

# SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATURE



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## **LEGISLATOR McCAFFREY JOINS LOCAL, COUNTY, AND STATE OFFICIALS IN HONORING SUFFOLK POLICE OFFICERS**

Happaugue, NY: On September 3, 2014, Legislator Kevin McCaffrey joined Local, County and State officials to honor Sergeant Christopher Prokesch, Sergeant Ryan Sefton, and Police Officer John Klein, on being awarded the Governors Police Officer of the Year award, the highest award a Police Officer in New York can receive. These three officers were all involved in a shooting in the 7<sup>th</sup> Precinct last year, for which they were awarded the Combat Medal of Gold by the Suffolk County Police Department. "Our Police Officers here in Suffolk County are among the best in the entire country, it is great to see them recognized with the Governor's Police Officer of the Year Award." Said Legislator McCaffrey "As the Son, Brother, and Father of Police Officers I was honored to join in celebrating the heroic actions of Sergeant Christopher Prokesch, Sergeant Ryan Sefton, and Police Officer John Klein."

-Legislator Kevin McCaffrey is Legislator for the 14<sup>th</sup> District covering, Lindenhurst, West Babylon, Babylon Village, The Town of Babylon Barrier Beaches and parts of North Babylon.-