

SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATURE



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PRESIDING OFFICER GREGORY WANTS TO KNOW WHO IS YOUR ‘*SHERO*?’

Amityville, NY – Suffolk County Legislature Presiding Officer DuWayne Gregory wants to shine a spotlight on women heroes in our community by sponsoring a high school student essay competition in celebration of National Women’s History Month.

“Throughout the month of March, we recognize extraordinary women who have transformed and shaped our great country,” said Presiding Officer Gregory. “This year, to commemorate Women’s History Month, I am inviting high school students in grades 9 through 12 to write about a woman he or she knows personally whose actions or character inspired them.”

One essay will be selected as the winner and the student and his/her *Shero* will be recognized at the April 29 General Meeting of the Suffolk County Legislature.

“Everyone knows a woman who has made a positive impact on their life,” said Presiding Officer Gregory. “Women’s History Month is a great opportunity for students to tell their story and to recognize the extraordinary women who, in great or simple ways, touch our lives.”

Submissions will be accepted until March 28. For details, please contact Presiding Officer Gregory’s district office at 631-854-1111.

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