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ENDING HOMELESSNESS FOR L.I. VETS



(Legislator Leslie Kennedy and Legislator Tom Cilmi with staff of Liberty Landing)

October 12, 2016 – This Tuesday, Legislator Leslie Kennedy (R-Nesconset) and fellow Suffolk County Legislator Tom Cilmi (R-Bay Shore) toured a new veterans housing complex in Lake Ronkonkoma. Liberty Landings is swiftly approaching completion and it is already home to several new tenants, three of whom Legislator Kennedy met and was delighted to welcome into her district.

Reports illustrate that Long Island has the largest population of military veterans in all of New York State. As a member of the Suffolk County Legislature's Veteran Committee, Legislature Kennedy rejoiced in the opportunity to tour the complex and to meet with its current residents. "Our veterans deserve the services and resources they earned. I am so very happy to support Liberty Landing as a place for our veterans to call home," said Legislator Kennedy.

The project has been sponsored, developed, and managed by Concern for Independent Living, Inc. Once complete, the complex will offer 59 one-, two-, and three-bedroom apartments that will function as another step forward in achieving the end to homelessness for veterans in our community.

For information on this event or other community events, feel free to contact Legislator Kennedy's office directly at (631) 854-3735 or contact us on Facebook at [facebook.com/legislatorlesliekennedy](https://www.facebook.com/legislatorlesliekennedy).

Additional resources for veterans can also be found at Suffolk County's Veterans Service Agency online at <http://www.suffolkcountyny.gov/veterans> or by phone at (631) 853-VETS.

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