



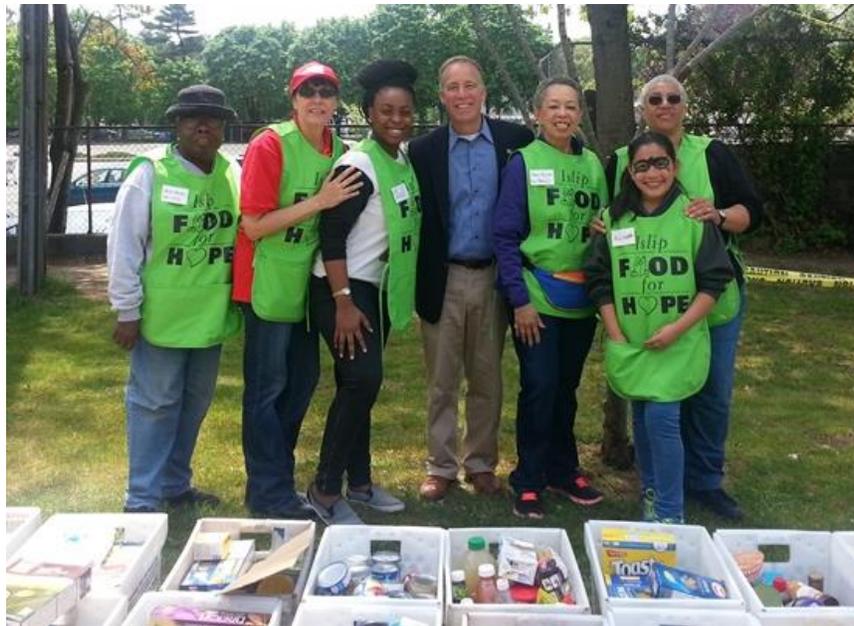
**TOM CILMI**  
**Suffolk County Legislator**  
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**HOPE IN ABUNDANCE**



Suffolk County Legislators Tom Cilmi stopped by Islip Food for Hope’s annual Community Picnic held at Ross Memorial Park in Brentwood to thank the volunteers and welcome those members of our communities in need.

There are estimates that 1 in 8 people nationwide need help from local food banks.

Legislator Cilmi said, “Islip Food for Hope is a great organization. This event is about coming together to help those in need and while the event is not in my Legislative District, I felt compelled to stop by and express my appreciation to the dozens of volunteers that came out to help. By every account, it was a wonderfully successful event.”