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SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATOR MCCAFFREY ATTENDS LINDENHURST VILLAGE HOLIDAY FESTIVITIES



Left Photo (left to right): Village of Lindenhurst Trustee Maryann Weckerle; Suffolk County Legislator Kevin McCaffrey; Village of Lindenhurst Mayor Tom Brennan; Babette Smith (Tree Lighting Honoree); Village Trustee Darrel Kost; Meagan Ramirez (Miss International Teen New York); Lindenhurst Village Historian Anna Jaeger; Diane (Babette Smith's Daughter); Mary Ann Guglieri (Lindenhurst Historical Society President); Village of Lindenhurst Trustee Joan Masterson; Anne Parmerly (representing New York State Senator Phil Boyle); New York State Assemblywoman Kimberly Jean-Pierre; Village of Lindenhurst Deputy Mayor Mike Lavorata; and Village of Lindenhurst Administrator Shawn Cullinane. Right Photo: The official lighting of the Lindenhurst Holiday Tree.

Lindenhurst, NY: On December 6th, Suffolk County Legislator Kevin McCaffrey (R-Lindenhurst) participated in the Village of Lindenhurst Fire Department Parade and Tree Lighting ceremony. The parade commenced at Fireman's Park and concluded at the World War I memorial near the site of the holiday tree. The events were heavily attended by large joyous crowds eager to embrace the spirit of the season.

The parade and tree lighting ceremony were just two components of a larger fun-filled day of holiday-related activities. Earlier in the afternoon, the Lindenhurst Chamber of Commerce held its "Santa in the Park" event at the Village Gazebo. Children had a special opportunity to meet Santa and pose for pictures, in addition to enjoying some tasty refreshments. Later at the parade, the Mayor's Beautification Society lined the route to greet the attendees and to distribute cookies and magical reindeer dust to the children. To keep everyone toasty, hot cocoa and coffee were generously provided by 7-Eleven.

"The Village of Lindenhurst really goes above and beyond to make the holiday season fun for

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everybody,” said McCaffrey. “This ever-growing tradition brings the whole community together and just demonstrates everything that makes this a great place to live. I wish everybody a safe and happy holiday season.”

To learn more about upcoming events taking place in the Village of Lindenhurst, those interested are encouraged to visit their website at: <http://www.villageoflindenhurst.com/>. Additionally, this website provides a lot of useful information regarding the Lindenhurst Volunteer Fire Department, the Mayor’s Beautification Society, and so much more.

Legislator McCaffrey represents Suffolk County’s 14th Legislative District which encompasses the Village of Lindenhurst, Babylon Village, the hamlets of West Babylon and North Lindenhurst, portions of Copiague, North Babylon, and Babylon’s barrier beach communities.