerful it
11	was. Our Paige passed away. The second
12	Paige survived after weeks in critical
13	care unit and also suffered two strokes.
14	That night, the third girl, a non
15	participant, ran upstairs to get the
16	parents who tried to perform CPR. You
17	might say the surviving Paige was lucky,
18	but I fear the lifetime emotional burden
19	will be unbearable.
20	These young souls were not drug
21	addicts. They wanted to relax. I really
22	think they were naive. I do think that
23	between the isolation of COVID, the pace
24	of society and the pressures that exist,
25	they sought something to alleviate this,
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2	these stressors.
3	Our daughter, Kate, and son in law
4	David, were notified by two policemen at
5	their front door that Paige was gone.
6	They also learned that this case is now
7	considered a homicide. It is unimaginable
8	that this is us.
9	All about Page. I'd like to tell you
10	who Paige was. This Paige.
11	(Whereupon, photo of Paige
12	Gibbons is displayed.)
13	MS. KAUFMAN: She attended Our Lady
14	of Mercy in Pittsford, New York. She
15	graduated with a 4.0 plus average and a
16	national honor student. She used to get
17	upset when she received an A-minus. She
18	had a photographic memory and wanted to
19	be a doctor. Everything she did was about
20	life.
21	She volunteered for the Pittsford
22	EMT Department and drove the ambulance.
23	She gave swimming lessons to
24	underprivileged children at Healthy Hero
25	Camp. She demonstrated CPR instruction

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2	for her senior project and also purchased
3	a female model for the demonstrations and
4	donated this to her school. She raised
5	funds for the American Foundation for
6	Suicide Prevention. I share this because
7	you because I want you to know that Paige
8	was all about life.
9	This brings me to the moral of the
10	story. It can happen to anyone. This
11	demon drug knows no boundaries, and it's
12	taking people all ages and all walks of
13	life.
14	The impact on our family. Our family
15	will never be the same. When this
16	happened, my pain centered on my
17	daughter, Kate. I recall all the
18	wonderful things she did, as any mother
19	would raising a child. Birth. Love. First
20	steps. First words. Camp. Sports. Braces,
21	plays. Prom. Graduation. Building a
22	wonderful human being.
23	This death is a terrible waste. Her
24	funeral was the day after Thanksgiving.
25	My son in law, a strong six foot four
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2	former football player, is a man who is
3	very private. But he cried oceans of
4	tears as he hugged over 300 people at the
5	wake.
6	At the funeral, he delivered a
7	tribute to Paige, filled with love and
8	anecdotes that was live streamed on
9	YouTube. Paige's sister, Brooke, 15 years
10	old, spoke too. I realized that she grew
11	up overnight and she took on the role of
12	the surviving sister. Over 3000 people
13	have watched this video. The family wants
14	everyone to see it because it conveys
15	fentanyl awareness and the heartbreak
16	that it caused.
17	The lesson. Our family is now Narcan
18	trained, and we did this just days after
19	the funeral for education and family
20	solidarity. I ask myself what good can
21	come from this horrible tragedy? I
22	wondered, What can I do to get our
23	message out? Initially, I contacted
24	everyone I could think of. I wanted to do
25	it all, but I realized I needed to start

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2	locally and focus on what I can actually
3	do. I could not change the issues with
4	the cartels, the borders, the gangs, etc.
5	Stopping them would be the solution.
6	Let's start with the schools, I thought.
7	Firstly, we have to start by getting
8	Narcan mandated in all the schools and
9	this is where we should begin. I learned
10	that Narcan is not mandated in the Nassau
11	County Schools Nurse's office. I reached
12	out to Dr. Dominick Palma, president of
13	the Nassau Superintendents Board, and he
14	kindly said he would be in touch with all
15	the Nassau County superintendents for me.
16	I quote, he called fentanyl "the scourge
17	of our time".
18	Secondly, we need to educate our
19	children in the schools all about drugs.
20	Our youngest daughter will be holding an
21	assembly in Oyster Bay High School in
22	March. She will appear with a substance
23	abuse expert, thus giving students both
24	the information they need to hear as well
25	as the emotional consequences firsthand.

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2	I know we are not alone, but just think,
3	if everyone in this room could save just
4	one life.
5	This is my wish list:
6	1. Narcan in all Nassau County
7	middle schools and high schools with the
8	addition of fentanyl strips that are
9	being considered by the Legislature
10	again.
11	2. Drug education in the schools
12	starting in middle school. Creating a
13	model for all school assemblies to follow
14	county and statewide. Anti fentanyl
15	signage in every school.
16	3. Mental health screening in
17	schools to see who might be at risk.
18	4. Photos of the young victims
19	poisoned by fentanyl with the addition of
20	support from news media, very much like
21	we see the statistics on COVID in the
22	newspaper every single day.
23	5. A nationwide campaign to fight
24	fentanyl and stop fentanyl.
25	6. And lastly, the formation of a
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2	coalition of all organizations against
3	fentanyl and all substance abuse so that
4	we can work together and share our
5	resources and not duplicate each other.
6	If any of you wish to see the
7	"Thanksgiving for the Life of Paige Grace
8	Gibbons", it is on YouTube. The tribute
9	begins at 36 minutes. And I think if you
10	have young people at home or
11	grandchildren, sharing this with them
12	would share the emotional side of this
13	terrible, terrible drug in our lives.
14	Thank you very much.
15	LEGISLATOR DERIGGI-WHITTON:
16	Corrine, I just want to commend both you
17	and your husband, Andrew, on the amount
18	of strength that takes with just only a
19	couple of months after this tragedy to be
20	able to walk in here and be so
21	knowledgeable and so impressive. You hit
22	all of our hearts for sure.
23	All I can say is we would love to
24	have a hearing on the fentanyl strip
25	legislation. It's not perfect, but it's
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2	something. Especially for those
3	unsuspecting victims. And they've been
4	family friends of my husband for decades.
5	And I can tell you, if you haven't
6	figured it out, if it could happen to
7	this family, it could happen to any
8	family. This is a warm, loving family
9	that did all the right things.
10	And as a mom, I am shaken to the
11	bone from what you just said. And I just
12	appreciate you so much. And I appreciate
13	both of you for being here and you're in
14	our thoughts and prayers.
15	MS. KAUFMAN: Thank you for giving
16	me the opportunity.
17	LEGISLATOR DERIGGI-WHITTON: Well, I
18	appreciate it.
19	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Thank
20	you, Ms. Kaufman.
21	MS. KAUFMAN: Thank you.
22	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
23	Deborah Brooks.
24	MS. BROOKS: I was afraid you were
25	going to call me next. I just want to
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2	wish my condolences. I'm a school board
3	member in Port Washington. I know that we
4	do educate the children, but I will
5	certainly raise this at our board
6	meeting.
7	Good evening, Presiding Officer, and
8	to the legislature. Thank you to
9	legislator DeRiggi-Whitton for inviting
10	me here. I'm Deborah Brooks, chair of the
11	Port Washington Board of Education
12	Legislative Task Force here to address
13	the zero emissions school vehicle
14	mandate.
15	Last year, the state legislature
16	mandated that school district
17	acquisitions of new vehicles for students
18	be zero emissions beginning July 2027,
19	with all vehicles being zero emissions by
20	2035. The goal of improving air quality
21	for our children by deploying cleaner
22	school vehicles is a noble one; however,
23	this is an unfunded mandate that is
24	fiscally and logistically burdensome to
25	school districts.

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2	Accordingly, the Port Washington
3	Board of Education is urging you to sign
4	on to the assurances sought in the letter
5	presented to you by Legislator
6	DeRiggi-Whitton.
7	The program's long term viability
8	will depend upon the capacity of our
9	utilities and infrastructure. Full
10	deployment of electric school vehicles
11	with its demand for and on a sizable new
12	network of charging stations and related
13	infrastructure will greatly increase
14	demand on our grid. Is PSEG Long Island
15	ready for this?
16	We urge the State to study PSEG,
17	Long Island capacity limits and then fund
18	and operate a local PILOT program to
19	ensure local utilities and infrastructure
20	can handle the increased demand without
21	negatively impacting elements of our
22	daily utility services.
23	In addition to purchasing new
24	vehicles, school districts will need
25	charging stations, overhauled electrical

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2	infrastructure and more. Since 2012, the
3	tax cap has constrained the property tax
4	revenue school districts can generate.
5	School districts should not have to
6	choose between funding academic
7	programming and complying with a costly
8	unfunded state mandate.
9	Numerous municipalities have
10	received state grants to support
11	transportation electrification. If the
12	state proceeds with this mandate, we urge
13	that similar opportunities be afforded to
14	all school districts.
15	Finally, we urge the State and the
16	State Education Department to provide
17	comprehensive guidance regarding how to
18	implement and sustain this initiative,
19	including, but not limited to, funding
20	opportunities, additional waivers,
21	avenues for cooperation with local
22	utilities, managing operational diesel
23	buses and more. Until such guidance is
24	provided, we urge the State to delay this
25	mandate.
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2	Thank you for taking the letter
3	before you into consideration. As we
4	devise and implement initiatives to
5	protect our environment, we must be
6	mindful to prevent unintended negative
7	consequences, especially to our schools,
8	that could undermine the long term
9	success of our efforts.
10	We hope you will sign on to the
11	letter and partner with relevant entities
12	to achieve an outcome that is the best
13	interests of all New Yorkers, most
14	important are children. I thank you.
15	LEGISLATOR DERIGGI-WHITTON: All
16	right. This is my last witness.
17	There's a copy of the letter
18	everyone's been handed that I would love
19	to send this on a bipartisan fashion with
20	all of us, because it's going to affect
21	all of our school districts. So,
22	Presiding Officer, if you want to let me
23	know if that is a possibility, we would
24	like to do that.
25	And then I think Deborah is also
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2	going to be reaching out or we're going
3	to figure out a way to reach out to many
4	different school districts as well, so we
5	can not only have Nassau County support
6	it, but other school districts and PSEG
7	and all these other utilities, which I've
8	had issues with in the past, I think
9	really need to hear that it's a
10	countywide issue and for them to pay
11	attention.
12	So thank you, Deborah, for taking
13	the time and making us aware of this
14	before it is implemented. Hopefully,
15	we'll have everything in place by then.
16	So thank you for coming down today.
17	MS. BROOKS: Thank you for inviting
18	me.
19	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
20	Richard Clolery.
21	(Whereupon, no verbal
22	response.)
23	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Brent
24	Hill.
25	MR. HILL: Good evening, Presiding
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2	Officer, Deputy, and members. Thank you
3	for this opportunity.
4	My name is Brent Hill, and I've had
5	the honor of being the executive director
6	of the Five Towns Community Center for a
7	number of years now. For 116 years, 116
8	years, the community center has provided
9	vital and impactful services to a very
10	vibrant and very diverse community. It's
11	an understatement to say that we're woven
12	into the fabric of the community.
13	And with that being said, we have a
14	number of community members and
15	supporters here I'd like to ask them to
16	stand.
17	(Whereupon, Community
18	Members stand.)
19	MR. HILL: So after 66 years of
20	service, we entered into an agreement
21	with the County. The County built a
22	building just for us. We're very thankful
23	for the opportunity. The building is
24	amazing. We have a great basketball court
25	where our PAL program plays. The
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2	Governor's Office of Storm Recovery also
3	just gave us a new HVAC and a generator
4	because during Hurricane Sandy, hundreds
5	of people literally slept in our building
6	because they were flooded out. So we're
7	thankful for that.
8	And we like our relationship to
9	continue with the County, even though it
10	RFP was released for a new lesser to come
11	to the building. But I don't want you to
12	hear from me how great the center is.
13	Members of the community would like to
14	share their views, so I'm going to
15	actually turn the microphone over to
16	them. Thank you for your time.
17	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
18	Legislator Kopel.
19	LEGISLATOR KOPEL: Brent, come on
20	back for a moment.
21	As you know, Brent, I'm very
22	familiar with the center I've been
23	working not only with current management,
24	but with previous management going back,
25	I'll say, about 10-12 years. Well aware
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2	of what's going on, well aware of the
3	difficulties that are inherent with the
4	RFP, which require a significant cash
5	infusion. I understand that.
6	I'm working with with your Board, as
7	you know. I've met with you a number of
8	times. Can't announce anything yet,
9	unfortunately. But we are hopeful that
10	we'll be able to come to a solution that
11	is going to enable the community center
12	and its members to continue some of its
13	very good, very important work.
14	The kitchen is wonderful. I'm just
15	mentioning one or two of them. The work
16	that the center did during Sandy, it's
17	going back a ways, but I still remember
18	that. I still appreciate that.
19	So be patient. Hopefully, real soon,
20	maybe we come to a good solution that
21	preserves the benefits of the center and
22	hopefully makes it even better for the
23	entire community.
24	MR. HILL: Thank you for that.
25	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
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2	Legislator Solages.
3	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Thank you. Hi,
4	Brent. Thank you for being here tonight.
5	Thank you so much. And thank you to
6	everyone who came here from the Five
7	Towns Community Center, Inwood, and the
8	Greater Five Towns community.
9	To be clear. Is it the capacity of
10	your organization, the nonprofit, to make
11	a significant capital contribution to the
12	County? Is that is that feasible?
13	MR. HILL: Not at this time, no.
14	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: What are you
15	expected to raise?
16	MR. HILL: The RFP says \$5 million.
17	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Understood.
18	And is the Board contemplating or
19	preparing to submit a proposal?
20	MR. HILL: I can't speak for the
21	Board, but I believe they are looking at
22	all avenues for us to remain in the
23	space. Yes.
24	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Are there any
25	proposals that put it on paper in black

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2	and white that the Five Towns Community
3	Center Board will have a future at the
4	Community Center?
5	MR. HILL: I think that is a
6	possibility, but I'm not sure. I'm not
7	able to speak about that. I'm not sure. I
8	would need my board president here to
9	speak on that.
10	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Understood. Has
11	it has there been efforts in the past to
12	bring a medical facility to the five
13	towns Community Center?
14	MR. HILL: So we operate one section
15	of the building. There was a section
16	there where there was a medical facility
17	at one time over a decade now. And I
18	believe there have been some interest
19	from different hospitals, but nothing has
20	panned out at this time.
21	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: To your
22	understanding, are there any proposals
23	from any medical facilities to submit a
24	proposal in RFP?
25	MR. HILL: I'm not aware of who
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2	submitted proposals. That information
3	hasn't been shared with us.
4	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Based on the
5	community interests that this has
6	garnered, there has been a lot of
7	community interest, is the community
8	asking for more time for the RFP? Are
9	they asking that the RFP process be
10	reconsidered?
11	MR. HILL: Yes, The Board of
12	Directors did send a letter to Mr.
13	Blakeman asking that the RFP be held at
14	this time.
15	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Understood.
16	Thank you.
17	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Angel
18	Bran.
19	MR. BRAN: Hi, my name is Angel
20	Bran. I'm a resident of Inwood, New York,
21	and I attend Lawrence High School. The
22	Five Towns Community Center has been a
23	very important piece of my life. When my
24	parents had just started their new life
25	in this country, they were looking for
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2	more opportunity and the one place that
3	caught their attention was the Five
4	Towns.
5	My parents really wanted me and my
6	sister to excel and have opportunities
7	that they did not have growing up in a
8	third world country. My mom found the
9	community center. It was a warm,
10	affordable land of opportunity to jump
11	start the American dream they seeked
12	(sic).
13	I have experienced the services from
14	both points of view as the one receiving
15	and as the one giving. When I was a
16	child, I was enrolled in the Head Start
17	program and this is where I learned how
18	to speak, read and write English as a
19	second language. I was also able to get a
20	literal head start when it came to math,
21	science and enrichment.
22	And now jumping forward to when
23	COVID hit, all I wanted to do was get out
24	of my house. My mom told me one day that
25	she was going to volunteer at the food
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2	pantry, Gammy's Pantry. I tagged along
3	with her, and to be honest, I kind of
4	wanted to go home the minute I got there.
5	I'm not very much a people person, and
6	when I first got there, there was a line
7	of, I'm not overexaggerating, hundreds of
8	people. And somehow we maintain COVID
9	protocols, which I really have respect
10	for the community and the Five Towns.
11	I did not understand why my mom
12	wanted to help out the community so much,
13	as much as I wanted to go home. I
14	realized that I was fortunate enough to
15	have food in my fridge, fruits, fresh
16	bread and everything. And then one day my
17	mom was serving food with me, and I want
18	to say almost all the people here who
19	have shown their support, who have come
20	every day, spent their afternoons after
21	work coming to volunteer at the food
22	pantry, I saw a mother and two children.
23	That reminded me of my mother, my sister,
24	Natalie, and me when we were younger. I
25	then realized that the reason why my mom

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2	had come every single day. She spent
3	hours, hours. My mom, honestly, she
4	wouldn't eat. This is because she didn't
5	want anybody to go through what she had
6	to go through. She saw people who came to
7	this country just like her and who needed
8	help.
9	Now that I'm entering college, I've
10	put everything that I've done with the
11	community centered on my college resume.
12	I've been offered many scholarships and
13	even in acceptance into my dream school.
14	And this is all just because I was able
15	to receive services from the Five Town
16	Community Center. And even though on
17	paper this seems like it's the best
18	possible thing for me to gain from my
19	experience, the real gift that I was
20	given from this experience was my voice.
21	If I hadn't experienced serving hundreds
22	of people, then I don't think I would be
23	able to be standing here right in front
24	of all of you.
25	The Community Center is really a

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2	safe space for us teens, children, adult
3	and seniors. I do not think we can be
4	told to be patient when we don't know
5	what the future of our community is going
6	to look like.
7	Thank you (applause).
8	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Jayden
9	Emery.
10	MR. EMERY: My name is Jayden Emery.
11	I'm a student at Lawrence High School and
12	a resident of the Five Towns. It outrages
13	me that there has yet to be an offer for
14	the renewal of the lease of the Five
15	Towns Community Center, given it is such
16	a vital resource of our community.
17	Many within the Five Towns,
18	especially the town of Inwood, which is
19	the center located within, are below the
20	poverty line, are senior citizens and are
21	fighting to make ends meet on a
22	day-to-day basis.
23	However, it is not only the lease
24	renewal that outrages me, but the
25	perception our County Executive holds on
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2	our center, and his statement his
3	assistant Chris Boyle made. As I quote,
4	that "the Center has failed to live up to
5	their obligations, which is problematic".
6	This statement has done nothing but left
7	me with confusion for the Center has
8	always held up with her obligations. If
9	saving citizens and the youth of the
10	community from starvation and giving many
11	employment opportunities throughout the
12	program ran in the Community Center isn't
13	living up to their obligations, then
14	please explain to me what it is your
15	county expects from the Community Center
16	more.
17	Bruce Blakeman also had made a
18	statement with Channel 12 News today that
19	he is worried about the youth colliding
20	with the people that come for AA and
21	whatnot to the Community Center. Yet
22	there has been nothing that he has done
23	to prevent this. And also, might I add
24	that children within the programs of the
25	Community Center are closely monitored

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2	and remain on presence as long as they
3	are there. There is no collision between
4	the adults and the children.
5	Might I also add that the people
6	that attend these, AA and whatnot, are
7	also the aunts and uncles, fathers and
8	mothers of these children and with
9	without the help of the center, these
10	parents, these aunts, these uncles would
11	not be able to get the help that they
12	needed and the children would suffer.
13	I noticed that we are here today to
14	congratulate those who remove gangs off
15	the street, recognize diversity and
16	recognize those who started community
17	events. Might I add that that is what
18	exactly the Community Center does on a
19	daily basis.
20	We have been taken advantage of by a
21	few powerful lawmakers for too long,
22	leaving us in despair and desperate for
23	change. This is a sick game. I'd go as
24	far to say a game of life or death. If
25	not, the Center remains in place, the
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2	people of the community will suffer. It
3	is truly sickening that us residents of
4	the Five Towns are subject to going
5	through such worries at this time.
6	Thank you (applause).
7	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Kita
8	Goldsby.
9	MS. STEELE: Good evening, everyone.
10	My name is Laquita Steele, born and
11	raised Inwood, New York. So are my
12	children. I'm just going to tell you a
13	bunch of things that the Community Center
14	has done for me.
15	I was a teen parent when I was 16.
16	They had a program called Lawrence 2000
17	where I would go once a week or once a
18	month and pretty much prepare me for
19	parenthood. Besides, you know, you have
20	your parents there to help you and your
21	grandparents, but they prepared me.
22	The Community Center has given me my
23	first job. When I finished school, I went
24	back and got a job there as well. I also
25	became a youth organizer as well as
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2	gained my leadership skills.
3	My children have went to the daycare
4	center there. My youngest child was in
5	the day camp there with children like
6	Angel being amazing counselors, camp
7	counselors for them, which my son is
8	dying to go back. He doesn't want to go
9	to any other camp, but the Five Towns
10	Community Center.
11	Just to talk about little things, I
12	actually was as well, on the other end. I
13	was a child there. I went to the daycare,
14	I went to the Head Start, I went to the
15	camp as well. And without the Community
16	Center, I wouldn't be where I am today. I
17	have a bachelor's from Saint John's
18	University in business with a minor in
19	mass communications. I have a master's
20	degree from Full Sail University. And I
21	have one more year left for my doctoral
22	at Capella University for Human Services
23	with concentration and leadership and
24	organizational management. So without the
25	Community Center, I probably would be one
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2	of these kids or gang bang members or
3	whatever in the streets without their
4	guidance and their help.
5	Thank you.
6	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Eloise
7	Thomas.
8	MS. THOMAS: Good evening. Thank you
9	all for having me here tonight. I'm going
10	to speak from the heart.
11	I do have something I've written in
12	2007 when this same attack on the
13	Community Center happened. And if I have
14	a chance, I will read it.
15	But I would like to address Bruce
16	Blakeman, who I believe in 2019, came to
17	the Inwood Buccaneers at the invitation
18	of Pete Sobel. And you came directly over
19	to me and shook my hand and said, so
20	wonderful to see you again, because I had
21	been a while.
22	Since I became a citizen of this
23	country, I always voted for you, Bruce.
24	I'm a registered Democrat. Most of you
25	here, Republicans, Democrat, I voted for.
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2	And this last time I was conflicted
3	because it was a very tight race. And
4	you, Bruce, requested of our community to
5	support you in exchange that the
6	Community Center will be with the
7	community and its residents. Please don't
8	disappoint me. I voted for you. I always
9	voted for you.
10	I want to say that our hands have
11	been tied behind our backs for at least
12	the last 20-30 years with the lease. We
13	have been running the clock out and
14	playing this game, another lease is
15	coming. We have not had any meetings with
16	the community to tell us what is your
17	intentions? One hundred and sixteen years
18	cannot be discounted; 116 years cannot be
19	forgotten; 116 years cannot be written
20	off with 50 years in comparison.
21	I have the opportunity to work for
22	the Community Center for seven years. It
23	was the best job. I have an opportunity
24	to work for the Episcopal Diocese of New
25	York as an accountant, and I was lucky to

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2	have two jobs that I love. But I was
3	seeing these people are the hardest
4	working people I've come across. They
5	make chicken salad out of chicken poop,
6	literally.
7	I work for an organization that had
8	hundreds of millions of dollars and they
9	have nothing. Our hands have been tied
10	behind our back. We, the residents,
11	deserve to put a bid in for this
12	community center. We can take care of our
13	future.
14	This was given to us as a gift by
15	Russell Sage at the request of Sylvia
16	Lord for his wife, Margaret Olivia Sage.
17	It belongs to the community. It cannot
18	be taken away. You can't run the clock
19	out.
20	I supported you, Bruce and most of
21	you on this on this panel, as a Democrat.
22	I do not vote down the party line. Please
23	do not disappoint me tonight. I have
24	faith in this Body that we will have a
25	chance to put in our bid for all \$5
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2	million. We will find money. This belongs
3	to the community and we have the right to
4	make sure that our future can go for
5	another 2107. Our children deserve to
6	recognize us today, just like Sylvia
7	Lord, Margaret Sage and Russell Sage.
8	Thank you (applause).
9	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
10	Natalie Bran.
11	MS. BRAN: Good evening. I would
12	just like to thank everyone who is
13	present today for their time.
14	For those of you who do not know who
15	I am, I would like to briefly introduce
16	myself. My name is Natalie Bran and I've
17	lived in the Five Towns Community Center
18	essentially my entire life. I've seen how
19	much this community has done for me and
20	for others, and it truly saddens me that
21	there's a possibility that I may no
22	longer be here.
23	At three years old, I was able to
24	learn English and get the support that I
25	needed to start pre-K. People like Miss
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2	Helen, who is present here today, at the
3	Head Start program, guided my path early
4	on for success.
5	The summer camp is also another
6	resource at the Five Towns community
7	Center that has given children an outlet
8	to blossom their creativity and learn new
9	skills. Fortunately, I was able to be a
10	camp counselor and see the goals and the
11	ambitions of these children at such a
12	young age.
13	Finally, Gammy's Pantry is a
14	resource where I spent seven days a week
15	packing fruits and vegetables and bread
16	to give to our local families. A place
17	where I was able to see the impact of our
18	work when the line for food went down the
19	street. Anyone is able to get help,
20	regardless of race, gender and religion.
21	One experience that really affected
22	me was when this man came outside of
23	pantry hours looking for food. He said
24	his daughters were crying at home because
25	they had no food or water. I will never

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2	forget the desperation in his voice.
3	Without the tireless efforts of many in
4	the community, I would not be here today
5	standing before you as a sophomore with a
6	full ride at Columbia University
7	(applause). I used to believe that
8	someone like me could never accomplish
9	what I have. But now I realize that
10	anyone who has the ambitions and the
11	support, can live in the dreams that they
12	create for themselves.
13	My story is just one of many.
14	Politics aside, if I could leave you all
15	with at least one thought, it is that
16	closing the Community Center would would
17	cause disruption to what is the only
18	stable thing in people's lives. Many are
19	dependent on the various services and
20	programs offered. If the interests of the
21	community are truly at heart, then the
22	Center must stay.
23	Thank you all for your time.
24	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Thank
25	you, Natalie.
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2	The Reverend Gregory Stanislaw.
3	REVEREND STANISLAUS: Good evening,
4	everyone. Thank you so much for this
5	opportunity.
6	You know, tonight Dr. Gregory K.
7	Stanislaus, pastor of the Saint John
8	Baptist Church in Inwood, Long Island, 26
9	years. And I'm going to say what we
10	witnessed here tonight is not just the
11	greatness of America, but Nassau County
12	in terms of what community really is. And
13	what we've seen is police officers being
14	honored for the great work that they do
15	in terms of keeping us safe. But then to
16	see these two young ladies go to Yale
17	because of the work that's done as
18	superintendents and teachers. But then
19	the heartbreaking story of a woman who
20	lost her granddaughter to fentanyl. So
21	community comes together.
22	I come to you and stand because of
23	the Five Towns Community Center where
24	many of my parishioners go and were able
25	to eat throughout the entire pandemic. I
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2	saw police officers go into the Five
3	Towns Community Center and create that
4	organization called PAL and build
5	relationships with young men and young
6	women and give them hope for a new day.
7	My concern is that when you shut
8	something down such as that, where
9	there's no longer any access to a
10	community center like that, where are
11	they supposed to go? Then we complain
12	about them being on the streets and doing
13	things they should not be doing. They
14	need positive relationships that came
15	from the police officers and the staff of
16	the Five Towns Community Center.
17	Now, Mr. Blakeman has just inherited
18	the situation, but prior administration,
19	to be very honest, he had the
20	responsibility of taking care of the
21	community center, repairs and so forth,
22	which they have not done. And since they
23	have not done that, you can't really
24	bring certain programs in because the
25	building itself is in disrepair. And so

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2	the narrative is now that the staff
3	didn't really do a great job. They did
4	the very best job that they could when
5	the other part of the partnership didn't
6	do their part.
7	And so now we come to this is a
8	possibility that we're asking him to
9	consider extending the lease so that they
10	can continue to do the work with an even
11	playing field. Now, even if the Board or
12	whoever is considering a partnership, I'm
13	concerned about the word partnership
14	because in my marriage, a partnership is
15	equal. But outside of that, I'm concerned
16	that they're going to relegate the Five
17	Towns to a certain center. And the
18	proposal, it may be I want you to look
19	at it because you're the bosses, you can
20	handle this they are considering a fee
21	to join the Community Center to take part
22	in some of the activities. This is a
23	community that is suffering with low
24	income families. People are just
25	struggling, trying to make ends meet. So
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2	what's the difference if you take it away
3	and say, well, we're not taking it away,
4	but we're going to make it a community
5	center that's so grand that you have to
6	pay a fee to be part of it. It's the same
7	thing.
8	So I'm asking you whichever one of
9	those things are going, if you're not
10	going to extend the lease, then be
11	careful about who takes partnership,
12	because I believe the partnership is
13	about creating almost like a club for
14	certain people. And we already understand
15	the community is shrinking for people
16	like black and brown people. We need to
17	reconsider this stuff and understand that
18	Inwood is a beautiful community and it is
19	peaceful and that's exactly the way we
20	want to keep it.
21	Thank you.
22	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Thank
23	you, Reverend.
24	Don Giorgio.
25	MR. GIORGIO: Hi, Don Giorgio.
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2	My topic is not as dire as a
3	Community Center or as somebody that is
4	in some kind of mental state because
5	their granddaughter died. But it is about
6	community. It's about a property that
7	Nassau County acquired a number of years
8	ago, and that property has yet to realize
9	its full potential to Nassau County and
10	to all those people that are trying to
11	support it.
12	I live in Nassau County. I am a
13	business owner in Nassau County. And I'm
14	looking for the county to to commit more
15	deeply to what they already have. What's
16	at stake is a property that is in
17	Brookville and Jericho that was leased
18	out. The lease ran out. I appeared here
19	about two years ago discussing the issues
20	of that particular property and what it
21	needs and what it means to the community.
22	Two years later, the person, the
23	lessee, has passed away and the county is
24	letting some unknown person manage a
25	property that is valuable to the
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2	community as a resource to people that
3	are there in Nassau County. So what's at
4	stake? There are jobs at stake for this
5	particular property. It's an equestrian
6	center that involves horses and care and
7	the opportunity to serve a lot of
8	children. We hear stories about a
9	community center and kids that need a
10	function, need a program, need to do
11	things. This property could offer that.
12	You have adults that don't golf in Nassau
13	County, as many golf courses as there
14	are, they have other sports and
15	activities that they can participate in.
16	This property was purchased for that
17	particular purpose with a with a promise
18	to the person that sold it, Mrs.
19	Discount, that it would always be enjoyed
20	as an equestrian park to the benefit of
21	the public and serving Nassau County and
22	the people in that county. Right now it's
23	treated more a little bit like an
24	exclusive country club instead of
25	benefiting children, adults, lessons,

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2	education, outreach to the community that
3	would benefit kids that need an activity.
4	And we're talking about people today
5	that have been starved by COVID for human
6	interaction and activity that they could
7	enjoy. And animals, if we look at mental
8	health and everything and what an animal
9	can do for people and their mental
10	health, is part of that. And having a
11	place like this that is a jewel that's
12	been underserved and underutilized for
13	one reason or another left in languish
14	because of a lack of direction, a lack of
15	vision, I as a county resident and I'm
16	an avid equestrian, I have three horses,
17	I compete, I have a national ranking I
18	have to drive 40 minutes to Suffolk
19	County to a state owned facility in order
20	to enjoy my hobby, when there's a center
21	right here that's 20 minutes away from me
22	in Massapequa. And for some reason it's
23	gotten languished and caught up in a
24	political quagmire that I have no idea
25	why or what for.

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2	And I understand what everyone's
3	talking about and how important your
4	stuff is, and I appreciate it. Come ride
5	a horse. You'll have a good time with
6	that, and you'll enjoy it for your kids
7	because it's part of Nassau County that
8	we should all enjoy.
9	So thank you. I'm sorry (applause).
10	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
11	Jacqueline Pfiefer.
12	MS. PFIEFFER: I know some of you
13	from past meetings we've had over a good
14	number of years. I'm going to speak
15	briefly from myself and I and Robin
16	couldn't make it here, so if you don't
17	mind, I'll read her statement to you. The
18	National Equestrian Center was purchased
19	in 2008 for \$12 million for the purpose
20	of preserving open space and providing an
21	equestrian facility open to the public
22	with public events and offering
23	affordable boarding and lesson programs.
24	For the past five years, it has been
25	subleased to a high end private boarding
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2	facility with no public riding lessons,
3	no public programs, and discourage public
4	access with an electric gate at the
5	entrance with no signage that this is a
6	county facility open to all.
7	In April of 2021, the Nassau County
8	Legislature rejected the proposed new ten
9	year contract awarded to the previous
10	leaser. He unexpectedly died in December
11	of 2021, and over the past year, the
12	facility has been managed on a temporary
13	extension to his son, Joe Rizzo.
14	Unfortunately, it is impossible to reach
15	Joe via phone, website or at the barn.
16	I recently paid a visit because a
17	friend told me there were several empty
18	stalls available. This is only partly
19	true. There are three empty stalls, but
20	they are unusable because the outside
21	wall is collapsing and it is unsafe to
22	put horses there. And since Joe is there
23	on a temporary basis, he is
24	understandably reluctant to invest in
25	extensive repairs. If a horse or a person
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2	gets injured on the property now, under
3	this extension, if anybody gets hurt, Joe
4	is simply a caretaker. He was never on
5	any previous contract, or has he been
6	vetted by the County. Would the County be
7	liable for that lawsuit?
8	The three major barns on the
9	property were built in the thirties and
10	forties, and the termites have had over
11	80 years to do their damage. I have
12	previously boarded at Old Mill for over
13	25 years and know the facility well.
14	There's a lot of work that needs to be
15	done, but Nassau County has a golden
16	opportunity right now to ensure the
17	future of this property by crafting by
18	crafting a new RFP and requesting bids to
19	replace at least one of the barns with a
20	new structure.
21	This is a beautiful facility with an
22	indoor ring for year round, riding
23	several rings with all weather footing,
24	numerous paddocks to turn out, fields to
25	ride on, and a connection to the trail
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2	system of the 500 acre Muttontown
3	preserve. Years ago, they held horse
4	shows here twice a year and hosted one of
5	the first European style Grand Prix in
6	the Big Ring.
7	Our equestrian group has offered
8	numerous times to assist the county in
9	formulating a comprehensive RFP and
10	contract that would reflect the intention
11	of the original purchase. This facility
12	is not an office or an apartment
13	building, and Nassau County should not be
14	expected to understand all the nuances of
15	managing an equestrian facility with live
16	animals and public programs. But through
17	our combined lifelong involvement in the
18	equestrian life of Long Island, we can
19	offer guidance in crafting an RFP and
20	contract that will ensure the future of
21	NEC.
22	Nassau County has already written to
23	other RFPs and contracts since 2008, and
24	with a few corrections and additions,
25	could have these new documents ready in
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2	from a slightly different angle. I'm not
3	sure any of you guys go to Belmont Park
4	for the races ever. Yes. Awesome. If
5	you've ever gone on Triple Crown Day,
6	which is the last leg of the famous race,
7	if there's a Triple Crown contender like
8	there was several years ago, there was
9	100 and, I don't know, 120,000 people
10	in attendance that day. On a non Triple
11	Crown day, there's 89,000 people. They
12	come from out of state that come from
13	across the country and they spend money
14	in Nassau, and I know it's half Queens,
15	half Nassau County.
16	I just want you to understand the
17	impact that the equestrian industry
18	provides for New York and Nassau County.
19	A study was done in 2017 by the American
20	Horse Council. It doesn't break it down
21	by county, but it does break it down by
22	New York State. Just in racing alone,
23	there's 19,000 people employed in racing
24	in New York State. That's \$3 billion in
25	annual revenue. That's billion with a B.

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2	Governor Hochul just announced two
3	days ago a \$455 Million plan to update
4	Belmont Park. There's a lot of money here
5	in horses. At the end of the day, the
6	race horses that leave Belmont Park and
7	can no longer race are often adopted or
8	purchased by people here on Long Island,
9	trainers and owners. Where do those
10	horses have to reside? Well, in Nassau
11	County, that is shrinking and shrinking
12	and shrinking. Nassau Equestrian Center
13	represents one of the last commercial
14	barns that is relatively affordable.
15	Now, I know you look at equestrian,
16	you think, Oh my God, they are rich
17	snobs. If I owned a boat or an RV, you
18	probably wouldn't say that where I choose
19	to spend my money and by the way, I
20	live in Huntington Station. I'm not rich.
21	I am like working class. Where people
22	choose to spend their money shouldn't
23	really matter.
24	Another thing to put in perspective,
25	and I mentioned this the last time I was

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2	here two years ago, if you're familiar
3	with West Hills County Park, just over
4	the border in Huntington, there was the
5	former Sweet Hills Equestrian Center,
6	which was mismanaged for years to the
7	tune of multi million dollars in
8	remediation to remove poisonous dirt that
9	was dumped there illegally. It made
10	Newsday, I'm sure you guys remember it.
11	That was due to lack of oversight.
12	I am here representing the
13	Nassau/Suffolk Horseman's Association.
14	I'm the President. I'm also a director
15	for the New York State Horse Council. So
16	when I tell you that I'm here and I'm
17	passionate and I want to be involved in
18	the future of Nassau Equestrian Center.
19	The first RFP that was put out was
20	brilliant. There were so many things for
21	the community.
22	The last point I'm going to make,
23	I'm also a real estate agent and what I
24	focus on, one of the things we focus on,
25	are where people going and where people
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2	are coming from. People are moving from
3	the city to Long Island. People are
4	fleeing the state because they can't keep
5	their horses on Long Island. Nassau
6	Equestrian Center needs to be one of
7	those places, and it should be. Thank you
8	for your time. Go to Belmont Park
9	(applause).
10	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Selene
11	Castrovilla?
12	(Whereupon, no verbal
13	response.)
14	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Nope.
15	Okay. Amil Virani.
16	MR. VARANI: Good evening. My name
17	is Emil Virani. I'm from Valley Stream. I
18	wanted to speak in regards to the latest
19	redistricting maps, but, beforehand, I
20	just wanted to thank people from the
21	Community Center for coming. As a
22	Lawrence High School graduate, and as
23	somebody who was a part of the community
24	center program in seventh grade, I deeply
25	support your efforts and I hope that
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2	there's a resolution here. So thank you
3	so much (applause).
4	No problem. And thank you,
5	especially to Miss Sasha Young. I saw her
6	efforts, especially during COVID, helping
7	out with Gammy's Pantry. And personally,
8	I think the the Five Towns is really
9	lucky to have Sasha. So just on a
10	personal note, I just wanted to mention
11	that.
12	I wanted to speak in regards to the
13	latest redistricting maps and my concern
14	about the maps in its current form. When
15	I opened the Excel file, which glad the
16	files are now up there, I know that there
17	was an issue early on in the
18	redistricting process. I saw only four
19	Majority/Minority districts, and I find
20	this very concerning. Many speakers,
21	including myself, at previous hearings,
22	had voiced the need for at least five
23	Majority/Minority districts, and we don't
24	have that.
25	As well, I wanted to talk about the
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2	division of Mill Brook and the division
3	of Valley Stream. Particularly in Mill
4	Brook's case, the lines don't really make
5	sense. And I think from a legislative
6	perspective, making sure that the lines
7	make sense to residents makes it very
8	easy for them to address any of the
9	issues that they're having. There's no
10	difference, even though I'm not from Mill
11	Brook, there's no difference. And I don't
12	know why Mill Brook was split up, as well
13	as the village of Valley Stream. And
14	villages such as Hempstead, which was
15	really noted in Newsday, is very
16	concerning.
17	And, overall, that in itself is
18	really just showing how this map in its
19	current form is just the County asking
20	for people to bring expensive litigation
21	as the current maps violate the Voting
22	Rights Act and the New York State John
23	Lewis Voting Rights Act.
24	So I ask the County to fix these
25	maps so that way we can avoid that
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2	litigation and not have that because it's
3	not something the County should be
4	investing our money in, especially when a
5	solution is definitely attainable and we
6	can definitely avoid that litigation. So
7	thank you (applause).
8	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
9	Richard Libby.
10	MR. LIBBEY: Hi. I'm here to talk
11	about the Five Towns Community Center.
12	Originally, when the County got the
13	title, the property was donated by the
14	people from the Center to the County. In
15	order for the county to do tax exempt
16	bond financing and build a new building.
17	They then put in Nassau County Medical
18	Center, which was the healthcare center.
19	But somehow when it was switched over, it
20	was removed, which is a horrible thing.
21	The Center actually feeds, I
22	believe, like 5000 people. You know, the
23	thing I think they gave away a million
24	and a half pounds of food. It's a
25	horrible thing that they're coming up
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2	with this idea of the \$5 million. The RFP
3	should either be postponed or canceled.
4	You should enter into a time period where
5	the Community Center can maintain and
6	raise money because under the County
7	lease, the money that they raised there
8	goes into the county general fund. So
9	they're always at a losing proposal. It
10	doesn't profit them to do anything. Every
11	time they try to work on something, if
12	they have all these things, they can go
13	out and get grants and stuff like that.
14	But if they could outsource part of the
15	property for themselves, they can make
16	money from the property.
17	As the former owners of it, the
18	County, when they took the title, they
19	signed the lease. And I guarantee you the
20	people who entered into the agreement
21	weren't as sophisticated as the County
22	people who were taking it in there. And
23	in good faith, they were two ministers
24	and they signed one sign of the lease in
25	1970, and then the second parcel was

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2	signed in 1974. They were ministers. One
3	lived in a basically 385 Bayview Avenue,
4	which was the HAP project. So I don't
5	think that they were as attuned or as
6	cunning as the County people who were
7	negotiating with them, and they didn't
8	think 50 years would really end that
9	fast. So in their mind, when they set it
10	up, it was like such a long time period.
11	People since Jeff Toback was trying
12	to give the property or sell the property
13	to the JCC. Now I know that JCC is trying
14	to open up something in the Community
15	Center saying they want to put a pool in
16	there and everything else, but they just
17	actually did one on Central Avenue. So
18	why don't they open that facility up to
19	everyone from Inwood so they could use
20	it? They don't need to put another pool
21	or any other expansion of the money
22	there. I mean, the County at one time,
23	they put tennis courts in there when it's
24	basically a soccer playing area. They had
25	to rip out the tennis courts and put the

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2	basically the soccer field back in there.
3	The County ripped off the roof of
4	the building prior to a hurricane, which
5	allowed water infiltration to come into
6	the building. They have been basically
7	neglecting the maintenance of it and then
8	turn around and blame the people for not
9	doing the proper procedure. If they came
10	out and as I said, the taxpayers paid
11	for the whole thing. It's not the
12	County's money, but the taxpayers money.
13	We need this center in here in order
14	to honor Black History Month because they
15	actually serve most of the black people
16	and Hispanic people, they're working on
17	that.
18	And Mrs. Ford, just in another
19	point, when the Atlantic Beach Bridge, my
20	grandfather in the thirties, went to
21	legalize it, 1938, when Nassau County
22	became a county, he went to legalize it
23	because they were going to sell it as a
24	profit center because it was a part of
25	the original part of Atlantic Beach. They
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2	built it and then they came around and
3	turned it in. The County ended up buying
4	the bridge for three years of the gross
5	revenue. So that's how that came back in
6	there.
7	But I would like it if you guys
8	would extend either the RFP because
9	you only gave them a month and a half
10	to put a proposal in there, remove the \$5
11	million and give them a new lease for
12	five years without the restriction of the
13	financial component that you guys make
14	all the money, go to the general fund. It
15	should go to the people in the Center
16	(applause).
17	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Thank
18	you, Mr. Libbey.
19	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Mr. Presiding
20	Officer, real brief.
21	As a point of clarification, Mr.
22	Libby, thank you very much for coming.
23	And thank you for everyone here from the
24	Community Center for all the work that
25	you do.
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2	As a point of clarification, the RFP
3	was issued by the County Executive and
4	this Body just votes on the proposal,
5	their pick. So I when that comes before
6	this body, I will be supporting the
7	proposal that supports the community. And
8	if it doesn't support the community, then
9	I have grave concerns.
10	MR. LIBBEY: The County has gotten
11	3800 petitions to extend the lease or
12	cancel the RFP and there's just a new
13	effort on it.
14	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Thank
15	you, Mr. Libby. We appreciate it.
16	Charlene Thompson.
17	MS. THOMPSON: Good evening once
18	again. My name is Charlene Thompson. I'm
19	here to speak about redistricting.
20	So I did take a look at the report.
21	I got a chance to look through it. And I,
22	I do readily recognize four
23	Majority/Minority districts, for a point
24	of information, would you be able to
25	clarify what the fifth one that has been
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2	identified? I have one, two, three and
3	six. I'm not sure which is the fifth.
4	Because it doesn't specify that in the
5	report.
6	Just to go on. You know, one of the
7	things that we we look at redistricting
8	every ten years, we talk about what
9	political legacy are we creating over the
10	next ten years? And we look back at the
11	last ten years, a lot of people who were
12	here ten years ago are not here anymore.
13	But the legacy that they created still
14	stands with us. Peter Smith, Judy Jacobs.
15	And so now today with this new map,
16	you've you've guys are shifting the
17	paradigm here. And one of the things that
18	I recognize is that you are redrawing
19	some of these traditional district lines
20	that have been in place since the
21	Legislature became 19 Legislative
22	Districts. And I, for one, think that's a
23	good thing, because what I believe it
24	will do is promote healthy political
25	competition and not allow incumbents that
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2	have served for decades to get too
3	comfortable. Because when incumbents get
4	comfortable, then they stop necessarily
5	paying attention and serving the
6	community's interests.
7	So I'm not adverse to political
8	competition, and I look forward to one
9	of the things I would encourage both
10	sides is that, we need to groom some
11	young folks to step up and be ready to
12	take advantage of these opportunities as
13	they arrive. I don't see enough of that
14	being done on either side of the aisle.
15	So I would encourage that we do have some
16	young people who are interested in
17	stepping up, but they need the guidance
18	and support of the more senior
19	legislators to get them along the way and
20	make sure they're ready to get out there
21	and compete in a meaningful way that
22	they're involved and engaged in community
23	activism.
24	So I, for one, encourage healthy
25	political competition. Because choice,
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2	political choices, are a great thing. I
3	look forward to see how this is all going
4	to shake out.
5	So thank you for putting I'm a
6	resident of Baldwin, so I know that that
7	was one of the great things that we
8	championed that we wanted for the most
9	part, Baldwin to be whole. I see that
10	Baldwin has been placed in Roosevelt with
11	Roosevelt. So that'll be interesting to
12	see how that paradigm shift is going to
13	evolve and promote political leadership.
14	I look forward to keeping an eye on that.
15	And so one just one point of
16	clarification, and I want to see where
17	the Fifth District is, because it's not
18	clear for me, but I'm looking forward to
19	see what's going to come over the next
20	ten years and what kind of legacy we
21	created.
22	Presiding Officer Nicolello, I can
23	say what I've seen so far is that you've
24	governed fairly and inclusively, and for
25	that we appreciate it.
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2	Thank you so much.
3	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Thank
4	you.
5	Jerry Kornbluth, Nassau Community
6	College.
7	MR. KORNBLUTH: Good evening,
8	everyone. My name is Jerry Kornbluth.
9	I'm the Vice president for Community and
10	Governmental Relations. I just want to
11	say a few words.
12	You guys have inspired me to what
13	you do in the community and your passion
14	is tremendous. And it's because of you,
15	The Nassau Community College has put the
16	"C" back into Nassau Community College.
17	We are committed to the community that we
18	serve. Our mission is to change lives, to
19	give students all the opportunities
20	possible. We work closely with the local
21	school districts, we work closely with
22	not for profit organizations, the
23	business community and all other
24	communities in the county.
25	One of the one of the departments at
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2	Nassau Community College, the Sociology
3	Department, came to me with a proposal
4	about teaching some classes in the
5	Corrections facility. I went to see
6	Sheriff Anthony LaRocco. He embraced the
7	idea. And right now, I just want to share
8	with you, we're teaching a credit course
9	in the Corrections Facility as an
10	introduction to sociology class that is
11	an online class. Hopefully, it works out
12	well. We're looking to work out the kinks
13	in it right now, and hopefully we'll be
14	able to offer many more courses within
15	the in the correction facility.
16	And I just have to say that Anthony,
17	Sheriff LaRocco was fantastic in giving
18	us that opportunity and allowing us to
19	come in there and to work this program,
20	because the one institution that we want
21	to try to change is the criminal
22	institution. We want to be able to give
23	students the opportunity and open up
24	their eyes to see what it's like to be in
25	an institution of higher education. And I

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2	think that this is the beginning and this
3	is what Nassau Community College does. So
4	I want to thank you for your time and I
5	just wanted to share that with you.
6	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Thank
7	you, Jerry.
8	Susan Gottehrer.
9	MS. GOTTEHRER: Good evening. My
10	name is Susan Gottehrer. I'm the director
11	of the Nassau County and New York Civil
12	Liberties Union. I'm not here to speak
13	about redistricting, but I am here to see
14	the vote. Mr. Ferretti, it was really
15	nice to see you show up at 3:00 this
16	afternoon and miss most of the public
17	comment. But I digress.
18	I would like to call attention to
19	all the pieces that have come together
20	here tonight. We've had a community
21	center asking for help. We had police
22	officers that were being highlighted for
23	their heroic behavior and doing their
24	jobs. I really just want to point out
25	that this is a moment of putting your
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2	money where your mouth is on two
3	different fronts. If you talk about
4	public safety and you are concerned about
5	public safety, then you will do
6	everything you can to help that community
7	center, because front loading the system
8	with policing and incarceration has been
9	what we've been doing since the Nixon
10	years and it doesn't work and it has
11	nothing to do with community safety. So
12	if your campaigns talk about community
13	safety and you don't help this community
14	center, that's what helps community
15	safety. That's exactly what helps
16	community safety. That's number one.
17	Number two, if you're going to talk
18	about Black History Month and then you're
19	going to vote on these maps I think
20	that might be all I have to say on that.
21	I think you get it.
22	Number three, the jail. I have a lot
23	to say about the jail. I've said it all
24	before. I'm getting a little tired of
25	only hearing about caring about the
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2	corrections officers at the jail. Again,
3	public safety. Public safety is about
4	using incarceration to prepare people
5	when they come out. If you care about
6	public safety and you put that in your
7	campaign ads, then put programs into that
8	jail. Number one.
9	As public safety Committee members,
10	I've asked you repeatedly look into the
11	medical provisions at the jail, look into
12	the records, look into all of those
13	things, because the conditions in those
14	jails that we hear the corrections
15	officers complaining about is where these
16	people live, 70% of them pretrial. And if
17	you think that putting people into an
18	atmosphere like that and then expecting
19	them to come out and act like regular
20	members of the community with no support,
21	then you don't care about community
22	safety.
23	So if you're going to put community
24	safety in your campaign ads, then put
25	your money where your mouth is. Tonight
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2	has just shown the whole thing. The whole
3	thing, and it's going to end with the
4	vote on the maps.
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2	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Item
3	18, Resolution 37, a resolution to
4	confirm the County Executive's
5	appointment of Anthony LaRocco to the
6	position of Sheriff of Nassau County.
7	Motion by Legislator Giuffre, seconded by
8	Legislator Ferretti. Motion is before the
9	Legislature. Mr. LaRocco.
10	SHERIFF LAROCCO: If I may, I'd like
11	to read something into the record,
12	please.
13	Good evening, honorable members of
14	the Legislature. My name is Anthony
15	LaRocco, and I am the acting sheriff.
16	Before returning to this position, I held
17	the position of Undersheriff from January
18	of last year and had a long career in
19	this very department.
20	I began my journey in 1986 in the
21	Enforcement Division as a deputy sheriff.
22	I was part of a recruit class to be the
23	very first deputy sheriffs to ever enter
24	into the Police Academy. In early summer
25	of 1990, our class of 20 were ordered
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2	into the correctional center to cover
3	posts due to budget issues affecting many
4	departments at that time. We worked
5	alongside correctional officers in
6	various positions throughout the
7	correctional center.
8	In the years that followed. I rose
9	through the ranks from deputy sheriff to
10	sergeant to lieutenant, and finally to
11	Captain, which were all civil service
12	tested positions. In 2000, I was
13	appointed to the title of Deputy
14	Undersheriff, which I held for one year.
15	During my career, I supervised every
16	aspect of the enforcement division, which
17	included the field unit, landlord/tenant
18	unit, warrant unit, and the Family Court
19	unit.
20	On September 6th of last year, I
21	became the acting sheriff. As acting
22	sheriff, I am tasked with the oversight
23	of two equally important divisions, being
24	the enforcement division and the Division
25	of Corrections. I must share my time
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2	accordingly between both. Some of my
3	accomplishments in the short period of
4	time include the promotions of 56
5	individuals, which included six captains,
6	16 lieutenants, 15 sergeants and 20
7	corporals. This number of promotions made
8	at one time has never happened in the
9	history of the sheriff's department.
10	I am also glad to announce that we
11	have a class of 22 recruits join the
12	ranks of correctional officers and also
13	have an additional class of 17 that will
14	also be joining the ranks sometime in
15	April of this year. I am also in the
16	process of replacing the entire fleet of
17	vehicles for the Sheriff's Department.
18	These promotions and hirings have
19	had a positive effect on cutting overtime
20	costs. From January 1st through February
21	24th of this year, the overtime cost will
22	1.6 million as compared to this same time
23	last year, which were 4.2 million. This
24	is a realized savings of approximately
25	60%. And more importantly, in no way have
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2	these savings had any adverse effects
3	regarding either the safety of the
4	offices or the inmates.
5	The care, custody, and control of
6	inmates is our number one objective, and
7	we take that task very seriously. We're
8	also in the process of adding additional
9	security cameras throughout the
10	Correctional Center to enhance safety for
11	all. Thank you.
12	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Thank
13	you. Any questions? Legislative Lafazan.
14	LEGISLATOR LAFAZAN: Thank you, Mr.
15	LaRocco, for your prior service and your
16	commitment to your future service.
17	SHERIFF LAROCCO: Thank you very
18	much.
19	LEGISLATOR LAFAZAN: Of course.
20	As legislators we wear different
21	hats. We wear legislative hats, fiscal
22	hats, investigatory hats, and, of course,
23	oversight hats. Though you will serve at
24	the pleasure of the County Executive,
25	this chamber maintains oversight over the
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2	Executive Branch and over countywide
3	departments such as yours. So your
4	success as a leader is our success as
5	lawmakers. And I wish you the best.
6	But when it comes to the jail and
7	our law enforcement professionals in
8	COBA, I'm concerned. I'm concerned about
9	morale issues that come month after month
10	after month. I'm concerned about staffing
11	issues. I'm concerned about the academy
12	location. I'm concerned about the
13	infrastructure at the jail. And I'm very
14	concerned about an extremely questionable
15	appointment that was made recently. Given
16	this administration's decision making so
17	far when it comes to the jail, I have to
18	vote no.
19	But I wanted to wish you the best of
20	luck. Your success is our success. And I
21	hope you can work with President Sullivan
22	and COBA with urgency. And I hope you
23	have the courage to think differently and
24	make change. So I wish you the best.
25	LEGISLATOR LAFAZAN: Thank you very
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2	much.
3	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Okay.
4	Anyone else? Legislator Ford.
5	LEGISLATOR FORD: Good evening,
6	Sheriff LaRocco. I want to thank you very
7	much for giving us a brief history of
8	your tenure at the jail already. And I
9	also want to thank you to hear that you
10	did put those outposts. You added the
11	security, I guess, in that rear, which we
12	had asked for.
13	And I thank you very much for
14	listening to some of the concerns that we
15	brought to you, not only for our
16	correctional officers, but also for the
17	inmates, the people that do reside at the
18	jail, and the concern for their safety
19	and also for their well being.
20	And I know that there's a number of
21	issues that we still need to work on, and
22	I'm hoping that we can continue with this
23	dialogue that we methodically go after
24	each issue so that we can make sure that
25	we follow it to its completion and to the
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2	benefit of all, whether or not it's
3	somebody who works there or somebody who
4	is residing there.
5	And I do appreciate the fact that
6	you have responded, but I'm looking
7	forward to working with you to make sure
8	that we continue this dialogue and we
9	finally get this jail up to the jewel
10	that it was meant to be.
11	SHERIFF LAROCCO: Thank you.
12	LEGISLATOR FORD: And I have to say,
13	though, I also agree. Even with the
14	morale, and I know there was some issues
15	that we brought up in regard to maybe
16	wellness committee taking a look at maybe
17	bringing some other things, visitation
18	changes there. And I'm hoping that you
19	will seriously look at that and respond
20	and help us so that we can get those
21	things established.
22	Thank you. But I do intend to vote
23	for you.
24	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
25	Legislator DeRiggi-Whitton.
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2	LEGISLATOR DERIGGI-WHITTON: Hi,
3	Sheriff. I also agree with Legislator
4	Lafazan, my coworker. We do want to see
5	you prove us wrong.
6	But what I want to do is say that
7	it's really important to have bipartisan
8	communication. I understand that you
9	recently met with the Majority members of
10	of the Public Safety Committee and being
11	Ranking for the Minority, I wasn't aware
12	that you were meeting. And having an open
13	dialogue I have no idea what you even
14	discussed. I don't know if you have any
15	updates. I don't know if you had any of
16	the answers that we asked you at the
17	hearing, but we were not included in
18	that. And I just don't think that's the
19	right way to go about garnishing our
20	support or working out situations.
21	It's not that we just have concerns
22	that are not grounded. I mean, I sat here
23	as a legislator for years hearing about
24	one death after another when we were
25	having the health, the health issues. We
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2	were worried about different things as
3	far as disciplinarian subjects. And I
4	have no idea if you talked about it with
5	them, but if you did, we weren't granted
6	that privilege. So all I can say is, you
7	know, I don't know what else to say other
8	than, if you want our support and you
9	want us to work with you, we need to be
10	included in these meetings. I actually
11	just heard about it today for the first
12	time.
13	So I hope that you're doing a good
14	job as being sheriff. I hope that you're
15	using your own mind. I always hear you're
16	smart, man. You can depend on yourself.
17	And I hope you are. And I hope that you
18	are the sheriff in town.
19	And but again, we really have a lot
20	of concerns about the jail. You know,
21	fellow Legislator Siela Bynoe has been
22	the real the real back. Bone of the
23	effort to try to make improvements. And
24	the fact that we had no idea that you
25	were meeting is really just sending the

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2	wrong message, in my opinion.
3	So I'm also not going to be able to
4	support your nomination, but I really. It
5	can only go up from here. So I hope that
6	you take this opportunity to work with us
7	and respond to us and hear our concerns.
8	Thank you.
9	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Any
10	other legislators?
11	(Whereupon, no verbal
12	response.)
13	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
14	Hearing None. All in favor signify by
15	saying, "Aye".
16	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Aye.
17	LEGISLATOR KOPEL: Aye.
18	LEGISLATOR FORD: Aye.
19	LEGISLATOR SCHAEFER: Aye.
20	LEGISLATOR GAYLOR: Aye.
21	LEGISLATOR KENNEDY: Aye.
22	LEGISLATOR PILIP: Aye.
23	LEGISLATOR MCKEVITT: Aye.
24	LEGISLATOR FERRETTI: Aye.
25	LEGISLATOR WALKER: Aye.
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2	LEGISLATOR GIUFFRE: Aye.
3	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
4	opposed?
5	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Nay.
6	LEGISLATOR MULE: Nay.
7	LEGISLATOR DERIGGI-WHITTON: Nay.
8	LEGISLATOR DRUCKER: Nay.
9	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Nay.
10	LEGISLATOR BYNOE: Nay.
11	LEGISLATOR LAFAZAN: Nay.
12	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: All
13	right. It passes by a vote of 11 to 7.
14	Congratulations, Sheriff.
15	SHERIFF LAROCCO: Thank you very
16	much.
17	(Whereupon, applause.)
18	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Next,
19	two items are 17 and 22, Resolutions
20	number 36 and 41, both of which are to
21	confirm the appointment of John DeGrace
22	as a member of the Nassau County
23	Community College Board of Trustees.
24	Moved by Legislator Walker, seconded by
25	Legislator Kopel. John?
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2	MR. DEGRACE: Thank you very much,
3	Mr. Presiding Officer, Ladies and
4	gentlemen of the Legislature, it's a
5	pleasure to be here. I have served on the
6	board at the College for about eight
7	years. I took a brief hiatus and I'm
8	looking forward to getting back to
9	business at the Bard. I love the College.
10	My major concern is for the students of
11	the College and bringing in as many new
12	students as possible.
13	And I'd also like to say hello to my
14	former Trustee, Buddy, Arnie Drucker.
15	Nice to see you, Arnie. He moved up the
16	ladder. I didn't. I got a demotion. But
17	thank you very much.
18	Any questions?
19	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
20	Legislator Kopel then Legislator Drucker.
21	LEGISLATOR KOPEL: Yes. Thank you.
22	I've had the privilege of knowing John
23	now about 15 years; John and Barbara,
24	actually. And ever since I've known you,
25	you've been doing nothing but public
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2	service. You've been devoted. And that's
3	a family that's devoted to public
4	service. Barbara, I served with you on
5	the on the the Valley Stream Chamber of
6	Commerce. You're a very active member. So
7	this is a family that has done nothing
8	but work for the betterment of the County
9	of Nassau and our people. So I think
10	that at this point, we're just lucky that
11	you're willing to still come back and do
12	more work for us and more work for the
13	for the wonderful students at the
14	College. College is lucky to have you.
15	We're lucky to have you.
16	And thank you for serving.
17	MR. DEGRACE: Thank you very much.
18	Thank you, Howard.
19	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
20	Legislator Drucker.
21	LEGISLATOR DRUCKER: Thank you,
22	Presiding Officer. John, welcome back.
23	MR. DEGRACE: Thank you, Mr.
24	Drucker.
25	LEGISLATOR DRUCKER: You know, it
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2	really is a pleasure for me to have this
3	opportunity to to recognize and offer my
4	support for your appointment back on the
5	Board.
6	I met John about 2012, so about 11
7	years ago. We served on the board
8	together. And I'm not reticent to say
9	that John and I are of different
10	political persuasions, but I never found
11	a more endearing, friendly, good hearted
12	man that I consider a friend than John
13	DeGrace.
14	When it came to the college and the
15	students, there was no politics involved.
16	Your commitment was to the betterment of
17	the College and to the students
18	primarily. And I always recognize that,
19	and I think that's why you and I got
20	along so well. I think we also we loved
21	sharing quotes from The Godfather movies,
22	if you remember correctly, that was one
23	of our favorite pastimes. One of the
24	lines from one of the Godfather movies
25	comes to mind now. When Al Pacino said,
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2	Just when you think you're out of this
3	life, they pull you back in, right?
4	MR. DEGRACE: That's right. Exactly.
5	Well, thank you very much. Thank you.
6	LEGISLATOR DRUCKER: I consider you
7	a friend. And I more importantly as as
8	Legislator Kopel said, the College is
9	lucky to have you. The students are lucky
10	to have you. And I think you're going to
11	continue in that work.
12	And I will ask you as a personal
13	favor, John, that you and the fellow
14	members of the board try to work with the
15	full time Faculty association.
16	MR. DEGRACE: Yes.
17	LEGISLATOR DRUCKER: I think I'm
18	speaking on behalf of all 19 of us. We
19	all share in that. We want you to work
20	together with them. And I hope that
21	you'll do that. I know you will.
22	MR. DEGRACE: I'll do my very best.
23	LEGISLATOR DRUCKER: And I want to
24	congratulate you in advance, John. I
25	think you're a great person, and I'm
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2	proud to call you a friend.
3	MR. DEGRACE: Thank you very much.
4	It's reciprocal. Thank you very, very
5	much.
6	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
7	Legislator Walker.
8	LEGISLATOR WALKER: John, I, too, am
9	very excited to see you be part of this
10	board again. And I know how much you love
11	this county. I know how much you love the
12	residents of this county. I know how much
13	you love the College and certainly the
14	young people in the in this county that
15	can utilize our community college and
16	once again make it the jewel that it has
17	been for many, many years.
18	And I know enrollment has gone down,
19	but I know you're going to look to every
20	possible way that you can help build that
21	enrollment, whether it's other programs
22	that we can offer or whether it's looking
23	at something that we let go and we should
24	bring back. But I know you're going to do
25	the best and I look forward to working
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2	with you and anything we can do to help
3	you and the College out.
4	MR. DEGRACE: Legislator Walker,
5	Thank you very much. I appreciate that.
6	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: John,
7	I just wanted to add that you've always
8	been very passionate about the College.
9	And almost every time I've seen you, you
10	brought up an issue about the College for
11	our consideration. But it's great to have
12	somebody going back on with your
13	experience. We're going to need that
14	experience, that gravitas that you have
15	going forward with the issues the College
16	is facing and also your ability to work
17	with your board members and build
18	consensus, I think that's invaluable. So
19	we're very pleased that you'd want to
20	come back and do this.
21	MR. DEGRACE: Thank you. Legislator
22	Nicolello.
23	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Anyone
24	else? Legislator Lafazan.
25	LEGISLATOR LAFAZAN: Thank you,
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2	Presiding Officer. Mr. DeGrace, I take
3	Arnie Drucker's recommendations very
4	seriously. He speaks the world of you,
5	and I believe you're a wonderful man. And
6	I wish you the best.
7	I just wanted to explain why I'm
8	abstaining. Like Sheriff LaRocco, you are
9	a person of immense character, and I
10	thank you for your prior service, and I
11	congratulate you on your future service.
12	But the teachers at Nassau Community, for
13	months, my alma mater, they've been
14	crying out for change. And I think a
15	statement needs to be made that the
16	direction of the College needs to change
17	and change quickly. So I wish you the
18	best. You're going to be approved and I
19	look forward to working with you. Your
20	success is our success and our students'
21	success. And I thank you for serving.
22	MR. DEGRACE: Well, thank you very
23	much. I appreciate that.
24	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: All
25	right. Let's go to a vote. All in favor
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2	signify by saying, "Aye".
3	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Aye.
4	LEGISLATOR KOPEL: Aye.
5	LEGISLATOR FORD: Aye.
6	LEGISLATOR SCHAEFER: Aye.
7	LEGISLATOR GAYLOR: Aye.
8	LEGISLATOR KENNEDY: Aye.
9	LEGISLATOR PILIP: Aye.
10	LEGISLATOR MCKEVITT: Aye.
11	LEGISLATOR FERRETTI: Aye.
12	LEGISLATOR WALKER: Aye.
13	LEGISLATOR GIUFFRE: Aye.
14	LEGISLATOR DRUCKER: Aye.
15	LEGISLATOR MULE: Aye.
16	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
17	opposed?
18	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: No opposed.
19	Abstentions.
20	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: So it's
21	13 yes votes and five abstentions.
22	Congratulations.
23	MR. DEGRACE: Thank you very much.
24	And have a great evening.
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3	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Item
4	19, Resolution 38, a resolution to
5	confirm the county executive's
6	appointment of Gennaro Cesrano to the
7	Assessment Review Commission. Motion by
8	Legislator Ferretti, seconded by
9	Legislator McKevitt. Gennaro.
10	MR. CESARANO: Good evening. My name
11	is Gennaro Cesarano. I'd like to thank
12	the County Legislature for allowing me
13	this time. I want to thank the County
14	Executive for this appointment to the
15	Assessment Review Commission.
16	A little bit about me: Currently,
17	I'm serving my second appointment on the
18	Civil Service Commission for the Town of
19	Hempstead. I also own and operate a
20	business in the county for the past ten
21	years. I look forward to bringing my
22	business experience, my civil service
23	experience to the County, working with my
24	fellow board members to serve the people
25	in Nassau County.
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2	Thank you.
3	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Thank
4	you very much.
5	Any questions?
6	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: How are you,
7	Mr. Cesarano?
8	MR. CESARANO: Very good. How are
9	you?
10	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Good, good,
11	good. I guess following the tone of this
12	evening, just to make sure that you are
13	fully aware. We're not going to be able
14	to support your appointment, but it has
15	nothing to do with you personally. I'm
16	sure you're a good person. You stand up
17	for your community and looks like you're
18	a good business owner.
19	However, the County Executive has
20	not provided, and we've been asking now
21	for quite some time, an assessment plan
22	in terms of how we plan to go forward in
23	this county in regards to managing
24	assessments. As you may or may not know,
25	there's been some errors that have been
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2	created, nothing of magnitude that would
3	that would rise to the level of the
4	Commission that you're going to be on to
5	a large degree. But there were some
6	errors in the last computation of
7	assessment that has been done, and still
8	we have not seen a plan.
9	So our objection to you or us not
10	supporting you is not directed at you.
11	It's more directed at the fact that the
12	County has not seen a plan. We have taken
13	this course before with other folks that
14	have been appointed to the Assessment
15	Review Commission as well.
16	So I just wanted to make sure you
17	were aware of that. But I wish you
18	nothing but the best and I wish you much
19	success. And to quote Legislator Lafazan,
20	"your success is our success". Seems like
21	a popular line tonight.
22	MR. CESARANO: Thank you.
23	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: You're
24	welcome. Thank you.
25	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
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2	Legislator Solages.
3	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Thank you.
4	Again, I have to vote along with my
5	colleagues. But I have to say that every
6	time I've been to your restaurant, you
7	treated me with the utmost respect.
8	You've introduced me to Italian food I
9	didn't know about. So, again, I really
10	appreciate you. It's nothing personal.
11	Just we have a certain agenda when it
12	comes to issues and Assessment
13	Department, the things that we have not
14	seen done by the County Executive or the
15	Republicans, but yet they complained
16	about it profusely when we had a
17	Democratic County Executive. The
18	assessment system has been frozen. We
19	recently advocated for the extension of
20	the deadline, which I'm happy the County
21	Executive granted. Again, nothing
22	personal. You're a complete, gentleman.
23	MR. CESARANO: Thank you.
24	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: I think some of
25	the best Italian food in Nassau County.
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2	But thank you.
3	MR. CESARANO: Thank you.
4	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
5	Legislator Ferretti.
6	LEGISLATOR FERRETTI: Thank you,
7	Presiding officer. And I do want to speak
8	highly of my friend Jerry, but before I
9	do, I do think it's important just to
10	point out and I'm not questioning the
11	vote of the Minority, but Jerry's being
12	appointed to the Assessment Review
13	Commission, which is independent of the
14	Assessment Department.
15	But nevertheless, you know, Jerry,
16	we've known each other for a very long
17	time. I'm looking at your resume and I
18	see all the way back to 2003 when we
19	worked together in the Town of Hempstead
20	for a couple of years. And it's 20 years
21	ago now, which is insane. Well, you look
22	the same. I look 30 years older. So
23	something something's going on.
24	MR. CESARANO: It's that life in
25	politics for you (laughter).
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2	MR. CESARANO: No comment.
3	But no, you're extremely qualified
4	for the position. You have many years in
5	public service. And I can personally
6	attest to your character, your work
7	ethic. And I know you're going to succeed
8	at this position with flying colors. So
9	preemptive congratulations. Good luck and
10	glad we're working together again.
11	MR. CESARANO: Thank you.
12	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Anyone
13	else?
14	(Whereupon, no verbal
15	response.)
16	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
17	Calling for a vote. All in favor signify
18	by saying, "Aye".
19	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Aye.
20	LEGISLATOR KOPEL: Aye.
21	LEGISLATOR FORD: Aye.
22	LEGISLATOR SCHAEFER: Aye.
23	LEGISLATOR GAYLOR: Aye.
24	LEGISLATOR KENNEDY: Aye.
25	LEGISLATOR PILIP: Aye.

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2	LEGISLATOR MCKEVITT: Aye.
3	LEGISLATOR FERRETTI: Aye.
4	LEGISLATOR WALKER: Aye.
5	LEGISLATOR GIUFFRE: Aye.
6	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
7	opposed?
8	(Whereupon, no verbal
9	response.)
10	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
11	Abstentions?
12	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Abstained.
13	LEGISLATOR MULE: Abstained.
14	LEGISLATOR DERIGGI-WHITTON:
15	Abstained.
16	LEGISLATOR DRUCKER: Abstained.
17	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Abstained.
18	LEGISLATOR BYNOE: Abstained.
19	LEGISLATOR LAFAZAN: Abstained.
20	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: All
21	right. It passes by a vote of 11 votes
22	for and with 7 abstentions.
23	Congratulations, Gennaro.
24	MR. CESARANO: Thank you.
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2	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Item
3	21, Resolution 40, a resolution to
4	confirm the County Executive's
5	appointment of Louis DiGrazia to the
6	Sewer and Storm Water Finance Authority.
7	Moved by Legislator McKevitt, seconded by
8	Legislator Giuffre.
9	MR. DIGRAZIA: Good evening. I'd
10	like to thank County Executive Blakeman
11	for selecting me for this appointment and
12	for the Legislative review and time they
13	spent in helping out the county
14	residents.
15	I've been doing public works work
16	for 30 years for the Village of Freeport,
17	Town of Hempstead. I know the Board very
18	well. I've worked with Commissioner
19	Arnold for 20 years on various projects.
20	And I think I bring a perspective to this
21	authority which is needed on this board
22	right now.
23	Thank you.
24	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Okay.
25	Thank you very much. Legislator Mule.
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2	LEGISLATOR MULE: Hi, Lou. How are
3	you?
4	MR. DIGRAZIA: Hi.
5	LEGISLATOR MULE: It's wonderful to
6	see that you're going to be here helping
7	out the County. He was always the go to
8	person if we needed to know something. Is
9	this being done correctly? You always
10	told it to us straight. So I know that
11	you'll do a great job.
12	MR. DIGRAZIA: Thank you.
13	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Okay.
14	Anyone else? All in favor signify by
15	saying, "Aye".
16	(Whereupon, all members of
17	the Nassau County Legislature
18	respond in favor with, "Aye".)
19	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
20	opposed?
21	(Whereupon, no verbal
22	response.)
23	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Passes
24	unanimously. Congratulations.
25	MR. DIGRAZIA: Thank you.
21 22 23 24	(Whereupon, no verbal response.) PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Passes unanimously. Congratulations.

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2	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: We
3	will go to the Consent Calendar now.
4	These are items that went through
5	Committees a couple of weeks ago, and
6	it's been agreed by the Majority and
7	Minority that no further debate or
8	discussion are needed at this time"
9	Item 5, Ordinance 11;
10	Item 7, Resolution 26;
11	Item 8, Resolution 27;
12	Item 9, Resolution 28;
13	Item 10, Resolution 29
14	Item 11, Resolution 30;
15	Item 12, Resolution 31;
16	Item 13, Resolution 32;
17	Item 14, Resolution 33;
18	Item 25, Resolution 44;
19	Item 26, Resolution 45;
20	Item 27, Resolution 46;
21	Item 28, Resolution 47;
22	Item 29, Resolution 48;
23	Item 30, Resolution 49;
24	Item 31, Resolution 50;
25	Item 32, Resolution 51;
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2	Item 33, Resolution 52;
3	Item 34, Resolution 53;
4	Item 35, Resolution 54;
5	Item 36, Resolution 55;
6	Item 37, Resolution 56;
7	Item 38, Resolution 57;
8	Item 39, Resolution 58.
9	Moved by Deputy Presiding Officer
10	Kopel, seconded by Legislator Ford. All
11	in favor of those items, signify by
12	saying, "Aye".
13	(Whereupon, all members of
14	the Nassau County Legislature
15	respond in favor with, "Aye".)
16	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
17	opposed?
18	(Whereupon, no verbal
19	response.)
20	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: They
21	all unanimously.
22	Now we are going back to Item 1,
23	that's a Local Law to Amend Annex A of
24	the County Government Law of Nassau
25	County to describe the 19 Legislative
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2	Districts based upon the 2020 Federal
3	Census data. Motion by Deputy Presiding
4	Officer Kopel, seconded by Legislator
5	Ford. That puts the item before us.
6	However, we need an amendment
7	inasmuch as a amended map was filed on
8	February 21st, 2023, which incorporates
9	the comments by legislators and public
10	during the redistricting process. So
11	basically I need a motion to amend.
12	Move by the Deputy Presiding Officer
13	Kopel, seconded by Legislator Ford.
14	Now, this is going to be a vote just
15	on the amendment. It's not on the Item,
16	the item as amended. All in favor of the
17	amendment, signify by saying, "Aye".
18	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Aye.
19	LEGISLATOR KOPEL: Aye.
20	LEGISLATOR FORD: Aye.
21	LEGISLATOR SCHAEFER: Aye.
22	LEGISLATOR GAYLOR: Aye.
23	LEGISLATOR KENNEDY: Aye.
24	LEGISLATOR PILIP: Aye.
25	LEGISLATOR MCKEVITT: Aye.
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2	LEGISLATOR FERRETTI: Aye.
3	LEGISLATOR WALKER: Aye.
4	LEGISLATOR GIUFFRE: Aye.
5	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
6	opposed?
7	LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Nay.
8	LEGISLATOR MULE: Nay.
9	LEGISLATOR DERIGGI-WHITTON: Nay.
10	LEGISLATOR DRUCKER: Nay.
11	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Nay.
12	LEGISLATOR BYNOE: Nay.
13	LEGISLATOR LAFAZAN: Nay.
14	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: The
15	amendment passes by a vote of 11 to 7.
16	I would ask at this time that the
17	transcripts of the hearings of the Rules
18	Committee on January 17th and the Full
19	Legislature from February 16th and today
20	be incorporated by reference into the
21	record.
22	Any legislator wants to speak? Sure.
23	Minority Leader Abrahams.
24	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Thank you,
25	Presiding Officer. Thank you for
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2	incorporating the record from the
3	previous hearing into this particular
4	vote.
5	I do have a question probably for
6	you, Presiding Officer, as it pertains to
7	Mr. Trende's analysis, was that analysis,
8	was that analysis paid for with
9	Legislative TDAC money or Legislative
10	Majority contractual money? I'm just
11	trying to make sure I understand, is this
12	something that's privileged or is it
13	something that this entire Body should be
14	able to obtain?
15	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: I'll
16	answer that by saying that we retained
17	Mr. Tseytlin's firm, Troutman Pepper,
18	which retained Mr. Trende, which uses Mr.
19	Trende. So it was it flows through the
20	counsel that we retained.
21	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: And the counsel
22	that you retain was paid for with TDAC
23	commission resources?
24	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: No. As
25	as authorized by the Charter and Laws of
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2	the County, I, as Presiding Officer,
3	retained Troutman Pepper.
4	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: So the
5	resources come out of the Legislative
6	Majority budget.
7	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: I
8	don't believe they're coming out of the
9	majority budget. I believe they come out
10	of the County Budget as a whole. This
11	through the County Attorney's Office.
12	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: The general
13	fund?
14	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Yes.
15	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: I'm just
16	trying to figure out
17	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: It's
18	out of the County Attorney's budget.
19	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: How do we get
20	a copy of the analysis? If the analysis
21	is privileged, then it's privileged. Then
22	we shouldn't get it. But if the analysis
23	is something that's been paid for out of
24	some type of Redistricting Fund, I think
25	we would like to get it. I think we
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2	should be able to put it up on the County
3	website and it should be something that
4	the entire public should have an
5	opportunity to see. Unless I'm mistaken.
6	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: It was
7	done through the offices of Troutman
8	Pepper. So I am not sure what the
9	legalities of that is. But as we
10	discussed before, we have what we have
11	offered and we are ready to move forward
12	in the process.
13	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: I'm sorry,
14	Presiding Officer. Let me just try again.
15	I'm not trying to be argumentative or
16	competitive.
17	How is Troutman Pepper paid?
18	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: It was
19	paid out of the County Attorney's budget.
20	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: So it's been
21	paid out of the County Attorney's budget?
22	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Yes,
23	the County Attorney's budget. The
24	Presiding Officer has the power, as
25	granted by the Charter, to retain
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2	counsel, which I have done.
3	Mr. Tseytlin, Troutman Pepper, is an
4	attorney that I retained for the purpose
5	of this process. And I would say that his
6	services and his communications with me
7	would be something that would be subject
8	to attorney client privilege.
9	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: That's
10	interesting. I really have a comeback for
11	that one. Well, I have a comeback, but I
12	can't believe what we're doing. All
13	right.
14	I mean, I think it begs the question
15	that the County Attorney did not make
16	known to the Legislative Minority that he
17	was taking on Troutman Pepper on behalf
18	of the Majority. I would think the
19	Legislative Minority is also privileged
20	to that counsel, since the County
21	Attorney does represent us as well, and
22	we were never made aware that Troutman
23	Pepper was being hired, nor have we been
24	privileged to the opportunity of seeing
25	what Troutman Pepper had put together in
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2	regards to requesting Mr. Trende to be a
3	part of his analysis.
4	So, I'm just saying and I'll wrap up
5	by saying this. You mentioned before,
6	earlier during the hearing, that we in
7	the Legislative Minority have been
8	provided all the information that your
9	side has, and obviously we have not. And
10	this is a clear example of how we have
11	not received any information and we're
12	actually a part of this Body. I had no
13	idea, there's been no memo, that the
14	County Attorney, who apparently is only
15	representing half of the Legislature or
16	12/19 of it or 11/19, Mr. Rhoads is
17	not here anymore 11/19 of the
18	Legislature has chosen to not include the
19	Legislative Minority. I wonder why.
20	So from that standpoint, Presiding
21	Officer, I understand the way that it
22	went down. We're prepared to take the
23	vote. I would just kindly ask that you
24	allow the folks that are here that maybe
25	didn't get a chance to speak earlier to
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2	incorporate them into the record. But to
3	me, it's disheartening that we are at
4	this point where we have not been
5	included in this process. But thank you.
6	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: As I
7	said, this is a power that's given to the
8	Presiding Officer to retain counsel.
9	There's two points I'd like to make,
10	and the Legislator Ferretti made this
11	point earlier. It was announced by one of
12	the Democratic Commissioners to the TDAC
13	at the very beginning that this is going
14	to the courts. So that was a
15	consideration that we took.
16	Secondly, with the changes in the
17	laws in New York State, with the new
18	Court of Appeals decision in Harkenrider,
19	the law is not what it was ten years ago.
20	So we wanted to make sure, as we looked
21	at the TDAC process, that the process
22	that was followed, the maps that were
23	produced, would comply with those laws.
24	So I, as Presiding Officer, retained the
25	counsel that won the case of the Court of

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2	Appeals last year for obvious reasons,
3	because that counsel has experience in
4	litigating this issue and has been
5	successful with the New York State Court
6	of Appeals. That counsel has been
7	advising me and developing this map for
8	the Legislature. The information that has
9	been provided, the memos that have been
10	provided to us, have been made part of
11	the record. And we're at the point, I
12	believe, where we can vote.
13	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Just this is a
14	point of clarification, Presiding
15	Officer, the memos that have been
16	provided to the Legislature, you have
17	shared with us. But the analysis that was
18	done by Mr. Trende that's been hired at
19	your direction to the County Attorney's
20	office, has only been provided to your
21	side.
22	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Just
23	to be clear, I hired Troutman Pepper. Mr.
24	Trende works with Troutman Pepper. So I
25	hired Troutman Pepper and his office
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2	works with Mr. Trende, who has, again,
3	provided analysis that was accepted by
4	the Court of Appeals.
5	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Nobody's
6	disputing what Mr. Trende has done. What
7	I'm saying is Mr. Trende has provided an
8	analysis, I guess, to Troutman Pepper, to
9	Mr. Tseytlin. I'm assuming he's provided
10	it to your side. However, the County
11	Attorney, which represents all of us,
12	basically that analysis should be
13	provided to all of us, shouldn't it?
14	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Well,
15	you have. Those memos or what we have.
16	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: I'm not
17	talking about the memos, Presiding
18	Officer. I think you know exactly what
19	I'm talking about. There is a Sean Trende
20	analysis, which basically he has
21	conducted, which is an ensemble approach,
22	which he did 50,000 iterations of the map
23	to determine based on his expertise we
24	disagree with his expertise, but it's
25	hard for me to publicly disagree with it
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2	because all I'm going based off is the
3	description but we disagree with his
4	analysis based on what Dr. Magleby has
5	testified a few weeks ago.
6	That being said, that analysis is
7	mentioned in the Troutman pepper report,
8	an analysis that has been paid for by the
9	County Attorney's office. However, that
10	analysis, I haven't seen it. I'm asking
11	the question to you, have you seen it?
12	Has your side seen it?
13	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: We
14	have been provided what you have been
15	provided, which is the conclusions of Mr.
16	Trende. Other than that, I've had
17	conversations with with my counsel, which
18	I'm not going to disclose. But other than
19	that, we've been provided with the
20	conclusions Mr. Trende provided, it's in
21	the memos, you have what we have.
22	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Okay, So,
23	basically the County Attorney's Office
24	authorized yourself and your side to pay
25	for something, and you have not seen the

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2	analysis that you're paying for?
3	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: I have
4	seen the summary, which is in the memo.
5	The summary of the findings of Mr.
6	Trende. When I'm not a demographer, I'm
7	not someone who can read and understand
8	the data that's being used by somebody
9	who is analyzing 50,000 variations of
10	possible maps in Nassau County. No, I did
11	not get into the into the weeds. I did
12	not see all 50,000 of the ensemble. No, I
13	didn't. What I got was the conclusions
14	after he reviewed the maps that were
15	drafted. What we received is his
16	conclusions. And those conclusions, as a
17	matter of the record, fit well within the
18	acceptable parameters and perform much
19	better than those maps that were put
20	forward by the Democratic members and
21	Republican members of the Commission.
22	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: So just to be
23	I just want to make sure
24	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: I
25	am
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2	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: I'm sorry. I
3	thought I was I thought you were done. Go
4	ahead.
5	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: I am
6	done answering questions. I've said
7	everything I'm going to say. If you want
8	to make a statement, you're welcome to do
9	it.
10	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Well, I
11	apologize, Presiding Officer, but I have
12	to ask questions because you just brought
13	to my attention that you basically use
14	resources from the County Attorney. As
15	far as I'm concerned, the County Attorney
16	represents everyone in the Legislature,
17	not just 11/19 of it.
18	So from that standpoint, all of that
19	information should have been provided to
20	this Legislative Body immediately, not
21	five minutes before a meeting. We should
22	have been at the table discussions. I was
23	under the impression for weeks, if not
24	months, that your side was paying for
25	this out of the TDAC Commission money,
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2	the leftover money that was unused by the
3	Commissioners, which would give you the
4	authority to hire and bring in whoever
5	you want. But for some reason, that
6	wasn't the case. And now we're learning
7	that the analysis that was done by Mr.
8	Trend, no one has seen. We've only seen a
9	descriptive response put together by
10	Troutman Pepper, who, as far as I'm
11	concerned, was the litigator in the case
12	in Harkenrider versus Hochul. But they
13	were not actually the map drawers.
14	So I just have to ask a question:
15	How much was the Troutman Pepper analysis
16	since the County Attorney is paying for
17	it and we should be represented by it?
18	How much did the what was our portion?
19	What was our 7/19 portion of that?
20	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: I am
21	done answering your questions. I can tell
22	you that again, that the Charter gives
23	the Presiding Officer the power to retain
24	counsel, which is what I did. And perhaps
25	if Democrat Commissioners at the

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2	beginning of the process weren't
3	announcing that this is going to the
4	courts, I wouldn't have needed to hire
5	outside counsel, but the Commissioners
6	did, and others did, who are Democrat
7	leaders, have said matter of factly, It
8	doesn't matter what you do, it's going to
9	the court. So I did the prudent thing. As
10	been mentioned time and time again, the
11	expense of potentially paying prevailing
12	wages is something that should be taken
13	into consideration. So I went out and
14	hired the counsel who successfully argued
15	the case before the Court of Appeals.
16	Shockingly, a Democrat appointed
17	bench who sided with counsel in finding
18	last year that the maps prepared by the
19	Democratic Legislature was so egregiously
20	gerrymandered that they had to be thrown
21	out. Yes, I went and got that counsel
22	because your side has announced in every

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way that you could possibly announce that

you're bringing this to litigation. So I

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2	taxpayers.
3	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: I'm not too
4	sure I understand. What's my side?
5	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Did
6	you? I don't know.
7	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: I appointed
8	members to a TDAC commission, and that
9	was it. Right?
10	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: All
11	right. So look, all right. I don't mean
12	any pejoratives there. I mean, it was a
13	member of the the Temporary District
14	Advisory Committee, so I withdraw the
15	word, "your side".
16	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Thank you.
17	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Do you
18	have a statement or anything else?
19	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: No, no. I
20	didn't get answer to the question. How
21	much did the contract cost for Troutman
22	Pepper and the analysis that was done by
23	Mr. Trende?
24	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
25	Legislator Mule, you raised your hand.
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2	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: We're not
3	going to get an idea of how much you
4	cost? I mean, we can get you guys an
5	audit of every single cost of Dr.
6	Magleby, Dr. Gall. The experts have been
7	provided, every single one.
8	So again, folks, this is the
9	secrecy. They say they're transparent,
10	but they can't even tell you how much
11	they paid for something that the County
12	Attorney paid for, which is the people's
13	attorney. The entire Legislature and the
14	people's attorney, but can't even tell
15	you how much it is, but it's transparent.
16	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
17	Legislator Mule.
18	LEGISLATOR MULE: Thank you,
19	Presiding Officer. I just wanted to talk
20	a little bit about my thinking just prior
21	to the vote. Like Legislator Ferretti, I
22	have found this process fascinating. I
23	learned a tremendous amount. Very
24	fascinating. I went to several of the
25	TDAC hearings, particularly there was one
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2	in my hometown. I attended that one as
3	well as a couple of others.
4	I want to thank the Presiding
5	Officer for taking into account several
6	things that I said at the Rules Committee
7	Hearing, which had to do with South
8	Hempstead and putting that back together
9	that needed to happen and thank you for
10	doing that.
11	Freeport now is divided into two as
12	opposed to four, and you don't have to
13	put on your bathing suit in order to get
14	to the one side to make it contiguous.
15	You took that into account, and I very
16	much appreciate that.
17	But I do have some serious problems
18	which were brought up perhaps by several
19	other people. But I'd just like to give
20	my take on it. The fact that most of
21	Freeport has been moved into a district
22	with Merrick and North Bellmore, and to
23	say that because they share Sandy or
24	flood-related issues that that makes them
25	alike. I am not in that district. I'm in
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2	a different district. That portion of
3	Freeport really is where the majority of
4	the flooding, the Sandy-related flooding
5	happened. So to say that that's a real
6	reason, it just doesn't make any sense to
7	me.
8	And then to LD6, if you look at the
9	map, in order to get Roosevelt to add to
10	it, you have to come around and up and
11	over Freeport and then it's kind of over
12	there (indicating). And I that that one
13	doesn't make sense to me either. It makes
14	much more sense to keep it with North
15	Freeport. By putting Freeport, most of
16	Freeport now, with with Merrick and North
17	Bellmore, I think that that is just very,
18	very clearly diluting the minority vote.
19	And so I believe that the residents of
20	Freeport will no longer have real
21	representation as a result of that.
22	So that's all I have to say. Thank
23	you.
24	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Okay.
25	Any other legislators?
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2	Legislator Lafazan.
3	LEGISLATOR LAFAZAN: Sure. So I
4	think the theme of this evening, in my
5	opinion, is disagreement doesn't always
6	have to be personal, and politics can be
7	disagreeable without being personal. So,
8	Rich, you've been a gentleman to me
9	always, and I thank you as always.
10	Ten years ago, as a young student, I
11	sat in this auditorium and I watched this
12	Body carve up a gerrymandered map. Ten
13	years later, sitting here as a
14	Legislator, it's sad that we haven't
15	grown.
16	I'm an eternal optimist, and I think
17	this County's best days are ahead of us.
18	But I'm also practical. And there's
19	nothing I can say. There's nothing anyone
20	on this side can say that will change
21	this vote in a few minutes. It doesn't
22	mean that we have to just be silent and
23	not put on the record that it's
24	outrageous that legislator Drucker and I,
25	two Democrats who represent two very
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2	large and distinct school districts and
3	communities, Syosset and Plainview, are
4	now in one district. And if this map
5	passes, Arnie, who's been a friend and a
6	mentor and a big brother to me, is now in
7	my district. This doesn't have to be this
8	way. And I know we'll hear from those who
9	drew the map, "We don't know where
10	incumbents live". But how many
11	Republicans have been put in a district
12	with another Republican? The answer is
13	zero. And so if you do an ensemble
14	analysis, tens of thousands of
15	simulations, what is the statistical
16	probability that we'll end up with a map
17	with two Democrats in the same district,
18	but no Republicans in the district if
19	another Republican?
20	Tomorrow morning, students in Nassau
21	County are going to wake up to a snow
22	day. This Body is going to wake up to a
23	lawsuit. When the courts kick it back, I
24	hope that we can work together to make a
25	fair map. This County is not served by

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2	the political competition foisted upon
3	Legislator Drucker and I. We've been
4	singled out, it's unfair and it's quite
5	frankly, egregious.
6	So, again, when the courts kick this
7	back to us and we have an opportunity
8	directed by the courts to draw a new fair
9	map, right. When all the rhetoric is done
10	and we finally lose in court, I hope you
11	work with us. I love serving here.
12	Legislator Drucker loves serving here.
13	Our constituents lose tonight and nobody
14	wins.
15	Thank you.
16	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Anyone
17	else?
18	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: For the
19	record, Presiding Officer.
20	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Yes.
21	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Just for the
22	record, I talked about transparency and I
23	talked about costs. And it wouldn't be
24	fair if I wasn't transparent, nor was I
25	being true with public. The Legislature,
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2	the TDAC members on the Democratic side,
3	in extension, obviously going into 2022,
4	we spent \$22,000 to Dr. Magleby, who
5	provided expertise in regards to the map,
6	and we spent \$74,800 on the map ability
7	drawing capabilities of Dr. Gall. Just to
8	be fair. So I would like to hear the
9	number again, but obviously we may not
10	hear that number.
11	But the bottom line is from our
12	standpoint, and just to piggyback on what
13	Legislator Lafazan has said, we have the
14	power and the authority tonight to
15	basically do the right thing.
16	Unfortunately, this map is going to go
17	forward. And this Body is choosing to
18	vote on a map that is going to be
19	illegal. It's illegal for multiple
20	reasons that I indicated at the hearing.
21	But most importantly, Mrs. Thompson,
22	to answer your question, the reason why
23	you didn't get an answer to the five
24	Majority/Minority districts is because it
25	does not exist. There's only four. There
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2	is not five.
3	This map also violates multiple
4	Federal Voter Rights Act clauses. It also
5	violates the John Lewis Provision as it
6	pertains to Minority/Majority. It dilutes
7	minority votes in the areas of Freeport
8	that Legislator Mule talked about. And it
9	also dilutes votes in the area of
10	Lakeview. That is very clear.
11	What is also clear is that the legal
12	fees that are presented by the
13	petitioner, or the plaintiff in this
14	particular matter, whatever may be the
15	case, those legal fees are going to be
16	paid for by taxpayers, not the County
17	Attorney taxpayers. The County will have
18	to foot that bill to pay if those
19	petitions and those litigation cases are
20	successful, that's it. So it would be it
21	would be proper and appropriate for this
22	Legislative Body to do everything it can
23	to kick over, to turn over every single
24	issue, to ensure that we are passing a
25	legal map. We're not doing that.

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2	We have chosen to do things in
3	secrecy. We've told things not to be
4	transparent. We've asked pointed
5	questions in regards to Lakeview, to
6	Freeport, no answer. We've asked pointed
7	questions in regards to a fifth
8	Minority/Majority district. We're told by
9	Mr. Tseytlin, who was here a couple of
10	weeks ago, that he did not look at race,
11	which to me sounds to be a little bit
12	I'm not too sure of what to say about
13	that because the whole Legislative Body
14	was created because Judge Arthur Spatt
15	created two Minority/Majority districts
16	because of race. So I'm not too sure what
17	Mr. Tseytlin is talking about.
18	But that being said, unfortunately,
19	none of us want this. None of us want to
20	see a lawsuit. I rather things get worked
21	out, because ultimately the lawsuit is
22	going to cost taxpayer money. That being
23	said, I don't see how there's going to be
24	any path for residents not to join a
25	lawsuit to be able to get some type of

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2	legal recourse.
3	We have the opportunity to do the
4	right thing tonight. I'm going to implore
5	my colleagues one more time to do the
6	right thing. To be aware of what is going
7	on from the residents that have come down
8	and do the right thing tonight.
9	Thank you.
10	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
11	Today's vote is the culmination of many
12	months of hearings, including the TDAC,
13	as well as the County Legislature. We
14	have heard from numerous residents as
15	well as legislators. And as was stated
16	earlier, we have made numerous changes to
17	the map based on the input of legislators
18	and residents. Did we make every
19	requested change? No. Is this map
20	perfect? No. But perfection is impossible
21	in redistricting.
22	This map is a fair map. It provides
23	for equal representation for all of our
24	residents and protects communities of
25	interests as much as possible, and it
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does so while complying with all
applicable federal and state laws and
legal requirements.
I urge all of my colleagues to vote
yes to approve this map. I'd like to have
a vote.
This is actually the amended item.
All those in favor of the amended item
signify by saying, "Aye".
PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Aye.
LEGISLATOR KOPEL: Aye.
LEGISLATOR FORD: Aye.
LEGISLATOR SCHAEFER: Aye.
LEGISLATOR GAYLOR: Aye.
LEGISLATOR KENNEDY: Aye.
LEGISLATOR PILIP: Aye.
LEGISLATOR MCKEVITT: Aye.
LEGISLATOR FERRETTI: Aye.
LEGISLATOR WALKER: Aye.
LEGISLATOR GIUFFRE: Aye.
PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
opposed?
LEGISLATOR SOLAGES: Nay.
LEGISLATOR MULE: Nay.
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2	LEGISLATOR DERIGGI-WHITTON: Nay.
3	LEGISLATOR DRUCKER: Nay.
4	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Nay.
5	LEGISLATOR BYNOE: Nay.
6	LEGISLATOR LAFAZAN: Nay.
7	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Okay.
8	It passes by a vote of 11 to 7.
9	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Presiding
10	Officer, I hate to be a nitpick, but I
11	want the record reflect that it is passed
12	with 11 votes of the Republican Majority
13	with seven votes against from the
14	Democrat Minority.
15	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: You're
16	right. You're right.
17	LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Thank you.
18	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Moving
19	on to the next item, which is a hearing
20	on proposed local law. It's a Local Law
21	to amend Section 6-2.6 of Title A of
22	Chapter six of the Administrative Code of
23	Nassau County in relation to reducing the
24	number of years volunteers need to serve
25	to receive the partial exemption from
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2	taxation for volunteer firefighters and
3	volunteer ambulance workers pursuant to
4	Chapter 670.
5	Moved by Legislator Walker, seconded
6	by Legislator Ford that is a motion to
7	open the hearing. Any debate or
8	discussion?
9	Essentially what this does is it
10	changes the number of years that
11	volunteer firefighters and ambulance
12	workers have to serve before they're
13	eligible for the partial real property
14	tax exemption from five to two. Once they
15	reach that two years of service, they
16	will be eligible. This partial exemption
17	will relate to their County portion of
18	the taxes because the County cannot pass
19	this for other municipalities, but we
20	encourage them to do so.
21	Any discussion?
22	(Whereupon, no verbal
23	response.)
24	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Motion
25	to close the hearing by Legislator Ford,
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2	seconded by Legislator Pilip.
3	All in favor of closing the hearing
4	signify by saying, "Aye".
5	(Whereupon, all members of
6	the Nassau County Legislature
7	respond in favor with, "Aye".)
8	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
9	opposed.
10	(Whereupon, no verbal
11	response.)
12	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
13	Carries unanimously.
14	Now as to the vote on the proposed
15	Local Law, again, it is Item 3, a local
16	law to amend Section 6-2.6 of Title A of
17	Chapter six of the Administrative Code of
18	Nassau County in relation to reduce the
19	number of years volunteers needed to
20	serve to receive the partial exemption
21	from taxation.
22	Motion by Legislator Giuffre,
23	seconded by Legislator Ferretti.
24	Any debate or discussion?
25	(Whereupon, no verbal
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2	response.)
3	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
4	Hearing none. All in favor signify by
5	saying, "Aye".
6	(Whereupon, all members of
7	the Nassau County Legislature
8	respond in favor with, "Aye".)
9	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
10	opposed.
11	(Whereupon, no verbal
12	response.)
13	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
14	Carries unanimously.
15	Item 4, Ordinance 10 an ordinance
16	making certain determinations pursuant to
17	the State Environmental Quality Review
18	Act regarding an amendment to a license
19	and or operating agreement between the
20	County and Cornell Cooperative Extension
21	of Nassau County and authorizing the
22	County Executive of the County to execute
23	said amendment and all pertinent
24	documents.
25	Motion by Legislator Drucker,
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2	seconded by Legislator McKevitt.
3	MR. WALSH: Good evening,
4	Legislators. Kevin Walsh from the Office
5	of Real Estate Services. This is an
6	amendment to a license agreement for
7	Cornell Cooperative Extension. They have
8	a current agreement that expires in 2030
9	to operate East Meadow Farm. This
10	amendment is going to allow a further
11	extension of that license agreement so
12	they continue to serve the East Meadow
13	community and the County with various
14	Cornell Cooperative programs.
15	They're going to also going to be
16	receiving a grant from Covanta, and the
17	county is committing to provide a
18	matching grant of \$400,000 or a maximum
19	\$400,000 to build a new dynamic learning
20	center which is going to serve schools
21	and the community in the area. So any
22	questions?
23	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Any
24	questions?
25	LEGISLATOR GAYLOR: Hey, Mr. Walsh.
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2	MR. WALSH: Good evening,
3	Legislator.
4	MR. WALSH: So I know this is East
5	Meadow Farm, but since I have you here, I
6	want to ask you about the Malverne farm
7	and the Land Trust. Their lease is
8	expired. They've been operating without a
9	lease now for two years or so.
10	MR. WALSH: Yes, I know. During the
11	pandemic, they continue to operate. We've
12	been talking. That's kind of our next
13	farm we're really going to be focusing
14	on.
15	LEGISLATOR GAYLOR: What kind of
16	timeline are we talking about?
17	MR. WALSH: They've made a proposal
18	of some changes and some capital, so I'm
19	hoping I'm going to have it here, you
20	know, hopefully by the summer.
21	LEGISLATOR GAYLOR: All right. Thank
22	you.
23	MR. WALSH: Thank you.
24	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Yes.
25	LEGISLATOR WALKER: I don't know if
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2	the two I should ask either, but this is
3	Cornell Cooperative still involved with
4	the Four H camp out in Suffolk that I
5	know they were trying to have a few more
6	involved in.
7	MR. WALSH: Yes.
8	LEGISLATOR WALKER: Where are we
9	with that?
10	MR. WALSH: Yes. And we're also
11	working with them on the Four H farm out
12	in Riverhead. You're correct. Another
13	item that likely will be before this Body
14	in the future.
15	LEGISLATOR WALKER: Okay. Thank
16	you.
17	MR. WALSH: Thank you.
18	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Any
19	other questions?
20	(Whereupon, no verbal
21	response.)
22	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: No.
23	Thank you. Appreciate it.
24	Okay. All in favor of the item
25	signify by saying, "Aye".

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2	(Whereupon, all members of
3	the Nassau County Legislature
4	respond in favor with, "Aye".)
5	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
6	opposed?
7	(Whereupon, no verbal
8	response.)
9	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
10	Carries unanimously. Thank you.
11	MR. WALSH: Thank you.
12	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Items
13	15 and 16, Resolutions 34 and 35. These
14	are resolutions authorizing the County
15	Executive to execute inter-municipal
16	agreements with the Village of Sea Cliff
17	and the City of Glen Cove, in relation to
18	to a project to procure and install
19	playground equipment and in relation to
20	improvements to the Veterans Memorial
21	Monument Park.
22	Motion by Legislator
23	DeRiggi-Whitton, seconded by Legislator
24	Schaefer.
25	These two items need amendments to
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2	update the Deputy County Attorney
3	information to reflect current staffing
4	in the office. Its amendment is for is
5	the same for both items.
6	Motion to amend by Legislator
7	DeRiggi-Whitton, seconded by Legislator
8	Schaefer. Any debate or discussion on
9	the motion to amend?
10	(Whereupon, no verbal
11	response.)
12	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: All in
13	favor of closing the hearing signify by
14	saying, "Aye".
15	(Whereupon, all members of
16	the Nassau County Legislature
17	respond in favor with, "Aye".)
18	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
19	items are amended. On the items as
20	amended, any debate or discussion?
21	(Whereupon, no verbal
22	response.)
23	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
24	Hearing none. All in favor of closing the
25	hearing signify by saying, "Aye".
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2	(Whereupon, all members of
3	the Nassau County Legislature
4	respond in favor with, "Aye".)
5	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
6	opposed?
7	(Whereupon, no verbal
8	response.)
9	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Passes
10	unanimously.
11	Motion to adjourn.
12	LEGISLATOR DERIGGI-WHITTON: Thank
13	you for the amendment.
14	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO:
15	Legislator Solages makes a motion to
16	adjourn, Legislator Lafazan seconds.
17	All in favor of adjourning, signify
18	by saying, "Aye".
19	(Whereupon, all members of
20	the Full Nassau County
21	Legislature respond in favor
22	with, "Aye".)
23	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: Those
24	opposed?
25	(Whereupon, no verbal
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2	response.)
3	PRESIDING OFFICER NICOLELLO: We're
4	adjourned.
5	(Whereupon, above matter is
6	adjourned, 9:41 p.m.)
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2	CERTIFICATE
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4	STATE OF NEW YORK)
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6	COUNTY OF NASSAU)
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8	I, KAREN LORENZO, a Notary Public
9	for and within the State of New York, do
10	hereby certify:
11	That the above is a correct
12	transcription of my stenographic notes.
13	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto
14	set my hand this 27th day of February, 2023.
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