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SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATOR MCCAFFREY ATTENDS 3rd ANNUAL VETERANS APPRECIATION PANCAKE BREAKFAST



Pictured: Suffolk County Legislator Kevin McCaffrey speaks with members of Post 94.

Babylon Village, NY: Suffolk County Legislator Kevin McCaffrey (R-Lindenhurst) recently had the honor of attending a Veterans Appreciation Pancake Breakfast at American Legion Post 94. The annual event hosted by New York State Senator Phil Boyle (R- Bay Shore), drew veterans and their families from all across the 4th Senate District.

The event provides an opportunity for local veterans to stay in touch, and also have their service to the nation recognized by public officials at the state and local levels. This year's breakfast marked its third anniversary, and Senator Boyle was happy to note that it continues to grow every year.

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“Spending time with local veterans is always an inspiring occasion,” said McCaffrey. “Our society can never thank our veterans enough for what they have done to secure our way of life. After witnessing the comradery and sense of community among these veterans, one can see why events like this are so important.”

Suffolk County has the distinction of having the largest population of veterans in the State of New York. Therefore, it should come as no surprise why advocacy groups, such as American Legion Post 94, play a vital role in ensuring that the voices of veterans are heard in the halls of government and the public at large.

“Many veterans service organizations having been struggling to maintain their membership numbers in recent years,” added McCaffrey. “I strongly encourage local veterans to join one of these organizations if they have not done so already. Service organizations like the American Legion benefit not only the members, but the entire community.”

For more information on the American Legion, please visit their main website at: www.legion.org. To learn more about American Legion Post 94 specifically, please visit their own website at: www.americanlegionbabylon.com.

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.