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Photo: Legislator Tom Muratore (right) with Dominic DuBois, Georgette DuBois, and Anthony DuBois, Sr.

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Legislator Muratore Honors Centenarian Anthony DuBois, Sr. at the November General Meeting

Selden, NY –At the November 18th General Meeting of the Suffolk County Legislature, Legislator Tom Muratore (R-Ronkonkoma) recognized a former Suffolk County employee who reached a remarkable milestone- his 100th birthday.

Anthony DuBois, Sr., a Medford resident, was born September 27, 1914 in Dominica, West Indies. He was the third of eleven children. Anthony served with the French Army from 1939-1941, the Merchant Marines, as well as the United States Merchant Marines from 1942-1972. This span of service covered World War II and the Korean and Vietnam Wars. In 1953, Anthony proudly became a United States citizen.

Mr. DuBois was employed by the Suffolk County Department of Public Works from 1972-1984. He has also been employed by New York State and Town of Brookhaven, at times holding three jobs at once. He married his first wife Katherine in 1958. Together they had a son, Anthony Jr., born in 1959. He then married Georgette in 1992. Together, their beautiful blended family includes six children, 12 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, as well as many nieces and nephews.

“It is an honor and privilege to recognize this man, not only for reaching his 100th birthday, but for his many lifelong accomplishments. His loyalty to this country and Suffolk County is apparent by his many years of service to both,” commented Legislator Muratore, who presented a proclamation to Mr. Dubois, and led the entire legislative auditorium in singing “Happy Birthday” to the centenarian.