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***2009
VOTERS GUIDE***

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ABBREVIATIONS USED IN THIS VOTERS GUIDE

Associate Degrees	AA, AAS
Bachelor Degrees	AB, BA, BS
Certified Public Accountant	CPA
College	Coll
College of City of New York	CCNY
City University of New York	CUNY
Doctorate	PhD, DMin
High School	HS
Law Degrees	LLB, LL.M, LL.D, JD
Masters Degrees	MA, MBA, MPA, MS
New York City	NYC
New York State	NYS
Not available/Not applicable.....	N/A
President.....	Pres
School	Sch
State University of New York	SUNY
University.....	Univ
Vice President	VP

One of the following symbols should follow the name of an incumbent who is running for reelection:

Incumbent by election.....*

Incumbent by appointment.....#

TO THE VOTERS OF WESTCHESTER COUNTY

Dear Voters,

The League of Women Voters of Westchester is proud to present you with the nonpartisan 2009 Voters Guide which provides Westchester voters with balanced information about candidates and issues in a concise, easy-to-use format. Feel free to take it, mark it up, tear out pages, share it with others and bring it with you to the voting booth. This publication is meant to be used. Talk to your friends, neighbors and co-workers and encourage them to participate in deciding who will lead our governments by voting. For more voting information, check out our interactive website, www.SmartVoter.org, where you can find personalized ballots and polling locations, simply by entering your home address.

Dedicated volunteers from our local leagues have spent hundreds of hours researching, compiling, and editing the information that appears in the *Voters Guide* and at www.SmartVoter.org. We are widely distributing tens of thousands of guides this year through the mail, libraries, community centers, town and city halls, and at many other Westchester locations. This publication would not be possible without the generous support of our charitable donors, for which we are grateful. However, our cost for printing, postage and distribution exceeds the contributions that we receive. We can continue to provide Westchester voters with the nonpartisan *Voters Guide* and www.SmartVoter.org only if we receive donations from the people we serve. Please make a tax-deductible contribution by using the form below.

For more than 89 years, the League has encouraged citizens to become informed and actively participate in government. Local officials have come to rely on us for unbiased conduct of candidates' debates, for monitoring legislative processes, and for offering findings, recommendations and programs on issues including the environment, election administration reform, the county budget and healthcare.

The League of Women Voters is a grassroots organization, open to men and women, which makes decisions by consensus. Please consider joining us as a member. Thank you for your support,

Mary Beth Gose
President

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KEY TO WESTCHESTER PARTY ABBREVIATIONS USED IN THIS GUIDE

(Note: Parties are listed in the order in which they appear on the ballot.)

Symbol	Party	Telephone Contact Number
D	Democratic	946-8300
R	Republican	949-3020
IN	Independence	
C	Conservative	
WF	Working Families (Headquarters)	(718) 222-3796
Ind	Local independent parties will be listed on the official ballot at the time of the election and may be listed in this Voters Guide.	

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			Linda Manley	329-9252
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Port Chester				
Scarsdale	Jane Veron	472-2933	Pamela Meisel Rubin	723-8137
Somers	Harriet Leib	276-2419		
	Fran McLoughlin	669-9063	Carol Fox	277-7076
White Plains	Marjorie Davies	949-1886	Barbara Cooper	948-0628
			Lyn Lubliner	997-1515

IF YOU WILL BE UNABLE TO GET TO THE POLLS ON ELECTION DAY...

VOTE BY ABSENTEE BALLOT!

Here's how:

1. Call the Westchester County Board of Elections at 995-5700 and request an Application for Absentee Ballot, or download the application from the Board of Elections website, <http://www.westchestergov.com/boe>.
2. Return the application to the Board of Elections at 25 Quarropas St., White Plains, NY 10601, either via mail by Oct. 27 or in person by Nov. 2. An official Absentee Ballot will be mailed to you.
3. Return your completed ballot to the Board of Elections office either in person on Nov. 3 or via mail post-marked no later than midnight, Nov. 2 (and received by the Board of Elections no later than Nov. 10).

2009 CANDIDATE MEETINGS

Sponsored by the League of Women Voters

CITY / TOWN	DATE / TIME / PLACE	OFFICES/INFORMATION NUMBER
Westchester County	Oct. 21/ 5-10pm/ Room 206 (Graduate Auditorium), Pace Graduate Center, 1 Martine Avenue, White Plains. Parking in Galleria. 5-5:30pm County Clerk 6-7:30pm County District Attorney 8-10:00pm County Executive	Westchester County Executive, District Attorney, County Clerk Noreen Fisher, 725-6372
Eastchester	Oct. 18/ 4:30-6:30pm/ Eastchester Town Hall	Town Supervisor & Town Council Pat Harriss, 337-5015 or Edith Szold, 793-0298
Harrison	Oct. 19/ 7:30pm/Veterans' Building, 216 Halstead Avenue, Harrison	Harrison Mayor, Town Council, Town Clerk, Receiver of Taxes Lola Geiger, 939-7066
Larchmont / Mamaroneck	Oct. 21/5-10pm/Mamaroneck Village Courthouse	Mamaroneck Village Mayor, Village Board Jeri Lynn Fields, 439-7272 Nina Recio Cuddy, 833-0202
Lewisboro	Oct. 28/ 7:30pm/John Jay MS/HS, 40/60 North Salem Road, Cross River	Town Board, Other Candidates TBA Harry MacLaughlin, 232-5735
North Salem	Oct. 15/ 7:30pm/ North Salem MS/ HS, 230 June Road	Supervisor, Town Council, Highway Superintendent Harry MacLaughlin, 232-5735
Rye City	Oct. 8/ 7:30pm/ Rye Middle School Multipurpose Room 3, Parsons Street, Rye	City Council Debbie Reisner, 698-7166
Rye City	Oct. 15/ 7:30pm/ Rye Middle School Multipurpose Room 3, Parsons Street, Rye	Mayor Debbie Reisner, 698-7166
Scarsdale	Oct. 20/ 7:30pm/Scott Room, Scarsdale Public Library, 54 Olmsted Road	CLD #5 Jane Veron, 472-2933
Somers	Oct. 26/ 7 p.m./ Somers Public Library, Reis Park, Route 139	CLD #2 & #4; Town Supervisor, Town Council, Tax Assessor, Highway Supervisor Carol Fox, 277-7076
White Plains	Oct. 21/ 7-9 p.m./White Plains Library, 100 Martine Avenue	Mayor, City Council Lyn Lubliner, 997-1515 Barbara Cooper, 948-0628
Yonkers	Oct. 20/ 7 p.m./ Reisinger Auditorium, Sarah Lawrence College, 1 Mead Way, Bronxville	City Council President Edith Szold, 793-0298 Pat Harriss, 337-5015

Note: CLD is County Legislator District

CALL LOCAL LEAGUES TO VERIFY

STATE CANDIDATES

JUSTICE OF THE STATE SUPREME COURT

Ninth Judicial District

(Westchester, Rockland, Putnam, Dutchess
and Orange County)

Term: 14 years **Salary:** \$136,700

Duties: The Supreme Court, the highest trial court, has unlimited jurisdiction and can hear any type of case, but usually hears cases outside the jurisdiction of other courts, e.g. civil matters dealing with monetary amounts over the jurisdiction of lower courts, divorce, separation and annulments. Justices are elected from each of the State's 12 Judicial Districts. (A complete list of judicial candidates may not be available before press time, but will appear on the November ballot in the order determined by the Board of Elections.)

Statement: Candidates were asked to make a statement of 30 words or less identifying "what you would like the voters to know about you-your experience, accomplishments, philosophy."

(VOTE FOR THREE)

COHEN, Jeffrey

D-IN-C-WF

Residence: Yorktown (Mohegan Lake)
Education: BA, New York Univ, '71; JD, Rutgers Univ Sch of Law, '75

Occupation: Westchester County Judge
Prior Civic Service: Town Justice, Yorktown; Chair, Westchester County Board of Ethics; President, Westchester County Magistrates Association

Statement: My 20 years as judge and over 30 years as a practicing attorney have prepared me well for position of Supreme Court Justice. All litigants and lawyers treated with respect.

CONNOLLY, Francesca E.

D-WF

Residence: Ossining
Education: BA, SUNY Albany, '79; JD Pace Univ Sch of Law, '82

Occupation: Supreme Court Justice, 9th Judicial District

Prior Civic Service: Ossining Town Justice; Acting City Court Judge in Mount Vernon and Yonkers; Ossining: Deputy Town Supervisor, Council Member.

On the Web: www.electJudgeConnolly.com

Statement: My 27 years of experience as Judge, community leader and trial attorney give me the depth of experience, qualifications, and right perspective to continue serving effectively as Supreme Court Justice.

HUBERT, James

D-IN-WF

Residence: White Plains

Education: BA, Brown Univ, '75; JD, Boston Coll Law Sch, '82

Occupation: Westchester County Court Judge

Prior Civic Service: Greenburgh Town Judge; Town of Greenburgh: Planning Board, Ethics Board; Board of Directors, Greenburgh Housing Development Corp.

Statement: Domestic violence is a critical issue affecting our community, children and families. My court, the Integrated Domestic Violence Court, needs your support to keep that important work moving forward.

STEINBERG, David

D-WF

Residence: Poughkeepsie

Education: BA, Boston Univ, '70; JD, Fordham Univ Law Sch, '74

Occupation: Attorney; Hyde Park Town Justice

Prior Civic Service: Dutchess County: Chief Assistant, Public Defender; Vice Chair, Criminal Justice Council; 2009 Magistrate of the Year; Founder & Board Member, Mid-Hudson Children's Museum

On the Web: www.steinbergforsupremecourt.com

Statement: I believe justice is a process, not just a result. The public has a right to expect highly ethical, thoughtful and fair judges on the Supreme Court.

BELLANTONI, Orazio R.*

R-IN-C-Ind

Residence: Rye Brook

Education: Port Chester HS, '59; AB (Political Science), Fordham Coll, '63; LLB Fordham Univ, '66

Occupation: NYS Supreme Court Justice

Prior Civic Service: Principal Law Clerk to Supreme Court Justice (11 years); Assistant District Attorney, Westchester County (4 years); Captain, US Army, '67-'69; Special, Westchester County Police Department

Statement: Have dedicated entire career to public service with 26 years of judicial experience, 14 years as Supreme Court Justice and 12 years as a Family Court Judge of Westchester County.

STEWART, Charles E.

R-C

Residence: Pawling

Education: BA, Grove City Coll, '68; MA, Western Connecticut State Univ, '74; JD, Fordham Univ Sch of Law, '81

Occupation: Attorney

Prior Civic Service: VP, Board of Trustees, Dutchess Community Coll; Board Member, Pawling Central Sch District; Deputy Chairperson, Zoning Board of Appeals, Pawling; Advisory Board, Rebuilding Together Dutchess County

On the Web: www.charlesestewart.com

Statement: I believe in public service and being a judge will allow me to serve the community using my 28 years experience as an attorney to help people through the courts.

WOOD, Charles

R-IN-C

Information not available at press time.

SPENCE, Andrew L.

WF

Information not available at press time.

BURKE, James

Ind

Information not available at press time.

CLARK, Mary J.

Ind

Information not available at press time.

VOGEL, Stasia

Ind

Information not available at press time.

COUNTY CANDIDATES

COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$162,760

Duties: The County Executive is the chief executive. Duties include supervising the day to day administration; supervising the structure and organization of each department; reporting to the County Legislature; appointing, subject to confirmation by the County Legislature; serving as the chief budget officer; executing contracts and agreements for the County; exercising all executive and administrative powers in relation to any and all functions of County government.

Statement: Candidates were asked to answer the following questions in 30 words or less (per question). 1. What are the major issues facing Westchester County and its residents? 2. What are you going to do to implement countywide reassessment?

SPANO, Andrew*

D-C-WF

Residence: Yorktown Heights

Education: BA Fordham Univ '57; MA Fordham Univ '61

Occupation: Westchester County Executive

Prior Civic Service: Westchester County Clerk (11 years), Public Educator (25 years), a founder of United Federation of Teachers NYC

On The Web: www.andyspano.com

Statement: 1. Making sure county government works for Westchester's residents by preventing foreclosures and creating jobs in these tough economic times, spending tax dollars wisely, and keeping people as safe as possible. 2. Any system of reassessment must be fair and equitable. While assessment is a municipal function, the County is working with municipalities and helping them by providing oblique and aerial photography.

ASTORINO, Rob

R-IN

Residence: Hawthorne (Mt. Pleasant)
Education: BA Fordham Univ '89 Communications, Enforex Sch of International Studies, Barcelona, Spain Spanish Immersion Diploma '01
Occupation: Executive Sirius-XM Satellite Radio
Prior Public Service: County Legislator, Mt. Pleasant Deputy Supervisor/Councilman, Mt Pleasant Board of Education.
On the Web: www.robastorino.com
Statement: 1. Westchester residents pay the highest taxes in America. I will stop the tax madness by consolidating government and cutting out wasteful spending. We need smarter, more efficient, county government. 2. Property taxes will double within ten years if we don't change direction. Countywide reassessment requires state authorization. Until that happens, county and local governments must eliminate redundancies to cut costs.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$136,700
Duties: Investigate and prosecute offenses committed within the county. The District Attorney is the chief prosecutor.
Statement: Candidates were asked to make a statement of 30 words or less. What do you believe are the most significant problems facing the office of County District Attorney and how do you propose to address them?

DiFIORE, Janet*

D-C

Residence: Bronxville
Education: BA, CW Post Coll, '77; JD, St. John's Univ, '81
Occupation: Westchester County District Attorney
Prior Civic Service: Justice, NYS Supreme Court ; Judge, Westchester County Court; Assistant District Attorney, Westchester County DA's office.
On the Web: www.janetdifiore.com
Statement: With one of the highest violent felony conviction rates in New York, I work aggressively to prevent wrongful conviction, combat gun and drug violence, protect children online, improve victim safety.

SCHORR, Dan

R

Residence: White Plains
Education: BA & MA, Univ of Pennsylvania, '95; JD, Harvard Law Sch, '98
Occupation: Criminal Law Professor and former prosecutor
Prior Civic Service: Westchester & Queens domestic violence prosecutor; UJA Executive Board; White Plains Planning Board; youth basketball coach
On the Web: www.electdanschorr.com
Statement: Easy plea bargains offered to violent, repeat offenders and lack of support for police. I will end this practice and enhance the office using technology and better services for victims.

CASTRO, Tony

IN-WF

Residence: Rye
Education: BA, Harvard, '80; JD, Boston Coll Law Sch, '86
Occupation: Lawyer
Prior Civic Service: 14 years as an Assistant District Attorney in Bronx County
Statement: Justice requires putting the safety of Westchester's families and children first. New policies will include zero tolerance for gun violence, sustained interagency action against gangs and crimes against the elderly.

DeCINTIO, Anthony J.

Ind

Residence: Tuckahoe
Education: BA (Biology), SUNY Purchase, '76; AB (respiratory therapy), WCC, '80; JD, Touro Law Sch, '86
Occupation: Attorney
Prior Civic Service: Volunteer housing authority; volunteer religion teacher
Statement: Freedom of choice engrafted into law as regards abortion is the only instance in which violence toward an innocent human being is mandated as lawful, but mothers must allow it.

COUNTY CLERK

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$153,115
Duties: Maintain and preserve the official documents and records of the county.
Statement: Candidates were asked to make a statement of 30 words or less outlining “what would be your priorities, if elected County Executive.”

IDONI, Timothy C.*

D-WF

Residence: New Rochelle
Education: BA, Iona Coll, '77; MPA, New York Univ, '81
Occupation: Westchester County Clerk
Prior Civic Service: Mayor, New Rochelle; Village Manager, Ardsley; Deputy City Manager, New Rochelle; Assistant to Village Administrator, Bronxville
On the Web: www.timidoni.com
Statement: Continue saving tax dollars with new systems and active management; protect homeowners from fraud and abuse; maximize access to office with online tools and mobile office; emphasize efficiency and responsiveness.

MORABITO, Robert A.

R-C-IN

Residence: Port Chester
Education: BS, Mercy College, '78
Occupation: Retired
Prior Civic Service: Rye Town Councilman, 7 years; Rye Town Supervisor, 14 years; Past Rye Town Park Commission, 14 years
Statement: Streamline Clerk's office, ensure greater access to County documents, create user friendly environment. With 28 years business and 21 years public service, I can foster change in county government.

GUIDA, Raphael L.

Ind

Residence: Bronxville
Education: BA, (English Literature), Iona Coll, '82; MLS, (Finance), St. John's University, '93
Occupation: Library Manager
Prior Civic Service:
Statement: The right to life is a citizen's first and primary right. Throughout history government's first duty was and still is to protect and defend the life of every citizen.

COUNTY COURT JUDGE

Term: 10 years **Salary:** \$136,700
Duties: Jurisdiction over civil cases up to \$10,000 and all felony cases.
Statement: Candidates were asked to make a statement of 30 words or less identifying “what you would like the voters to know about you-your experience, accomplishments, philosophy.”

COLANGELO, John P.

D-WF

Residence: New Rochelle
Education: BA, Brown Univ, '74; JD New York Univ Sch of Law '77
Occupation: City Court Judge, New Rochelle; Acting County Court Judge, Westchester County (Part time).
Prior Civic Service: Member, Committee on Character and Fitness, Appellate Division, 1st Department; Commissioner New Rochelle Municipal Housing Authority; Pres., New Rochelle Rotary Club.
Statement: I believe that my background and experience as New Rochelle City Court Judge and Acting Westchester County Court Judge makes me well qualified for the position of County Court Judge.

BELAIR, Raymond W.

Ind

Residence: Bronxville
Education: AB (Cum Laude), Assumption Coll '70; JD, Fordham Univ Sch of Law '73; MA Institute of Religious Studies '05; D.Min Graduate Theological Foundation '09
Occupation: Attorney at Law
Prior Civic Service: General Counsel, Family First Foundation; Counsel, Children First Foundation
Statement: Founding partner Belair and Evans, LLP; Trial lawyer NYC over 30 years. Certified: National Board and Trial Advocacy (and examiner); American Board of Professional Liability Attorneys.

COUNTY LEGISLATORS

(VOTE FOR ONE IN YOUR DISTRICT)

Term: 2 Years **Salary:** \$49,200

Duties: Among these are to enact laws dealing with the County and its residents, to adopt an annual budget and to levy taxes, to determine the structure of County government and the number of County employees and their salaries and to initiate new projects and programs as the need arises. There are 17 County Districts.

Statement: Candidates were asked to make a statement of 30 words or less. Identify and prioritize the most important issues facing your District and the County, as a whole.

District 1 Legislator

(Peekskill, Buchanan, Yorktown)

VOLPE, Domenic

D-WF

Residence: Cortlandt Manor
Education: BBA (Business and Management), Pace Univ, '81
Occupation: Dry Cleaner
Prior Civic Service: President & current member, Peekskill Business Improvement District; Exec Board Member, Jan Peek Shelter; Chair, Pride in Cortlandt
On the Web: www.votefordomenicvolpe.com
Statement: Reduce crushing property taxes and scale back bloated county government. Fight plan to lease property at veterans hospital in Montrose and protect veterans rights. Provide for safe Indian Point Operation.

TESTA, John G.

R-IN-C

Residence: Peekskill
Education: Regents & Honors Diploma, Peekskill HS, '76; BS (Technology) SUNY Oswego, '80; MS (Technology Education), CCNY '84
Occupation: Teacher at Peekskill HS-Technology and Social Science
Prior Civic Service: Mayor, City of Peekskill ('02-'07); Councilman, City of Peekskill ('98-'01); Board of Trustees, Westchester Community Coll; Blue Ribbon Education Panel of Westchester.
Statement: Will bring proven leadership and experience in governmental consolidation, lowering of taxes and elimination of wasteful spending to the County Board. Will seek greater accountability and transparency of County Government.

District 2 Legislator

(Somers, Bedford, Mt. Kisco, North Salem, Lewisboro)

HARCKHAM, Peter B.*

D-IN-WF

Residence: Bedford (Katonah)
Education: BA, Dickinson Coll, '82
Occupation: Media Consultant
Prior Civic Service: Pres. of A-Home; Board, United Way of Westchester Putnam; President's Council, Northern Westchester Hospital; Coach, Lewisboro Soccer Club.
On the Web: www.peteharckham.com
Statement: Recognized countywide as a leader on environmental issues, an independent voice for fiscal discipline and committed to protecting and empowering our families. Known as a bipartisan consensus builder.

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a personalized ballot at:
www.SmartVoter.org**

District 3 Legislator

(Mt. Pleasant, Pleasantville, North Castle)

NONNA, John M.*

D-IN-WF

Residence: Pleasantville

Education: BA, Princeton Univ, '70; JD, New York Univ Law Sch, '75

Occupation: Attorney

Prior Civic Service: Law Assistant to Associate Judge, NY Court of Appeals; Pleasantville: Acting Village Justice, Board of Trustees, Mayor

On The Web: www.johnnonna.com

Statement: Controlling expenses while maintaining a high level of service including a safety net for those hit hard by the recession; open and transparent government; overcoming people's distrust of government.

District 4 Legislator

(Yorktown, New Castle, Somers)

KAPLOWITZ, Michael*

D-IN

Residence: Somers (Katonah)

Education: BA, (Cum Laude), Univ of Pennsylvania; JD, Boston Univ, '84; Coll for Financial Planning '86

Occupation: County Legislator, Certified Financial Planning Practitioner

Prior Civic Service: County Legislator; Director: 4H/Cornell Cooperative, Westchester Chapter American Red Cross; Board Member: Agricultural Farmland Protection

Statement: Continue excellent county control of property taxes and spending, preserve open space, protect drinking water, ensure public safety, build recreational facilities, deliver needed community services for our youth and seniors.

KANE, Gregory

R-C

Residence: Somers (Katonah)

Education: Wesley Coll, NY Institute of Finance, Security Training Corp

Occupation: Retired, day trader

Prior Civic Service: Friendly Son of St. Patrick, Republican Party

On the Web: www.electgregkane.com

Statement: Make Westchester affordable for everyone! Smaller government, Smarter spending, Lower taxes, Eliminate duplication of services, Cut spending, Create office of Inspector General, Pass a child protection law

District 5 Legislator

(Scarsdale, White Plains)

RYAN, William J.*

D-WF

Residence: White Plains

Education: BA (Economics), SUNY, Plattsburgh, '72

Occupation: Chairman, Westchester County Board of Legislators

Prior Civic Service: NYS Assemblyman; First VP, NYS Association of Counties; Chairman, Peekskill Housing Authority; Chairman, Board of Assessment Review, Peekskill

Statement: Property tax stability; controlling costs; consolidation of functions and regional service delivery; fair and affordable housing for our workforce and seniors; protecting water and air quality; public safety and security

HYLAND, Bob

R-IN-C

Residence: White Plains

Education: BS (Marketing/Finance), Boston Coll, '67

Occupation: Financial representative Mass. Mutual Life; Owner of Sports Page Pub

Statement: It is time to return accountability and integrity to County Government. Career politicians have confused public service with their own personal entitlement. As a fiscal conservative, I will demand tax relief.

District 6 Legislator

(Harrison, Rye Brook, Port Chester, Rye)

ROGOWSKY, Martin *

D-C

Residence: Harrison

Education: BA, Univ of Rochester, '70; JD, Brooklyn Law Sch, '73; LLM, George Washington National Law Center, '85

Occupation: Attorney

Prior Civic Service: Incumbent for 10 years

Statement: Our taxpayers have reached the breaking point, all levels of government need to ensure that we can provide the services our constituents need at a cost manageable to our taxpayers.

District 7 Legislator

(Mamaroneck, Rye, Larchmont)

Term: 2 years

Salary: \$49,200

MYERS, Judy *

D-WF

Residence: Mamaroneck (Larchmont)

Education: BA, Lewis & Clark Coll, '74

Occupation: County Legislator

Prior Civic Service: Councilwoman, Town of Mamaroneck; Board Member: United Way Westchester-Putnam; Rye YMCA, Westchester Board of Health

On the Web: www.electjudymyers.com

Statement: Work to lower property tax burden on Westchester's families; increase ongoing flood mitigation project funding & education; continue environmental protection of Long Island Sound; keep Playland a good, safe neighbor.

District 8 Legislator

(Sleepy Hollow, Tarrytown, Elmsford, Greenburgh)

WILLIAMS, Alfreda A.

D-WF

Residence: Greenburgh (White Plains)

Education: BA (History), Queens Coll CUNY; MS (Psychol Cslg) Teacher's Coll Columbia Univ

Occupation: Retired/Volunteer

Prior Civic Service: Greenburgh Town Clerk 14 years To Dec. 31, '07

On the Web: sites.google.com/site/electalfreda4district8/

Statement: My community concerns and extensive public/private sector experience validate my candidacy. District 8/County important issues: controlling/reducing taxes, job/business development, flood control, affordable housing, child care, I-287 corridor.

BOCK, Thomas

R-IN-C

Residence: Greenburgh (White Plains)

Education: Pocantico Hills Central (Grammar), Archbishop Stepinac HS, AAS (Criminal Justice) Westchester Community Coll

Occupation: Systems

Prior Civic Service: Elmsford F.D. – 36 years; Westchester County Hazardous Materials Response Team – 25 years; Westchester County Technical Rescue Team – 9 years (Co-Founder); J.I.M.M.Y. Foundation

On the Web: www.ElectTomBock.com

Statement: I support smaller government to reduce taxes, consolidation of services to reduce our tax burden and scaled neighborhood and oriented development. Housing affordability through tax cuts and incentives, not subsidies.

District 9 Legislator

(Cortlandt, Croton-on-Hudson, Ossining, Briarcliff)

BURTON, William*

D-WF

Residence: Ossining

Education: AB Dartmouth Coll '65, MCP Yale Univ '69

Occupation: Consultant

Prior Civic Service: Town Supervisor, Ossining '92-'99

Statement: Hold down property taxes. Share services with municipalities to reduce costs. Maintain vital infrastructure. Close Indian Point Nuclear plant. Maintain and improve public access to Hudson River. Pro choice.

KONIG, Susan

R-IN-C

Residence: Croton-on-Hudson (Cortlandt)

Education: BA Georgetown Univ '84, MA New York Univ '89, MFA Vermont Coll of Fine Arts '93

Occupation: Writer

Prior Civic Service: Village Trustee Croton-on-Hudson '07-'09, District Leader Town of Cortlandt '04-present

On the Web: www.konigforcounty.com

Statement: I plan to lower tax rate increases by tightening the County Budget and eliminating government waste. County government should be reformed and refocused allowing municipalities to maintain self-government.

District 10 Legislator

(Eastchester, Tuckahoe, New Rochelle)

PINTO, Vito J.*

D-WF

Residence: Tuckahoe (Eastchester)

Education: BS, SUNY Oswego, '62; MA, NYU, '74

Occupation: Member County Legislature; retired Educator

Prior Public Service: Village Trustee, Tuckahoe (2 terms); Town Council, Eastchester (3 terms)

On the Web: www.vitopinto.com

Statement: Control spending in anticipation of revenue losses from sales taxes, reduced state and federal aid; continue providing for the local needs in public safety, public works, transportation, seniors and recreation.

District 11 Legislator

(Pelham, Pelham Manor, New Rochelle)

MAISANO, James*

R-IN-C-WF

Residence: New Rochelle

Education: BA (History and Political Science), Hunter Coll, '89; JD, SUNY at Buffalo Law Sch, '92.

Occupation: Attorney

Prior Civic Service: Marine Corps League, New Rochelle; Lions Club, New Rochelle Elks Lodge, Bar Association

Statement: We must reduce governmental spending because property taxes are out of control and families can no longer afford to live here. We must consolidate and reduce the size of governments.

District 12 Legislator

(Irvington, Dobbs Ferry, Hastings-on-Hudson, Ardsley, Greenburgh)

ABINANTI, Thomas J.*

D

Residence: Greenburgh (White Plains)

Education: BA Fordham Coll, '68; JD, NYU '72

Occupation: County Legislator, Attorney

Prior Civic Service: Greenburgh Town Councilman

On the Web: www.Abinanti.com

Statement: Maintain Westchester's quality of life by preserving open space, preventing further sprawl, reducing air and water pollution, fostering energy efficiency and reducing county and local property taxes.

District 13 Legislator

(Mount Vernon)

WILLIAMS, Lyndon D.*

D

Residence: Mount Vernon

Education: BBA, MBA, JD

Occupation: Attorney

Prior Civic Service: City Councilman, City of Mount Vernon

Statement: I believe my district and the County share many of the same concerns. The furthering of economic development, public safety, tax reduction and flood mitigation are but a few.

FIORILLO, Dorothy

R-IN-C

Residence: Mount Vernon

Education: HS; Westchester Community College

Occupation: Real Estate Management

Prior Civic Service: Narcotics Guidance Council; Boys Town of Italy; American Committee for Italian Migration

Statement: Will prioritize crime. Will work toward smaller government, reduce the size of legislators, focus on ways to lower taxes, and work to improve Mount Vernon's image.

District 14 Legislator

(Yonkers)

SPRECKMAN, Bernice*

R-IN-C

Residence: Yonkers

Education: Lincoln HS, '53

Occupation: Westchester County Legislator

Prior Civic Service: Yonkers: City Council, '78-'85; Office of Aging, '86-'07;

Westchester County Legislator, '95 to present

Statement: The economy will be the most important area. We must look to save money in Westchester County and find ways to consolidate service in Westchester County and its cities, towns and villages.

District 15 Legislator

(Yonkers, Bronxville)

BURROWS, Gordon A.*

R-IN-C

Residence: Yonkers

Education: Ithaca Coll (Business Management), '80; St. John's Univ Sch of Law, '84

Occupation: Attorney at Law-County Legislator

Prior Civic Service: Public Member: Yonkers Control Board; Police Athletic League; Big Brother/Big Sisters; Yonkers City Councilman (10 years), Majority Leader (7 years)

Statement: Protect Stability and Integrity of Westchester's Educational systems and neighborhoods while ensuring that governmental expenditures are scrutinized and taxes are kept to a minimum.

District 16 Legislator

(Yonkers)

JENKINS, Ken*

D-IN-C-WF

Residence: Yonkers

Education: BS Iona Coll '95

Occupation: Real Estate Broker

On the Web: www.friendsofkenjenkins.com

Statement: As a Committee Chair, I have led the effort on the County Board to address both tax fairness and shared services working with government partners to aggressively reduce costs.

District 17 Legislator

(Yonkers)

ALVARADO, Jose I.

D-WF

Residence: Yonkers

Education: MPA, Pace Univ, '03

Occupation: Community Outreach Consultant, County Legislator, Coll political science professor

Prior Civic Service: Served on several community based organization in the last 20 years, such as: Cluster, BSA, St. Andrews Episcopal Church.

Statement: I will continue to work to improve safety, more recreation for our children and to finally deliver a community center for southwest Yonkers. Pledge to continue to support affordable housing.

ANNABI, Sandy S.

IN-C

Residence: Yonkers

Education: BA, Iona Coll (Criminal Justice) '92

Occupation: Majority Leader – Yonkers City Council

Prior Civic Service: Minority Leader, Council Member-City of Yonkers ('02-present)

Statement: Rising Taxes, "Rightsizing Government" to reduce tax burden. Consolidation of services to save taxpayer dollars. High crime rate. Creating partnership with local government to maximize services to Yonkers.



LOCAL CANDIDATES

City/Town/Village Justice Statement: Each candidate was asked to make a statement of 30 words or less on what they would like the voters to know about them-their experience, accomplishments, philosophy.

Local Candidate Statement: Each was asked to make a statement of 30 words or less identifying and discussing what their approach will be to the most important issue(s) facing their office.

Town Clerk/Highway Superintendent/Receiver of Taxes Statement: Each was asked to make a statement of 30 words or less identifying what they would like the voters to know about them, their experience, accomplishments, goals, etc.

VILLAGE OF ARDSLEY

MAYOR

Term: 2 years **Salary:** \$4,800

LEON, Jay*

D

Residence: Ardsley

Education: MBA, Baruch Coll CUNY, '88

Occupation: VP, Sports Ad Sales Research

Prior Civic Service: Village of Ardsley: Mayor, December '05-present; Deputy Mayor, '04-'05; Village Trustee, '03-'04

Statement: Continue to keep taxes stabilized; look for shared services opportunities; seek funding for traffic, parking, sidewalk improvements; work hard to maintain Ardsley's quality of life at minimal cost to taxpayers.

VILLAGE TRUSTEE

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 2 years

Salary: \$2,400

NARDECCHIA, Larry J., Jr.

D

Candidate did not respond by press time.

PORCINO, Peter*

D

Residence: Ardsley

Education: BA, Univ of Rochester, '73; JD, NYU Sch of Law, '76

Occupation: Attorney

Prior Civic Service: Ardsley: Zoning Board of Appeals; Board of Architectural Review

Statement: I will continue our record of responsible fiscal oversight and seek traffic reductions and improvements and parking solutions. I will fight to make Ardsley mindful of our environmental impact.

TOWN OF BEDFORD

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years

Salary: 145,500

LANDESBERG, Lydia H.

D-WF

Residence: Bedford (Katonah)

Education: Attended Mt Holyoke Coll class of '80

Occupation: Small Business Owner

Prior Civic Service: Katonah Village Improvement Society, Pres '06-'09, VP '04-'06; Officer 4 years, Katonah Elementary School PTO, '91-'02; Current & Founding Board Member Genetic Disease Foundation, Mt Sinai Hospital, NYC.

On the Web: www.votelandesberg.org.

Statement: Hamlet vitality: attracting and keeping small businesses through incentives and outreach. Taxes: scrutinize the budget to eliminate waste. Water: expedite projects to take advantage of federal and state funding.

ROBERTS, Lee*

R-IN-C

Residence: Bedford (Katonah)
Education: BA (History & Government), Univ of Connecticut, '68,
Occupation: Supervisor, Town of Bedford
Prior Civic Service: Bedford Councilwoman; Chairman, Northern Westchester Watershed Committee; Pres, Westchester Municipal Officials Association; Member, President's Council, NW Hospital.
Statement: Financial security and safe drinking water are the most important issues facing our Community. We will build our filtration plant in '10, protect our AAA rating and keep taxes low.

TOWN COUNCIL MEMBER

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$41,211

COLETTA, Dorothy

D-WF

Residence: Bedford (Katonah)
Education: BS (Business), Northern Illinois Univ '87
Occupation: Business Owner
On the Web: www.colettaforcouncil.com
Statement: Years of volunteer service to our Community and experience as a local business owner has afforded me knowledge and expertise to address local issues and be responsive to resident needs.

FERNANDEZ, George

D-WF

Residence: Bedford
Education: BS, John Jay Coll Criminal Justice, '78; BS (Landscape Architecture) CCNY, '01.
Occupation: Construction Consultant
Prior Civic Service: Port Authority Police 23 years
On the Web: BEDFORDDEMOCRATS.ORG
Statement: While in the public sector for many years I have developed excellent listening and people skills. This will help facilitate better communications toward a more responsive government.

CHRYSSOS, Peter*

R-IN-C

Residence: Bedford (Katonah)
Education: BA (Psychology), Univ of Rochester, '79; MBA (Finance), NYU, '87.
Occupation: Business Owner – Multi Family Office
Prior Civic Service: Bedford Councilman since '98; Board Member: Country Children's Center; Katonah Chamber of Commerce.
On the Web: www.ELECTPETERCHRYSOS.COM
Statement: Keeping town taxes low; Keeping town finances strong; Keeping to the standard setting environmental goals we set; Finishing the water filtration plant we started; Keeping our neighbor hoods safe and peaceful.

CORCORAN, Francis T.*

R-IN-C

Residence: Bedford (Bedford Corners)
Education: John Jay HS; Cheshire Academy; BS, (Cum Laude), Iona Coll
Occupation: Director, Scotia Capital
Prior Civic Service: Director, Environmental Facilities Corp.; Acting Chairman., Inspector General of the MTA Advisory Board; Member, Metro North Railroad Committee Council; Town Councilman, Town of Bedford.
Statement: I will continue to fight to keep taxes low while keeping the quality of life and the services to our citizens high now and for future generations to come.

TOWN CLERK

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$73,530

RHODES, Bea

D-WF

Residence: Bedford (Katonah)
Education: BA, (Clinical Psychology), Bernard M. Baruch Coll, '79
Occupation: Office Manager, Junior League of Northern Westchester
On the Web: www.VoteBeaRhodes.net
Statement: As an experienced office manager, I will maintain a well functioning, efficient, friendly org. focusing on the needs of residents. Make town Government more accessible, extend office hours and improve Communications.

FUMAGALLI, Boo*

R-IN-C

Residence: Bedford (Bedford Hills)
Education: AA-Marymount Coll; RMC Registered Municipal Clerk
Occupation: Town Clerk
Prior Civic Service: School Board; Lions Club; Committee Center of Northern Westchester; Meals on Wheels
On the Web: www.BOOFORBEDFORD.COM
Statement: My experience as town clerk and 25 years corporate experience has enabled me to bring our office into the 21st century. Proven record, streamlined systems, strong organizational skills, improved efficiencies.

TOWN JUSTICE

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$41,221

MENKEN, David A.

D-IN-C-WF

Residence: Bedford
Education: BA, Johns Hopkins Univ,'77; JD, New York Univ Law Sch,'81
Occupation: Attorney
Prior Civic Service: Chairman., Zoning Board of Appeals; Member, Westchester County Planning Board; Firefighter & EMT, Bedford Village Fire Department; Mt Kisco Village Attorney (12/95 – 12/99)
On the Web: www.menken2009.com
Statement: Lawyer practicing 27 years, strongly committed to public service and the Court's integrity; will bring civility and fairness to the court; children educated in the Bedford schools.

JACOBSEN, Erik P.

R-IN-C

Residence: Bedford (Bedford Hills)
Education: BS (Economics), Coll of Wooster,'87; JD, Strum Sch of Law, Denver Univ,'93
Occupation: Attorney
Prior Civic Service: Board Member: Bedford Parks & Recreation, Bedford Historical Society, Bedford Neighborhood Association; Bedford Village Lions Club
On the Web: www.Jacobsen4judge.com
Statement: 15 years weekly appearance in our local courts. 12 years working with Mel Berger, Mt Kisco drug counsel. 15 years assigned counsel panel representation if you can't afford an attorney.

TOWN OF CORTLANDT

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years **Salary:** \$116,649

PUGLISI, Linda*

D-WF

Residence: Cortlandt (Cortlandt Manor)
Education: Pearl River HS (Regents Diploma); Wittenberg Univ (attended for 2 years)
Occupation: Town Supervisor of Cortlandt
Prior Civic Service: Lakeland School District Committee; Town Councilmember (4 years), Girl Scout Leader; Homeowner Association Pres (10 years)
On the Web: www.cortlandtwins.com
Statement: Continue to keep town taxes to a zero % increase, properly control development, protect our neighborhoods and always listen to and help our residents and continue our open government.

SIMBARI, David J.

R-IN-C

Residence: Cortlandt (Cortlandt Manor)
Education: BBA Accounting, Siena Coll,'76
Occupation: CEO & Pres Supplypro, Inc.
Prior Civic Service: Deputy Commissioner of Finance, Oneida County; Budget Director, City of Utica; Director of Finance & Acting Village Manager, Pleasantville, NY.
On the Web: www.cortlandtchoice.com
Statement: It's time to bring sound business management practices to the Town of Cortlandt. I pledge to revitalize our community and end years of stagnation; providing financial relief for our homeowners. My goal is to make Cortlandt a model for how small government can work effectively for its people.

TOWN COUNCIL

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$19,737

LINDAU, Ann C.*

D-WF

Residence: Cortlandt (Croton-on-Hudson)

Education: BA, Univ of Connecticut, '63

Occupation: Council Member, Town of Cortlandt

Prior Civic Service: Trustee: Village of Croton-on-Hudson, Croton Free Library; Present Board Member, Hudson Valley Gateway Chamber of Commerce

On the Web: www.cortlandtwins.com

Statement: Maintain low town taxes. Reduce town's carbon footprint. Keep medical services at Montrose VA. Maintain a balance between economic growth and environmental concerns. Keep open honest government in Cortlandt.

SLOAN, John E.*

D-WF

Residence: Cortlandt (Cortlandt Manor)

Education: BA (English), Hunter Coll

Occupation: Financial Advisor

Prior Civic Service: Chair, Planning Board

On the Web: www.cortlandtwins.com

Statement: Children taxes and quality of life are Cortlandt's major focus. I have and will continue to support wise use of taxpayer dollars, prudent development and youth, seniors, and veterans programs.

DENAULT, Paul C.

R-IN-C

Residence: Cortlandt (Cortlandt Manor)

Education: AOS, SUNY Delhi, '90

Occupation: Firefighter

On the Web: www.CortlandtChoice.com

Statement: I would like to take a business management approach to government, increase the tax base, offer homeowner relief, encourage business growth in the community and end government stagnation.

WINKELMANN, Steven P.

R-IN-C

Residence: Cortlandt (Montrose)

Education: Hendrick Hudson HS, '81, AA, SUNY Morrisville, '86

Occupation: Marina and Real Estate Rental
Prior Civic Service: Chairman, Town of Cortlandt Conservative party. Judicial, Credential, and Executive committee, Westchester County Conservative Party.

On the Web: www.cortlandtchoice.com

Statement: We need to renew our Public Works, Highway and Water Departments. All lack proper supervision, manpower, and equipment to be effective. I will end the practice of expensive outsourcing and reenergize those functions.

TOWN CLERK

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$89,795

DYCKMAN, Jo-Ann*

D-WF

Residence: Cortlandt (Croton-on-Hudson)

Education:

Occupation: Town Clerk

Prior Civic Service: Cortlandt Waterfront Preservation Committee; Cortlandt Advanced Life Support Committee; Committee for Respect & Tolerance; Pres of Local Residents Association

On the Web: www.Cortlandtwins.com

Statement: 12 years of responsive service using bold initiatives. Bold management techniques, moving to automated records retention, scanning and transmitting electronically, transcribe minutes using streaming video. Dependable full-time public service.

COSTELLO, Debra

R-IN-C

Residence: Cortlandt (Verplanck)

Education: BS Business Mgmt & Economics (Public Administration) SUNY Empire State Coll, '02; MA Business & Policy Studies, SUNY Empire State Coll (expected 12/09)

Occupation: Working on MA

Prior Civic Service: Hendrick Hudson Lions & Leos; NYS Government (WCB) for 9 years; Cortlandt Community Coalition; Westchester County Parent Advisory Board.

On the Web: www.CortlandtChoice.com

Statement: I will improve Customer Service and open government. The office will be more accessible to working families, and technology improvements will provide complete accurate information fostering accountability and integrity.

RECEIVER OF TAXES

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$82,110

BREINING, Mary E.*

D-WF

Residence: Cortlandt (Cortlandt Manor)

Education: BA, Pace Univ,'75; MSW (Research), Fordham Univ,'80

Occupation: Receiver of Taxes

Prior Civic Service: Town of Cortlandt Board of Appeals Cortlandt Master Plan '00; Peekskill Garden Club

On the Web: www.cortlandtwins.com

Statement: Mary's extensive background in business and community activities underlines her commitment to customer service, cost effective delivery, and full accessibility. Membership: NYS and Westchester County Association – Receiver of Taxes.

PALMI, Lynanne

R-IN-C

Residence: Cortlandt (Croton on Hudson)

Education: AA, Fashion Institute of Technology, Cosmetic Marketing,'86

Occupation: VP, Branch Manager for Major Financial Institution

On the Web: www.CortlandtChoice.com

Statement: I have 25 years experience in Financial and Retail industries managing multi-million dollar businesses. Hold Series 6 and 63 licenses. Will bring a new perspective and more fiscally conservative viewpoint.

TOWN JUSTICE

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$39,102

GIORDANO, Anthony M.

D

Residence: Cortlandt

Education: AA, Nassau Community Coll,'77; BA, SUNY Albany,'79; JD, St. John's Sch of Law,'82

Occupation: Attorney

Prior Civic Service: Assistant District Attorney; NYC Firefighter; Cortlandt Board of Assessment Review; Soccer Coach & Referee

Statement: My experience as a prosecutor, defense attorney and appeals attorney will serve to insure that the administration of Justice in Cortlandt's Justice Court will be fair and cost effective.

KLEIN, Gerry*

R-C-IN-WF

Residence: Cortlandt (Croton on Hudson)

Education: BA, CCNY,'66; JD, NYU,'69; LLM, NYU,'73; PhD, Yeshiva Univ,'83

Occupation: Attorney at Law and Town Justice

Prior Civic Service: Town Attorney (Cortlandt), Prosecuting Attorney (Ossining); Chairman, Croton Planning Board.

On the Web: www.JudgeGerryKlein.com

Statement: Justice Court is a court of hope. We can re-direct our youth so as to become positive members of society. Fairness, firmness, integrity and vision are our goals.

**VILLAGE OF
DOBBS FERRY**

MAYOR

Term: 2 years

Salary: \$4,800

KOENIGSBERG, David A.

Ind

Residence: Dobbs Ferry

Education: BA, Williams Coll (Cum Laude), '78; JD, Fordham Univ Sch of Law, '82

Occupation: Lawyer

Prior Civic Service: Dobbs Ferry: Deputy Mayor, '07-present; Village Trustee, '06-present

Statement: Communicating budget issues to the community when anticipated revenues will be lower to educate voters about the difficult choices we will have to make in the coming budget cycle

CONNETT, Hartley S.

Ind

Residence: Dobbs Ferry
Education: BA (Political Science), Gettysburg Coll, '78
Occupation: Executive Director, Marketing, Mitsui & Co., Ltd.
Prior Civic Service: Village Trustee
Statement: Providing stronger leadership for thoughtful planning and priorities leading to decision making and action oriented results.

VILLAGE TRUSTEE

(VOTE FOR THREE)

Term: 2 years Salary: \$2,400

BRODA, Frederick C.*

D-Ind

Residence: Dobbs Ferry
Education: BA, Brown Univ, '82
Occupation: Director, Financial Markets, ING
Statement: Make Dobbs Ferry a vibrant and affordable community to live in. Closely monitor spending in tough economic times. Improve village services.

DAMBROFF, Paula K.*

D-Ind

Residence: Dobbs Ferry
Education: BA, Adelphi Univ, '76; MPA, Univ of Pittsburgh, '78
Occupation: Assistant Director Volunteer Services, Westchester Community Coll
Statement: Important issues facing us are waterfront stabilization, improving parking, developing downtown/gateway, communicating with our residents; examining ways to share services while keeping village services a priority, along with the county deer problem.

WALSH, Teresa M.*

D-Ind

Residence: Dobbs Ferry
Education: BA (History), Mercy Coll
Occupation: Freelance Journalist
Prior Civic Service: DF Village Historian; Pres, DF Volunteer Ambulance Corps; Board Member & Secretary, DF Schools Foundation; Executive Committee & Recording Secretary, DF PTSA
Statement: I want to continue a prudent approach towards the budget while maintaining optimum services for the residents and work with landlords and merchants to revitalize our business district and village.

GOLIO, Victor F., Jr.

R-IN-Ind

Residence: Dobbs Ferry
Education: BS (Communications), SUNY Oswego, '88
Occupation: Executive VP, Direct Response Media Buying Agency
Statement: I will provide the leadership and communication needed to make sure Dobbs Ferry residents are given the best services at the lowest cost. Increase new business for new revenue

HORSFIELD, Sean P.

R-IN-Ind

Residence: Dobbs Ferry
Occupation: Chassis Safety Inspector, APM terminal NJ
Prior Civic Service: 20-year (retired) Police Officer; Parent Liaison Curriculum Council, DFUFSD; Committee Member, Inter-Scholastic Athletic Committee
Statement: The primary focus of a Village Trustee is to provide leadership on local issues (Those effecting the Village of Dobbs Ferry). Two areas of concern over the next several years are preparing a sound Village budget and encouraging responsible development.

KAY, Catherine

R-IN-Ind

Residence: Dobbs Ferry
Education: BA, Coll of New Rochelle
Occupation: TV News Director
Prior Civic Service: Village Trustee, '03-06; Downtown Improvement Committee, '02-03; Dobbs Ferry PTSA, '90-95
Statement: A commitment to planning. A promise of action. A focus on achievement. Proactively communicate with department heads and boards and community. Focus on budget, taxes, gateway and vision plan.

VILLAGE JUSTICE

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$18,684

GRANT, Steven P.

D-R-IN-Ind

Candidate did not respond by press time.

TOWN OF EASTCHESTER

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years

Salary: \$98,093

COLAVITA, Anthony S.*

R-IN-C

Residence: Eastchester (Scarsdale)

Education: Bachelor Degree, Colgate Univ, '83; JD, Pace Univ, '87

Occupation: Attorney

Prior Civic Service: Town Councilman, NYS Senate Staff, Multiple community service organizations in Eastchester

Statement: Continue to keep Eastchester affordable and maintain high level of services. Continue to work with village/school governments to share services and purchases. Complete town center/library improvements and work on Lake Isle long range.

COUNCILMEMBER

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$15,831

DOHERTY, Christine Doody*

D-WF

Residence: Eastchester

Education: BA, Fairfield Univ, '92; MA, Columbia Univ, '93

Occupation: Educator

Prior Civic Service: Board Member: Eastchester Library, Tuckahoe School Foundation; Block Captain, Bronxville Manor Civic Association; Girl Scout Leader.

Statement: Will continue to bring balance to our Board, serving with dedication, fiscal prudence, and attentiveness to all issues, particularly keeping Eastchester affordable, government transparent, and all quality of life issues.

VILLANUEVA, Joseph

D-WF

Residence: Eastchester (Bronxville)

Education: BA, Stony Brook Univ '94; JD, Hofstra Univ Sch of Law '97

Occupation: Attorney

Prior Civic Service: General Counsel, Bronxville Chamber of Commerce; Member: Bronxville Citizens Advisory Committee, Eastchester Rotary Club

On the Web: www.josephvillanueva.com

Statement: Creating a more transparent government focusing on the needs of working families.

MARCOTTE, Sheila M.*

R-IN-C

Residence: Eastchester (Tuckahoe)

Education: BA Coll of New Rochelle, '87

Prior Civic Service: Eastchester Councilwoman; Trustee, Tuckahoe Village; Commissioner, Tuckahoe Planning Board; Member, Tuckahoe Library Board

Statement: Taxes and spending are two of the most important issues facing Eastchester residents. I will continue to work to curb spending, vote "NO" on pay increases to keep Eastchester affordable.

SALANITRO, Frederick J.

R-IN-C

Residence: Eastchester

Education: BA, Fordham Univ '85; JD, Hofstra Univ Sch of Law '88

Occupation: Attorney

Prior Civic Service: Chairman Zoning Board of Appeals – '09-present; Eastchester Town Councilman – '08; Member ZBA - '05-'07

Statement: Finding solutions to problems, while maintaining a balance between our responsibility of providing the necessary services and functions of government, with the needs and concerns of, and burdens imposed upon, our residents.

TOWN OF GREENBURGH

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years Salary: \$127,618

FEINER, Paul J.*

D-WF

Residence: Greenburgh (Scarsdale)
Education: BA, Fordham Univ '78 (Phi Beta Kappa, Magna Cum Laude); JD, St. John's Univ Sch of Law '81
Occupation: Greenburgh Town Supervisor, Host WVOX Radio Show
Prior Civic Service: Westchester County Legislator, Pres Westchester-Putnam Supervisors Association
On the Web: www.paulfeiner.com
Statement: Reduce costs of government. Make government more efficient. Work with new commission that is exploring 2010 referendum on fire district consolidation. Promote efficiency to promote sustainability. Smart growth.

WEEMS, Patricia L

Candidate did not respond by press time.

COUNCILMEMBER

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years Salary: \$28,332

JUETTNER, Diana D.

D-WF

Candidate did not respond by press time.

SHEEHAN, Francis

D-WF

Candidate did not respond by press time.

TOWN CLERK

Term: 2 years Salary: \$73,686

BEVILLE, Judith A.*

D

Residence: Greenburgh (White Plains)
Education: BA, (Education), Clark Atlanta Univ '76; MPA, SUNY Albany '78
Occupation: Greenburgh Town Clerk
Prior Civic Service: Member, School Board, Valhalla Union Free Public School District
Statement: I will uphold high standards of performance regarding serving the public, maintaining and monitoring the records management function of the Town and managing a myriad of mandated tasks.

RECEIVER OF TAXES

Term: 4 years Salary: \$85,822

DWINELL, David C.*

D

Residence: Greenburgh (Irvington)
Education: John Carroll U., Cleveland, OH
Occupation: Receiver of Taxes
Statement: Responsible for day to day activity of tax office for 21 years. County, town and 10 school warrants total 431 million dollars. Collection ratio 99.1% town and County, 98.8% school.

TOWN OF HARRISON

SUPERVISOR/MAYOR

Term: 2 years Salary: \$155,376

WALSH, Joan B.*

D

Residence: Harrison (West Harrison)
Education: BS (Education & History) Seton Hill Coll, '56
Occupation: Supervisor/Mayor, Town/Village of Harrison
Prior Civic Service: Town Clerk, Harrison; Senior Aide, Congresswoman Nita Lowey; Assistant, NYS Commissioner of Motor Vehicles; Administrative Assistant, former Supervisor/Mayor John A. Passidomo
Statement: My chief concern is managing our finances. I reduced spending, with minimal impact on services; I listen and respond to residents. Under my proven leadership, Harrison will survive this economy and, later, prosper.

HALL, David R.

R-C-IN

Residence: Harrison
Education: BS, Springfield Coll; MPA, Princeton Univ
Occupation: Chief of Police-Town of Harrison
Prior Civic Service: Harrison Police Department (36 years) Chief of Police (13 years)
On the Web: www.BringBack the Pride.com
Statement: Harrison needs new leadership. Mayor Walsh raised taxes, gave us budget deficits and divided town. Dave Hall will restore fiscal responsibility, preserve public safety and bring back pride in Harrison.

COUNCILMEMBER TRUSTEE

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$16,834

JAFFE, Mark

D-WF

Residence: Harrison (West Harrison)
Education: BA, SUNY Albany; JD, Cardozo Law Sch
Occupation: CEO, Greater NY Chamber
Prior Civic Service: Trustee, Chamber Fund; Treasurer, Manhattan Borough Development Corp.
Statement: Review town budget for all expenditures and help control costs. Will bring efficiency to government and conduct the town business in an open and transparent manner for all residents.

MURPHY, Brendan M.

D-WF

Residence: Harrison (Purchase)
Education: BS Iona Coll, '00; JD, Pace Univ Sch of Law, '04
Occupation: Retired Police Lieutenant
Prior Civic Service: 20 year Career Police Executive
Statement: Reduce the tax burden on Harrison's homeowners and protect the town's employees through a disciplined approach. Abandon the "status quo" and encourage a bipartisan board to "Make a Difference."

CANNELLA, Joseph*

R-IN-C

Residence: Harrison
Education: BA, St. John's Univ, '71; MDA, St. John's Univ, '75; JD, St. John's Univ, '77; Master of Laws, Georgetown Univ, '81
Occupation: Attorney
Prior Civic Service: Harrison Councilman 7 years; Harrison Deputy Mayor 3 terms; Harrison Planning Board, Chairman 5 years, member 4 years
On the Web: www.BringbackthePride.com
Statement: Maintain high standards and traditions given the current economic problems. A conservative cost-saving approach can be accomplished. We need to be forward-looking and not compromise important quality of life issues.

AMELIO, Marlane

R-IN-C

Residence: Harrison (Purchase)
Education: BA, Mercy Coll; MA, Hofstra Univ
Occupation: Speech /Language Pathologist
Prior Civic Service: Member: Committee On Disabled, Surrogate Decision Making Committee; Board Member, Smiles Across the Miles
Statement: I was born and raised in Harrison. My goal is to serve the residents in Harrison by providing objective leadership that responds to the needs of the residents through independent and accountable leadership.

TOWN CLERK

Term: 2 years **Salary:** \$93,363

MENNA, Alfred

D

Residence: Harrison (West Harrison)
Education: MA (Library and Information Science), Long Island Univ
Occupation: Library Media Specialist
On the Web: www.HarrisonVoter.com
Statement: If elected Harrison Town Clerk I will be committed to archiving the Town Board and Historical documents. I will also update the technology in the town offices for efficiency.

ACOCELLA, Joseph*

R-IN-C

Residence: Harrison

Education: BA (Political Science), Fordham Univ

Occupation: Harrison Town Clerk

Prior Civic Service: Trustee, Harrison Board of Education

Statement: A proven leader in Harrison; has always put the interests of residents first; has effectively thrust the Office of Town Clerk into 21st century and made it the shining gateway of Harrison's government.

RECEIVER OF TAXES

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$93,363

POLERA, Maria

D

Residence: Harrison (West Harrison)

Education: Berkeley Coll (NY), '78

Occupation: Self-employed, Certified Professional Coder (CPC)

On the Web: www.HarrisonVoter.com

Statement: I have extensive experience working with collections and accounts receivables. When elected, I plan to streamline the paperwork, modernize the computer system to make our tax office conducive to all taxpayers.

BRIOTTE-MASI, Nancy

R-IN-C

Residence: Harrison

Education: Harrison HS, System Business Administration

Occupation: Receiver of Taxes

Prior Civic Service: Town/Village of Harrison Senior Account Clerk

Statement: The office has been fully automated which created many efficiencies and increasing services to the public. We are also planning to start taking credit cards. I have over 20 years experience in the tax office.

TOWN OF LEWISBORO

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years

Salary: \$73,150

BRANCATI, Edward W.*

D-WF

Residence: Lewisboro (Goldens Bridge)

Education: John Jay HS, '94; BA, (Political Science, Economics), Univ of Richmond, '98

Occupation: Supervisor, Town of Lewisboro

Prior Civic Service: Councilman, Town of Lewisboro; Deputy District Director- Rep. Nita M. Lowey; Staff Assistant/Correspondent- VP Al Gore; Elder & Deacon-Mt Kisco Presbyterian Church.

On the Web: www.brancafitorlewisboro.com

Statement: I simply seek the opportunity to continue to bring my knowledge of the issues, experience in government and dedication to helping others as a full time Supervisor to improve Lewisboro.

DUFFY, Charles P.

R-IN-C

Residence: Lewisboro (South Salem)

Education: Horace Greeley HS, '84; BS (Computerbase Management Systems), Clarkson Univ '88; MBA, Clarkson Univ, '91

Occupation: Chief Financial Officer, MSC Trading, LLC.

On the Web: www.TeamLewisboro2009.com

Statement: Will institute open and timely budget process with Town Board and give department heads a stake in decision making process. Increased revenues and more effective planning through improved cash management.

TOWN BOARD

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$13,520

MAGUIRE, Maureen J.

D-WF

Residence: Lewisboro

Education: BS, Univ of Massachusetts-Amherst, '82; MS, Univ of Massachusetts-Amherst, '86.

Occupation: Economist

Prior Civic Service: Lewisboro: Planning Board (4 years), Open Space Advisory Committee (8 years)

Statement: The town's finances are a critical issue. As an economist and fiscal conservative, I would bring to the Board my twenty plus years of experience analyzing and forecasting financial variables.

DeLUCIA, Peter B.*

R-IN-C

Residence: Lewisboro (South Salem)
Education: BA, SUNY Albany, '92; MPA, Pace Univ, '05
Occupation: Senior Public Health Sanitarian, Westchester County Department of Health; Councilman, Town of Lewisboro
Prior Civic Service: Member: Lewisboro ZBA, Lewisboro CAC, Westchester County Department of Health (16+ years); Camp Inspector, NYS Department of Health
On the Web: www.lewisborogop.org, www.peterdelucia.com
Statement: Continue promoting homeowner's rights, ADA compliance, enhanced recreational opportunities for children, adults, and seniors and protecting Community character through common sense legislation, fiscal accountability and working to enhance revenues.

KELLY, Frank V.

R-IN-C

Residence: Lewisboro (South Salem)
Education: BA, St John's Univ, '83; JD, St John's Law Sch, '88; Command & General Staff Coll, '05
Occupation: Attorney
Prior Civic Service: U.S. Army Staff Judge Advocate Theatre Army Engineers OIF 06-08, Iraq; Staff Judge Advocate Task Force Jaguar; Chairman: Lewisboro Emergency Planning Task Force, Committee on the Development of the Law, NY.
Statement: Successful Litigator, tireless youth athletics volunteer, senior Army Legal Officer, successfully administered \$2.2 billion in construction contracts. Will work to reduce town's ever rising costs.

RECEIVER OF TAXES

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$77,700

VASI, Joann*

D-R-IN-C

Residence: Lewisboro (Goldens Bridge)
Occupation: Receiver of Taxes, Town of Lewisboro
Prior Civic Service: 6 consecutive terms as Receiver of Taxes for the Town of Lewisboro.
Statement: 6 terms (24 years) as Receiver of Taxes. Serve as E911 liaison, '00 & '10 census liaison. 12 years As Deputy Supervisor. Current VP of Westchester Association of Receivers.

TOWN JUSTICE

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$28,965

SEEDORF, Marc A.

D-R-IN-C

Residence: Lewisboro (South Salem)
Education: BA, St John's Univ, '78; JD, Brooklyn Law Sch, '81
Occupation: Attorney at Law
Prior Civic Service: Pres, Westchester County Magistrates Association; Member: Westchester County Domestic Violence Council, Lewisboro Lions, Lewisboro Parks & Recreation Advisory Council.
Statement: 12 years judicial experience, 28 years civil and criminal litigation experience. As town judge I treat litigants with respect in a firm but fair manner always scrupulously protecting their rights.

TOWN OF MAMARONECK

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years

Salary: \$37,500

O'KEEFE, Valerie M.*

R-IN-C

Residence: Mamaroneck (Larchmont)
Education: BA (Government) Manhattanville College, '65; JD, George Washington Univ, '68; National Law Center
Occupation: Town Supervisor
Prior Civic Service: Town Supervisor '00 to present; Councilperson '96-'00
Statement: My prime effort will be to control the taxes over which the Town has control without substantially lowering services to our residents.

COUNCILMEMBER

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years Salary: \$6,000

ODIERNA, Ernest C. *

D

Residence: Mamaroneck (Larchmont)

Education: Stuyvesant HS, '52; BS, CCNY '60; MBA, CUNY Bernard Baruch, '62

Occupation: Town Councilman; Pres, Com/Peripherals, Inc.

Prior Civic Service: Town Councilman, '99 to present

Statement: Expand inter-municipal cooperation. Improve recreational opportunities for teens. Pursue cost & energy efficient transportation alternatives. Increased use of the "web" to open up government and facilitate citizen transactions.

SELIGSON, Nancy *

D

Residence: Mamaroneck (Larchmont)

Education: BS, Northwestern Univ, '82

Occupation: Environmental Advocate, Town Councilwoman

Prior Civic Service: Chair: Westchester County Environmental Management Council, Larchmont-Mamaroneck Coastal Zone Management Commission; Co-chair, Citizens Advisory Committee of Long Island Sound Study; Member, Westchester County Board of Health

Statement: I will continue to look at ways the Town can reduce its greenhouse gases, maintain resident services, reduce costs and try to engage the community in discussion.

TOWN JUSTICE

Term: 4 years Salary: \$21,000

BATTALIA, Dolores A. *

D

Residence: Mamaroneck (Larchmont)

Education: BA, Coll of New Rochelle, '78; JD, Hofstra Univ School of Law

Occupation: Town Justice; Attorney

Prior Civic Service: Town Supervisor, '84-'89, Town Justice '01 to present.

Statement: Defendants in our Town Court cannot be transferred to Drug Treatment Court. We must attempt to impose sentences which emulate that system to the extent possible within the parameters permitted.

VILLAGE OF MAMARONECK

MAYOR

Term: 2 years Salary: \$9,000

SAVOLT, Kathleen G. *

D-WF

Residence: Mamaroneck

Education: BA, Iona Coll, '73; MS, Coll of New Rochelle, '76

Occupation: Mayor; Consultant: Small Business/Non-Profit

Prior Civic Service: Trustee, '00-'02; Volunteer, Board of Directors, Sheldrake Environmental Center '00-'07

Statement: We have reduced legal expenses, worked tirelessly to mitigate flooding & opened village board meetings to increase public participation. Controlling taxes using innovative techniques, including consolidation, is a priority.

ROSENBLUM, Norman Sirlin

R-C-Ind

Residence: Mamaroneck

Education: Rye Neck HS; Univ of Vermont, '65

Occupation: Manager, Contracts Administration, Safe Flight Institute Corporation

Prior Public Service: Trustee; Chair, Village of Mamaroneck Tree Committee; Board of Assessment Review, Town of Rye

Statement: Taxes; flood mitigation; democratic process; my policy is inclusion vs. exclusion for boards and commissions. My leadership asks: "Is it good for the village, is it fair and is it just?"

TRUSTEE

(VOTE FOR ONE)

Term: 2 years Salary: \$5,000

ROBINOWITZ, Randi *

D-WF

Residence: Mamaroneck

Education: BS, Univ of Colorado, '78; MBA, Pace Univ '87

Occupation: Real Estate Sales

Prior Civic Service: Pres, Harbor Lawn Estates; Executive Committee: Mamaroneck Junior Soccer League, Historic Mamaroneck Street Fair; VP, Rye Neck PTSA, Bellows School

Statement: Much has been accomplished and much remains to be done. We need your support to continue to bring meaningful results and substantial progress to village taxpayers and residents.

SANTORO, Louis N.

R-C-Ind

Residence: Mamaroneck
Education: Mamaroneck HS '75; Associates Degree (Occupational Studies) Culinary Institute of America, '77
Occupation: Retired
Prior Civic Service: Chief, Town of Mamaroneck Fire Department; Coach, M/L Little League; Supervisor, Mamaroneck Adult Softball League; Member, Mamaroneck Elks #1457
Statement: Secure grant to improve the streetscape on Mamaroneck Avenue from I-95 to the Mamaroneck train station. Improve open government with citizens' involvement. Work on settling village lawsuits.

TRUSTEE

(Unexpired – 1 year)

Term: 1 year **Salary:** \$5,000

ALLISON, Nicholas S.

D

Residence: Mamaroneck
Education: BS (Communication Arts), St. John's Univ, '86
Occupation: Trustee, Mamaroneck Village; IT Manager
Prior Civic Service: Pres, Stuart Ave Association; Treasurer & Den Leader Pack 2, Mamaroneck Cub Scouts
Statement: Working hard to preserve the character and values of the community that attracted us while preparing the village for the unique fiscal and environmental challenges of the 21st. Century.

YBARRA, Marianne V.

R-C-Ind

Residence: Mamaroneck
Education: Mamaroneck HS '80; BS (Paralegal Studies) Mercy College, '85
Occupation: Assessment Clerk, Town of Mamaroneck
Prior Civic Service: Board, Northeast Potter's House Church; Volunteer: Mamaroneck Street Fair, The Harbor Festival, Mamaroneck Senior Center
Statement: Taxes, flooding & strengthening village morale. Look at ways to control taxes. Look at all options to ease the flooding issues. Bring back morale to our village residents.

VILLAGE OF MOUNT KISCO

MAYOR

Term: 2 years **Salary:** \$11,000

CINDRICH, J. Michael *

D-IN

Residence: Mount Kisco
Education: Archbishop Stepinac HS; BS, Iona Coll, MS (course work completed), Iona Coll
Occupation: Mt. Kisco: Mayor, Police Administrator; Town of Mamaroneck, Police Lieutenant
Statement: Proven record of community service: Mayor, ZBA Chairman, Trustee, Deputy Mayor, hands-on experienced municipal official. Priorities: preserving the residential integrity of our village, preserving open space, fiscal responsibility.

TRUSTEE

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 2 years **Salary:** \$6,500

GRIFFIN, George L. Jr. *

D-IN






Residence: Mount Kisco
Education: AAS, (Marketing Management) Westchester Community Col.
Occupation: Pres, Richards Home Center & Lumber Inc.
Prior Civic Service: Vice Chairman, Mt. Kisco Planning Board (7 years); Commander, Moses Taylor Post #136, American Legion
Statement: Our Village Board will continue to operate in a professional way to maintain and improve the quality of life and services in the Village Town of Mount Kisco.

MARKUS, Anthony C. *

D-IN

Residence: Mount Kisco
Education: BS (Economics & Finance); Fairleigh Dickinson Univ, '82; JD, Pace Univ Sch of Law, '85
Occupation: Attorney
Prior Civic Service: Chairman, Cortlandt Democratic Committee; Pres, Yorktown Bar Association; Assistant Regional Commissioner, Mt. Kisco AYSO.
Statement: We have achieved fiscal responsibility, minimal tax increases and improved bond ratings. We have built a new library substantially within budget. I will continue balance of fiscal responsibility and services.

POLLS OPEN

OFFICES TO BE FILLED	JUSTICES OF STATE SUPREME COURT (Vote for Three)				
 A (D) DEMOCRATIC	Jeffrey COHEN	Francesca CONNOLLY	James HUBERT	David STEINBERG	
 B (R) REPUBLICAN	Orazio BELLANTONI	Charles STEWART	Charles WOOD		
 C (IN) INDEPENDENCE	Orazio BELLANTONI	Jeffrey COHEN	James HUBERT	Charles WOOD	
 D (C) CONSERVATIVE	Orazio BELLANTONI		Charles STEWART	Charles WOOD	
 E (WF) WORKING FAMILIES	Jeffrey COHEN	Francesca CONNOLLY	James HUBERT	Andrew SPENCE	David STEINBERG
F INDEPENDENT	James BURKE	Mary CLARK	Stasia VOGEL		
G INDEPENDENT	Orazio BELLANTONI				

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6AM TO 9PM

WESTCHESTER					WESTCHESTER COUNTY LEGISLATORS	LOCAL CANDIDATES
COUNTY COURT JUDGE (Vote for Two)	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	DISTRICT ATTORNEY	COUNTY CLERK			
John COLANGELO	Andrew SPANO	Janet DiFIORE	Timothy IDONI	FOR CANDIDATES IN YOUR DISTRICT REFER TO NUMERICAL LISTING OF DISTRICTS	FOR LOCAL CANDIDATES REFER TO ALPHABETICAL LISTING OF MUNICIPALITIES	
	Rob ASTORINO	Dan SCHORR	Robert MORABITO			
	Rob ASTORINO	Tony CASTRO	Robert MORABITO			
	Andrew SPANO	Janet DiFIORE	Robert MORABITO			
I ERG	John COLANGELO	Andrew SPANO	Tony CASTRO			Timothy IDONI
	Raymond BLAIR		Anthony DeCINTIO			Raphael GUIDA

PROPOSITIONS & REFERENDA
STATE AND LOCAL
PROPOSITIONS & REFERENDA
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 taking place on election day.*

TOWN JUSTICE

Term: 4 years Salary: \$30,761

DONOHUE, John J. *

D-IN

Residence: Mount Kisco

Education: BS, Fordham Univ, '56; LLB, Fordham Law Sch, '64

Occupation: Attorney.

Prior Civic Service: Village Prosecutor, Village Attorney, Mount Kisco Lions Club

Statement: Continue to provide fair, balanced, and impartial treatment under the law to all who come before the Mount Kisco Court.

DICHIARA, Peter

Ind

Candidate did not respond by press time.

LIBRARY TRUSTEE

(VOTE FOR THREE)

Term: 5 years Salary: \$0

SOLOMON, Burton*

Ind

Residence: Mount Kisco

Education: BS, Fordham Coll, '54; MS, Syracuse Univ, '57

Occupation: Writer; Teaching Assistant

Prior Civic Service: Board Member: Bedford Central School District (7 years), Putnam-Northern Westchester BOCES (3 years)

TOWN OF MOUNT PLEASANT

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years Salary: \$137,736

MEEHAN, Robert F.*

R-IN-C

Residence: Mt. Pleasant (Hawthorne)

Education: BA, Fordham Univ, '70; JD, St. John's Univ Sch of Law, '73

Occupation: Mt. Pleasant Town Supervisor

Prior Civic Service: Mt. Pleasant Town Attorney; Pres, Westchester Municipal Officials Association, Mt. Pleasant Rotary, Hawthorne American Legion Post #112

Statement: In this difficult economic time, the first priority must be to protect the taxpayer by continuing to manage costs efficiently and to develop, where possible, non-tax based revenues.

TOWN COUNCIL

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years Salary: \$19,076

De MILIO, Peter J.*

R-IN-C

Residence: Mt. Pleasant (Valhalla)

Education: BA (English & History), Mercy Coll, '88

Occupation: Real Estate Investment

Prior Civic Service: Member, Valhalla Volunteer Ambulance, '90-'95, '06-present.

Statement: Continue work on Town Safety Committee to further improve risk prevention – remain conservative on revenue projections and careful oversight of spending – identify and plan for future recreational needs.

SIALIANO, Thomas A.*

R-IN

Residence: Mt. Pleasant (Hawthorne)

Education: BBA, (Marketing), Iona Coll, '81; PGA Golf Professional

Occupation: Director of Instruction, White Plains Golftec

Prior Civic Service: LI-NYC Fire Department (22 years of service)

Statement: To provide the best services to our residents while being mindful of our economic climate. Essentially we must do more with less and maintain a healthy reasonable budget.

TOWN CLERK

Term: 2 years Salary: \$80,143

SCOVA, Patricia Brennan*

R-IN-C

Residence: Mt. Pleasant (Hawthorne)

Education: Certificate in Purchasing Procedures, SUNY New Paltz; Certified Municipal Clerk, Fordham Univ

Occupation: Town Clerk

Prior Civic Service: Secretary for "Great Hunger Memorial of Westchester County"; Pres (Board of Directors), Mt. Pleasant Italian American Association; Pres, Westchester County Town & City Clerks Association; NYS Town Clerk of the Year Award, '06.

Statement: Continue to serve the residents in a courteous and efficient manner. To help them find the answers to the many questions they come to us with on a daily basis

RECEIVER OF TAXES

Term: 4 years Salary: \$81,078

ANDERSON, Vicki M.*

R-IN-C

Residence: Mt. Pleasant (Thornwood)

Occupation: Receiver of Taxes (17 years)

Statement: Continue to provide efficient and cost effective service to Mt. Pleasant taxpayers.

SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS

Term: 2 years Salary: \$111,605

SCILIANO, Peter M.*

R-C-IN

Residence: Mt. Pleasant (Valhalla)

Education: Harrison HS,'75; Cornell Local Roads Master Program Levels 1 and 2,'08; Cornell Local Roads Highway Sch, Ithaca Coll,'09

Occupation: Highway Superintendent

Statement: I have 27 years of service with the Mt. Pleasant highway department, 12 as general foreman. I will continue to serve the community using the latest highway maintenance technologies.

PENNELLE, Salvatore, III

Ind

Candidate did not respond by press time.

CITY OF MOUNT VERNON

CITY COURT JUDGE

Term: 5 years Salary: \$118,300

BLACKWOOD, Helen M. #

D

Residence: Mount Vernon

Education: BA Colgate Univ; JD, New York Law School; LLM (Tax), New York Univ Sch of Law

Occupation: Mount Vernon City Court Judge

Prior Civic Service: Corporation Counsel, City of Mount Vernon

Statement: Current City Court Judge; former Mount Vernon Corporation Counsel; corporate tax attorney; "New York Super Lawyer" government practice; former Westchester Medical Center Board; Member, National Association of Women Judges.

JOHNSON, Nichelle A.

IN-C

Residence: Mount Vernon

Education: JD, Brooklyn Law Sch, '94

Occupation: First Assistant Corporation Counsel

Prior Civic Service: Trial Coach, Pace Law Sch; Board Member: YMCA, VIP Community Services

Statement: Trial attorney 15 years (City, Family, Supreme Courts). Extensive motion practice. Prepared briefs, argued, prevailed in Appellate Division, 2nd Department and 2nd Circuit Court of Appeals. Published - *Municipal Lawyer Magazine*.

COMPTROLLER

Term: 4 years Salary: \$128,000

WALKER, Maureen*

D-C-IN

Residence: Mount Vernon

Education: BS (Accounting), Brooklyn Coll, '87; CPA, '89; MBA, Univ of New Haven, '00

Occupation: City Comptroller

Prior Civic Service: Treasurer of Mount Vernon Housing Authority; Member: Board of Directors of Junior Achievement of Hudson Valley, Mount Vernon Business and Professional Women's Club

Statement: To maintain financial stability of the city to avoid layoffs and cuts in essential services that have plagued many municipalities. Maintain multi-year financial plan to better manage city resources.

COUNCILMEMBER

(VOTE FOR THREE)

Term: 4 years Salary: \$33,000

APUZZO, Roberta L.

D-R-C

Residence: Mount Vernon

Education: BA (Psychology, Magna Cum Laude), Coll of New Rochelle, '90

Occupation: Executive Director, Community Services Associates

Prior Civic Service: Member, Mount Vernon Planning Board, '05; Pres & Assistant Director, Mount Vernon Rotary Club ('94-present); Elected Board of Directors, Park Lane Apartments, '05

On the Web: www.FriendsofRoberta.com

Statement: Providing effective, efficient, proven leadership towards the development and implementation of programs addressing issues of safety, affordability, paramount education, government transparency, and protection of our most vulnerable seniors and youth.

EDWARDS, Yuhanna J.

D-R-C

Residence: Mount Vernon
Education: AA (Early Childhood Education), Marymount Manhattan Coll, '79; BS (Sociology), Mercy College, '79; MS (Recreation), Lehman Coll – in progress
Occupation: City Councilman
Prior Civic Service: Pres, Mount Vernon Lions Club; Vietnam Veteran (Purple Heart, Bronze Star); Co-Founder, Mount Vernon Razorbacks; Founder, Neighbors That Care Neighborhood Association
On the Web: www.thepeopleslate.com
Statement: As a returning city councilman, I will remain a dedicated leader committed to youth, seniors, and all communities through collaboration and communication. I firmly support transparency and accountability of elected officials.

WATTS, Karen

D

Residence: Mount Vernon
Education: AS, Mt. Ida Coll, '73; BS, Northeastern Univ, '76
Occupation: Executive Director, Mount Vernon Family YMCA
Prior Civic Service: Mt. Vernon Commissioner of Recreation; Member, Mt. Vernon City Council, '05; Westchester Black Women's Political Caucus, National Council of Negro Women
Statement: I will work to enhance the quality of life through appropriate code enforcement. I'll address police shortages and lack of standard fire equipment. I will be available to the community.

RIVERS, Samuel L.

IN-C

Candidate did not respond by press time.

WALKER, Michelle S.

IN

Candidate did not respond by press time.

EDWERS, Collie Nathan

Ind

Residence: Mount Vernon
Education: BS, Nyack Coll; MA, Alliance Theological Seminary
Occupation: Pastor; Pres, Mt. Vernon Civil Service Commission
Prior Civic Service: Police Chaplain; Member, Mt. Vernon Planning Board; VP Unity Black Clergy of Westchester
Statement: To improve the quality of life for our citizens. Reduce taxes by reducing government, consolidation and shared services.

JUSTINO, Eileen M.

Ind

Residence: Mount Vernon
Education: B.S. (Marketing/Economics), Manhattan College, '78; M.S. (Teaching), Pace University, '96
Occupation: Educational Consultant
Prior Civic Service: PTA Council; PTA President; Democratic District Leader
On the Web: www.mvdems09.com
Statement: Economic growth through development is essential to provide jobs and revenues. Increased revenues allow Mount Vernon to focus on quality of life issues and services for all residents.

SAMPSON, Jennifer A.

Ind

Candidate did not respond by press time.

COUNCILMEMBER

(Unexpired)

(VOTE FOR ONE)

Term: 2 years

Salary: \$33,000

MUNRO, Diane R.

D

Candidate did not respond by press time.

JAROSZ, Rosemarie M.

R-IN-C

Residence: Mount Vernon
Education: Mount Vernon HS, '65; Business, Katherine Gibbs Sch, '66; Paralegal Certification, Iona Coll
Occupation: Business Owner
Prior Civic Service: Jobs Trainer/Counselor, Westchester County Division for Youth; Board Member, Fleetwood Neighborhood Association
Statement: Root out corrupting party influence in City Hall. Trim size of government. Keep City Council decisions independent of Mayor. Seek term limits, City Council Districts. Enact initiative and referendum.

STERN, Debra A.

Ind

Residence: Mount Vernon
Education: BS, Cornell Univ, '87; MS, Coll of New Rochelle, '92; EdM, Teachers Coll, Columbia Univ, '97; MSW, New York Univ, '04
Occupation: Stay-at-Home Mother
Prior Civic Service: President: PTA Council, Mount Vernon Public Library Foundation, Mocha Moms, Inc.; Member, Mount Vernon Library Board of Trustees
On the Web: www.electstern.com
Statement: I believe Mount Vernon can be one of America's great cities. Safety, property values, economic development, jobs, opportunities for youth and quality of life are the issues I will tackle.

TOWN OF NEW CASTLE

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years **Salary:** \$32,865

GERRARD, Barbara*

D

Residence: New Castle (Chappaqua)
Education: BA, (History) St. John's Univ; JD, St. John's Univ Sch of Law; LLM (Taxation) New York Univ Law Sch
Occupation: Tax attorney, Author for West Legal Publication, Supervisor
Prior Civic Service: New Castle Town Board (8 years); Pres, Chappaqua Rotary; Board member and Pres of Chappaqua Library.
Statement: Working with staff to achieve significant budgetary cutbacks, while maintaining priorities including revitalization of the two hamlets, careful review of the Readers Digest proposal and fostering green initiatives in the forefront.

TOWN COUNCIL

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$10,250

BUCKLEY, John*

D

Residence: New Castle (Chappaqua)
Education: JD, San Francisco Law Sch
Occupation: Associate Broker, Houlihan Lawrence, Chappaqua
Prior Civic Service: Member, Chappaqua Volunteer Fire Dept (10 years); Pres, Chappaqua Rotary Club (2 terms); Chairperson, Community Day; Coach, Youth soccer and baseball.
Statement: Important Issues: Whether it's development, taxes or parking requires a thorough honest open investigation of the facts and the ability to work in the best interests of all the residents.

STOUT, Robin*

D

Residence: New Castle (Chappaqua)
Education: BA, Wabash Coll, '77; JD, Columbia Law Sch, '81
Occupation: Pres, Moynihan Station Development Corp.
Prior Civic Service: New Castle: Town Board '06-'09, Recreation Commission '00-'05.
Statement: We must have efficient, cost-effective government while resolving the issues that affect New Castle. We must minimize public expenditures while maintaining a tax base sufficient to fund schools and services.

TOWN OF NORTH CASTLE

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years **Salary:** \$100,452

KITTREDGE, Becky

D

Candidate did not respond by press time.

WEAVER, William R.

R-IN-C

Candidate did not respond by press time.

BENISH, Frank

Ind

Candidate did not respond by press time.

TOWN COUNCIL

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$20,136

ROMANO, Bob

D

Residence: North Castle (Armonk)
Education: Bronx HS of Science, '76; BS, New York Univ, '80; JD, New York Law Sch, '98
Occupation: Attorney
Prior Civic Service: Board Member, Byram Hills Education Foundation; Member, North Castle Cable Advisory Committee.
Statement: Balancing our budget is achievable without sacrificing services or increasing taxes through more efficient management of town resources and tapping new sources of revenue. New ideas can solve existing problems.

SILPE, Stacey

D

Residence: North Castle (Armonk)
Education: BA, Brandeis Univ, '85; JD, Fordham Law Sch, '88
Occupation: Attorney
Prior Civic Service: Member: Board Trustees – North Castle Library, North Castle Democratic Committee; Pro Bono Lawyer for Armonk
Statement: I want to control unnecessary spending and keep our property taxes down. I hope to improve the quality of our town for all generations of residents.

CRONIN, John

R-IN-C

Residence: North Castle (Armonk)
Education: MBA, Columbia University
Occupation: Business Owner
On the Web: www.Cronin09.com
Statement: I am running for office because I have the background, skills, temperament and ideas to solve the challenges the town faces. Controlling spending and reducing the tax burden are top priorities.

ROTH, Diane

R-IN-C

Candidate did not respond by press time.

RECEIVER OF TAXES

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$89,709

COLOMBO, Patricia A. *

R-IN-C

Residence: North Castle (White Plains)
Occupation: North Castle Receiver of Taxes
Prior Civic Service: Deputy Receiver of Taxes '91-'01
Statement: My goal is to continue to serve the residents and community of North Castle with the utmost courteous, professional, efficient service they have become accustomed to. Our door's always open.

TOWN JUSTICE

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$

McGOEY, Robert J.*

D-R-IN-C

Residence: North Castle (Armonk)
Education: BA, Iona Coll, '63; JD, Georgetown Univ, Law Center, '66
Occupation: Attorney
Prior Civic Service: Town Justice of Town of North Castle, '73-present; Assistant District Attorney, County of Westchester, '68-'70; Assistant Attorney General of State of NY, '67; President's National Commission for study of police committee relations in Washington, DC., '66.
Statement: It is an honor to have the opportunity to continue to serve the citizens of North Castle.

TOWN OF NORTH SALEM

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years Salary: \$50,000

LUCAS, Warren J.

R-IN-Ind

Residence: North Salem
Education: Interdisciplinary Science, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, '76.
Occupation: IBM business unit Executive, NYC.
Prior Civic Service: Town Councilman, 19 years; Member, ZBA, 3 years
Statement: Born here, I have a special interest in protecting our unique character dealing with District issues, fostering good working relationships across all committees and boards and providing sound financial planning.

TOWN COUNCIL

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years Salary: \$14,059

BROCKMEYER, Christopher*

D-Ind

Residence: North Salem
Education: MA, Philosophy, New Sch for Social Research, '00
Occupation: Entertainment Industry Executive.
Prior Civic Service: Town Councilman, North Salem
Statement: No party politics in North Salem! Control spending and taxes, including Highway Department. Preserve Town's rural character. Finish Peach Lake project. Improve Croton Falls and Sunset water. Expand recreational opportunities.

PELOSI, Andrew J.

D-Ind

Residence: North Salem (Croton Falls)
Education: BA (Political Science), Manhattanville Coll, '86; MS (Non-Profit Management, Milano), The New School for Management. & Urban Policy, '94
Occupation: Advocate/Non-Profit Executive
Prior Civic Service: Member, Advisory Council- Westchester Children's Association, Jan '07-present; District Leader, North Salem Democratic Committee (1st District), '07-present; Board Member, Concerned Residents of North Salem, '04-present; Member, North Salem Recreation Committee, 3/'09- present.
Statement: I will seek input from residents and tackle top issues, starting with preservation of town's rural character, delivery of safe drinking water for Croton Falls/Sunset Ridge; additional recreational opportunities and safer roads.

BOBOLIA, Stephen J.

R-IN-Ind

Residence: North Salem
Education: BA, Catholic Univ, '73; JD, Gonzaga Univ, '76
Occupation: Attorney
Prior Civic Service: Member, School Board NSCSD; Chairman: North Salem Planning Board, North Salem Open Space Committee, North Salem Comprehensive Plan Committee.
Statement: Control property taxes. Oppose new taxes, expand tax base. Utilize long range financial planning. Water quality improvements. Make bonds affordable through grants. Complete Comprehensive Plan. Preservation of open space.

KAMENSTEIN, Peter

R-IN-Ind

Residence: North Salem
Education: BA (Political Science), Stanford Univ, '66
Occupation: Chairman – Pres, Kamenstein Division of Lifetime Brands
Prior Civic Service: Croton Falls Fire Department; President Board of Trustees, North Salem Free Library; Chairman, North Salem Zoning Board of Appeals; Commissioner, Westchester Department of Public Safety Police Board
Statement: I am committed to maintaining the town's rural character through prudent fiscal management, smart growth and traffic control. Non-Partisan governing responsive to the needs and concerns of all residents.

RECEIVER OF TAXES

Term: 4 years Salary: \$58,432

ROACH, Karen A.*

D-Ind

Residence: North Salem
Education: BA, Fordham Univ, '79
Occupation: Receiver of Taxes
Prior Civic Service: Chairman, Board Of Assessment Review; Westchester County Regional Director to the NYS Association of Tax Receivers and Collectors; Advancement Chairman, North Salem Boy Scouts Troop #1; Pres, N. Salem-Somers League
Statement: I will remain an independent public servant whose concerns are the duties of my office, pursuing technological advancement and remaining sensitive to the needs and opinions of North Salem taxpayers.

SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$83,026

HANABURGH, Ward R.

D-R-IN-Ind

Residence: North Salem

Education: North Salem HS, '79

Occupation: Assistant Foreman, Town of North Salem

Statement: I am a life long resident of North Salem. Have worked for the Town of North Salem for the last 20 years and a member of the Croton Falls Fire Department for 17 years

TOWN OF OSSINING

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years

Salary: \$65,769

BORGIA, Catherine *

D

Residence: Ossining

Education: BA, SUNY Binghamton, '87; MBA, NYU Stern Sch of Business, '95

Occupation: Town Supervisor

Prior Civic: Village Trustee, '05-08; Chief of Staff, Assemblywoman Sandy Galet, '02-'08; Co-Chair, Ossining Communities Care; Member, County Youth Board

On the Web: www.Catherineborgia.com

Statement: Cost-cutting and increased sharing of services to save taxpayer dollars. Cooperation and consolidation of governments. Green initiatives to reduce Ossining's carbon footprint.

LANGSTON, Thomas W.

R-IN-C-WF

Candidate did not respond by press time.

TOWN COUNCIL

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$11,403

KRIEGER, David R.*

D-WF

Residence: Ossining

Education: BA, City Coll CUNY, '69; MA, Bank Street Coll, '82; JD, Pace Univ Sch of Law, '86

Occupation: Retired

Prior Civic Service: Town of Ossining Zoning Board of Appeals; Pres, Condo Association; Intern, NYS Supreme Court; Moot Court Judge

On the Web: www.Ossiningdems.com

Statement: Restrain tax increases though careful budgeting and cost controls. Explore all opportunities for sharing services with other municipalities for more efficient way of delivering services. Establish energy efficiency task force.

WILCHER, Northern, Jr.

D

Candidate did not respond by press time.

TRIPODI, Peter J., IV

R-IN-C

Residence: Ossining

Education: BA (American History), SUNY Albany, '08

Occupation: Legal Aide

Prior Civic Service: Board Directors, Ossining Chamber of Commerce; Member: Ossining Historical Society, Sons of the American Legion

On the Web: www.PeterTripodi.com

Statement: Transparency, Accountability, Fiscal Responsibility. Utilize grants for alternative energy resources. Restore fiscal discipline, cut the budget which is currently over three times the rate of inflation. Eliminate Town Councilman salaries.

TOWN JUSTICE

Term: 4 years Salary: \$17,054

CONNOLLY, Francesca E.

D

Residence: Ossining

Education: BA, SUNY Albany, '79; JD, Pace Univ Sch of Law, '82

Occupation: Supreme Court Justice, 9th Judicial District

Prior Civic Service: Ossining Town Justice; Acting City Court Judge in Mount Vernon and Yonkers; Ossining: Deputy Town Supervisor, Council Member.

On the Web: www.electJudgeConnolly.com

Statement: My 27 years of experience as Judge, community leader and trial attorney give me the depth of experience, qualifications, and right perspective to continue serving effectively as Supreme Court Justice.

RECEIVER OF TAXES

Term: 4 years Salary: \$81,520

FRIED, Gloria B.

D-C

Candidate did not respond by press time.

SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS

Term: 2 years Salary: \$85,639

O'CONNOR, Michael

D-C-WF

Candidate did not respond by press time.

VILLAGE OF OSSINING

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 2 years Salary: \$8,000

CURRY, Michael R.*

D-IN-WF

Residence: Ossining

Education: Ossining HS, '78; BA (English,History), Denison Univ, '82; MBA, Fuqua Sch of Business, Duke Univ, '84

Occupation: Partner, The Curry Rockefeller Group

Prior Civic: Board, Open Door Family Medical Centers Foundation; American Diabetes Association.

Statement: To pursue tax savings through shared services and consolidation and to improve Ossining's future through increased mixed-use development.

DONNELLY, Susanne*

D

Residence: Ossining

Education: BBA, Iona Coll, '75

Occupation: Sales & Consulting

Prior Civic Service: Rotary, Boy Scouts of America, Youth of Ossining

Statement: Consolidation with the town is important. Revitalization of the waterfront and downtown with businesses to help residents reduce the tax burden. Protecting open space for the future generations.

AURORA, Michael T.

R-IN-C

Candidate did not respond by press time.

CITY OF PEEKSKILL

MAYOR

Term: 2 years Salary: \$13,015

FOSTER, Mary F*

D-WF

Residence: Peekskill

Education: MBA, Pace Univ,'76

Occupation: Retired Partner Deloitte & Touche

Prior Civic Service: City of Peekskill Common Council, '06-'07; Board Pres, Mental Health Association of Westchester, '04-'07; Board Member, National Multiple Sclerosis Society, '97-'09

Statement: Furthering sustainable economic development; Prioritizing infrastructure repairs; increasing the tax base with commercial development; addressing ongoing quality of life problems with higher standards, volunteers, and enforcement; controlling taxes and costs.

HANZLIK, Christopher S.

R-IN-C

Residence: Peekskill

Education: BE (Civil Engineering), Manhattan Coll,'83

Occupation: Civil Engineer (Project Manager) TRC Engineers, Inc.

Prior Civic Service: City of Peekskill Common Council '03; Chairperson, City of Peekskill Planning Commission (current); Pres, Peekskill Lapolla Little League (current)

On the Web: www.peekskillgop.com

Statement: I am committed to: putting people before politics, honest, respectful common sense leadership, economic development initiatives that create jobs while expanding our tax base and using the taxpayer's money wisely.

BROWN, Leesther C.

Ind

Candidate did not respond by press time.

CITY COUNCIL

(VOTE FOR THREE)

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$8,686

CLAXTON, Drew*

D-WF

Residence: Peekskill

Education: MA, (Economics) New York Univ, '82

Occupation: Economic Consultant

Prior Civic Service: Historic Preservation Advisory Board; Westchester County Environmental Management Committee; Environmental Advisory Board; Citizens for Equal Environmental Protection

Statement: Work to increase efficiencies and cost savings, support existing businesses and attract new ones, protect open space and historic assets, support and grow programs for our seniors and youth.

McGOWAN, Marybeth J.

D-WF

Residence: Peekskill

Education: 2 years of Coll

Occupation: Director of Medical Billing Services

Prior Civic Service: Peekskill Human Relations Commission

Statement: Increase the number of living wage jobs for Peekskill residents by working to help expand the efforts to add green and technology based companies to Peekskill's growing industrial community.

TORRES, Andrew

D-WF

Candidate did not respond by press time.

SHERIDAN, Susan M.

R-IN-C

Candidate did not respond by press time.

TORRES, Jose

R-IN-C

Residence: Peekskill
Education: HS
Occupation: Plumber
Prior Civic Service: City of Peekskill Emergency Management and Court Officer
Statement: I am committed to: putting people before politics, honest, respectful common sense leadership, economic development initiatives that create jobs while expanding our tax base and using the taxpayer's money wisely.

WASHINGTON, Anthony M.

R-IN-C

Residence: Peekskill
Education: Peekskill HS, '70
Occupation: Regional Training Coordinator
Prior Civic Service: Local Advisory Council Peekskill City School District; Co-Sponsor of "Science Screen Reports" Educational Program
On the Web: www.peekskillgop.com
Statement: I am committed to: putting people before politics, committing to honest, respectful common sense leadership, restoring economic development initiatives that create jobs and expand our tax base using the public's hard-earned money wisely.

TOWN OF PELHAM

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years **Salary:** \$5,500

SOLIMINE, Joseph S.*

R-IN-C

Residence: Pelham
Occupation: Insurance Agency Owner
Education: Pace Univ, 2 years
Prior Civic Service: President, Pelham BOE; Town Supervisor, 10 years
Statement: The government had a zero tax increase last year. Town will endeavor to continue to keep taxes stable.

COUNCILMEMBER

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$1,200

O'CONNOR, William M.*

R-IN-C

Residence: Pelham
Education: BS, Fordham Univ, '77; JD, Fordham Law, '80
Occupation: Lawyer
Prior Civic Service: Pelham Town Board (3 prior terms); Board, Pelham Civic Association; Pelham Community Rowing Association
Statement: We will continue to improve services and recreation while lowering taxes. We will continue to seek return of state funds to our community.

SZYMANSKI, Raffella (Rae)*

R-IN-C

Residence: Pelham
Education: BSN, (Nursing), New York Univ, '77; MS (Health Care Administration), Iona, '85
Occupation: Chief Operating Officer, The Visiting Nurse Association of the Hudson Valley
Prior Civic Service: Town Councilwoman (2 previous terms)
Statement: Careful consideration of tax levies while not compromising services. Careful consideration of inter-municipal shared services.

TOWN CLERK

Term: 2 years **Salary:** \$5,500

BELL, Blake A.*

R-IN

Residence: Pelham
Education: BA (American Government), Coll of Arts and Sciences, Univ of Virginia, '80; JD, Univ of Virginia Sch of Law, '83
Occupation: Attorney, Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP
Prior Civic Service: Deputy Historian, Town of Pelham; Historian: Village of Pelham, Town of Pelham; Town Clerk, Town of Pelham
Statement: After cutting costs in the historian's and clerk's offices, my approach will be to cut costs further while finding revenue streams from permitted online services to benefit our town.

RECEIVER OF TAXES

Term: 4 years Salary: \$10,000

NESI, John

R-IN

Candidate did not respond before press time.

TOWN OF POUND RIDGE

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years Salary: \$41,591

WARSHAUER, Gary David*

R-IN

Residence: Pound Ridge

Education: Fox Lane HS, '72; BA (Building Sciences), '76 & BA (Architecture), '77 Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Occupation: Pound Ridge Town Supervisor and Architect

Prior Civic Service: Pres, Westchester/Mid-Hudson Chapter of the American Institute of Architects; Chairman, Pound Ridge Planning Board; Town Councilman, Pound Ridge; Executive Director, Pound Ridge Office of Emergency Management.

On the Web: www.poundridgegop.com

Statement: Dedicated to perpetuating our quality of life, proponent of open government, financial responsibility and proactive planning that's in harmony with the physical and environmental characteristics that make Pound Ridge special.

TOWN COUNCIL

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years Salary: \$8,560

BOAK, Alison

D-WF-Ind

Residence: Pound Ridge

Education: BA (Magna Cum Laude), SUNY-Albany, '93; MPH, Joseph L. Mailman Sch of Public Health, Columbia Univ, '98

Occupation: Full-time Mother of four

Prior Civic Service: Member: Ad Hoc Committee for Sensible Air Space, Bedford Central School District Advisory Committee; Chairman, Bedford Central School District Subcommittee for School District Comparison; Leading community effort to protect resident wells from pesticide contamination from Pound Ridge Golf Course

On the Web: www.boakforpoundridge.com

Statement: We can do more to protect the health and well being of our children and families, protect our air and water, improve communications, and make our government accessible and transparent.

FALCO, Peter J.

R-IN

Residence: Pound Ridge (Bedford)

Education: BA (Summa Cum Laude), Rutgers Univ '76; MFS (with Honors), Yale Univ '78

Occupation: COO & Partner of Rockwood Capital (a private equity real estate investment company)

Prior Civic Service: Member: Pound Ridge Town Council (6 years), Town Planning Board (5 years)

Statement: Pound Ridge's diverse community, superb quality of life and environmental resources valued by residents, requires careful stewardship and protection combined with fiscally conservative budget management to guard against tax increases.

PASCHKES, Daniel S.*

R-IN

Residence: Pound Ridge

Education: BA, Alfred Univ '84; JD, Albany Law Sch, '87

Occupation: Attorney

Prior Civic Service: Pound Ridge Volunteer Ambulance Corps; Pound Ridge Lions Club

Statement: For the past 8 years I've worked to protect Pound Ridge's environment, keep our taxes low and foster our volunteer services to keep Pound Ridge the special place it is.

RECEIVER OF TAXES

Term: 4 years Salary: \$60,030

DAMASCUS, Debra M.*

R-IN

Residence: Pound Ridge

Education: BA, Marymount Coll, '76

Occupation: Receiver of Taxes

Prior Civic Service: Assessment Clerk, Town of Pound Ridge

Statement: I have created an extremely welcoming, efficient office for our residents offering extended and weekend hours. We assist our residents in any way we can and always with a smile!

TOWN JUSTICE

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$22,496

BRODNIK, Andrew D.

D-WF-Ind

Residence: Pound Ridge

Education: BA, Boston Univ; JD, Cardozo Sch of Law

Occupation: General Counsel, Camarda Reality Investments LLC

Prior Civic Service: Member: Pound Ridge Planning Board, Pound Ridge Landmarks Commission; Pres, Pound Ridge Lions Club

On the Web: www.andrewbrodnick.com

Statement: I love Pound Ridge and have served the town for many years. I hope to continue to lend my experience, commitment and expertise as a Town Justice.

HAND, Edward P.*

R-IN

Residence: Pound Ridge

Education: Holy Cross Coll, '54; LLD, Fordham Law Sch, '61

Occupation: Practicing Attorney

Statement: A prompt and fair adjudication under our laws of all matters presented before me has been and will continue to be my goal as a Town Justice.

CITY OF RYE

MAYOR

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$0

OTIS, Steven*

D-IN-WF-Ind

Residence: Rye

Education: BA, Hobart Coll, '79; MPA (Public Administration), New York Univ, '82; JD, Hofstra Univ Sch of Law, '84

Occupation: Mayor, City of Rye ('98-present); Chief of Staff and Legislative Counsel to NYS Senator Suzi Oppenheimer ('85-present)

Prior Civic Service: Member Westchester County Flood Action Task Force, '07-present; Vice Chair, Long Island Sound Watershed Inter-municipal Council (LISWIC); Chairman, Rye Conservation Committee

Statement: 29 years state/local government experience delivering results others cannot. Best expertise addressing economy, flooding, public safety, environment, seniors, youth and controlling taxes. Success securing millions in outside funding. Non-partisan.

FRENCH, Douglas H.

R-C

Residence: Rye

Education: BA, SUNY Cortland, '85; MBA, Pace Univ, '96

Occupation: Global VP, Thomson Reuters

Prior Civic Service: Chairman, Rye Recreation Commission; Member: Rye City Cable Commission, Thruway Fields Project; Co-Chair, Safe Routes to School/Trailways Committee

On the Web: www.changeforrye.com

Statement: Rye needs immediate change in its financial direction. As a community leader and business executive, I will deliver new leadership to control taxes, restore management discipline and prioritize capital investments.

CITY COUNCIL

(VOTE FOR THREE)

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$0

BALL, Andrew C.*

D-IN-WF-Ind

Residence: Rye

Education: Rye HS, '81; BA (Economics), Syracuse Univ, '85

Occupation: Executive VP, Grey Advertising

Prior Civic Service: Founding Member, Save the Rye Town Dock Association; City Council Liaison: Board of Architectural Review, Recreation, Senior Advocacy

Statement: Fiscal discipline (control expenditures while striving to preserve Rye's standards for quality services); Enhance Council's ability to prioritize & focus upon issues of community-wide import; environmental responsibility.

LAVELLE, Myles P.

D-WF-Ind

Residence: Rye

Education: BA (Political Science), Columbia Univ

Occupation: Director of Research Sales – Broadpoint AmTech

Statement: Keep Rye affordable, control property taxes, preserve Rye's excellent services in the face of dropping revenues. Restore nonpartisan, civil, open government that values public opinion; address voter's needs and concerns.

MURPHY, Joseph P.

D-IN-WF-Ind

Residence: Rye

Education: BA, St. Francis Coll, '61; MSW, Fordham Univ Graduate. Sch of Social Services, '63; Post-Grad Studies, NYU Graduate Sch of Public Administration, '67-'69

Occupation: Licensed Clinical Social Worker, Geriatric Care Manager

Prior Civic Service: Chair: Conservation Commission/Advisory Committee ('02-'08), Service Academy Review Board, 18th Congressional District ('89-present); Member: Finance Committee, ('87), Board of Education ('77-'85)

Statement: Identify realistic solutions in governance, create collaborative problem solving approaches, advance environmental safeguards, use proactive methods to identify immediate and long range goals, support Ag-in Place initiatives

JOVANOVICH, Peter

R-C

Residence: Rye

Education: BA, Princeton Univ, '72

Occupation: Pres, Alfred Harcourt Foundation

Prior Civic Service: Treasurer, Friends of the Rye Nature Center; Member, Rye Board of Architectural Review

Statement: Because of rising taxes and spending, Rye is on an unsustainable path. With your help, we can reform government and focus limited resources on roads, pedestrian safety and flood control.

KEITH, Suzanna S.

R-C

Residence: Rye

Education: Bristol HS (TN), '84; BA, Bryn Mawr Coll, '88; MBA, New York Univ, '92

Occupation: Marketing Consultant

Prior Civic Service: Co-Pres, Midland PTO, '07-'09; Chair, Twig Organization, '04-'05; Pres, Twig Inc., '04-'05; Rye Playland Committee, '02-'06

On the Web: www.changeforrye.com

Statement: As a proven financial problem solver, I pledge collaborative, effective and cost efficient solutions for Rye's key issues: control spending/freeze taxes; restore management discipline; prioritize infrastructure improvements.

FILIPPI, Richard

R-C

Residence: Rye

Education: BS (Accounting), Saint Francis Coll, '80.

Occupation: Senior Risk Consultant for Oracle

On the Web: www.changeforrye.com

Prior Civic Service: Conservation Council & Advisory Committee; Water Run Off Committee; Board, Friends of Rye Nature; Adult Leader, Boy Scouts

Statement: I have decided to apply my distinctive and creative problem solving capabilities and background in finance to bring a unique and much needed change to the Rye City Government.

TOWN OF RYE

TOWN COUNCIL

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$4,000

MENDICINO, Michele *

D-R-IN-WF

Residence: Rye (Rye Brook)

Education: Bachelor's Management

Occupation: Account Manager, American Outcomes Home Infusion

Prior Civic Service: Trustee, Village of Rye Brook; Member, Rye Brook Recreation Commission

Statement: Maintain a voice for the minority party and for women and all voters. Keep watchful eye on spending while maintaining the beauty and services. Work together with the three villages.

VILLANOVA, William*

D-R-IN

Candidate did not respond by press time

TOWN CLERK

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$84,718

VESPIA, Hope B.*

D-R-IN-WF

Residence: Rye (Rye Brook)
Education: Port Chester HS, '68; Training and Seminars for applicable jobs
Occupation: Town Clerk, Town of Rye
Prior Civic Service: Member, Chamber of Commerce, Association of Towns of NYS; Secretary, Columbus Day Celebration; Leader, Ladies' Ministry of home church
Statement: Privileged to serve the Town of Rye for the past 41 years. Committed to perform the responsibilities professionally and cordially. Determined to continue to update technical service of the office.

TOWN JUSTICE

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$25,882

COLANGELO, John B.*

D-R-IN

Residence: Rye (Port Chester)
Education: AB, Dartmouth Coll, '71; MS (Education), Univ of Bridgeport, '75; JD, Albany Law Sch, '79
Occupation: Attorney in private practice
Prior Civic Service: Port Chester Village Prosecutor; Rye Town Councilman

TOWN OF SOMERS

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years **Salary:** \$95,392

CLINCHY, Richard

D-WF

Residence: Somers (Katonah)
Education: BA (Political Science), Hobart Coll, '72; MAT (Political Science), Boston Coll, '75
Occupation: Teacher of Government, History, Economics & Law
Prior Civic Service: Somers Town Board '07-'09; President, School Board, '03-'06; Trustee, School Board, '94-'06; Superintendent Search Committee
On the Web: www.richardclinchy.com
Statement: Ending politics as usual. Returning trust in open government. Beginning innovative ideas for: government reform; long term planning; stable taxes; alternative funding; environmental protection; town facilities; sidewalks, bike lanes; Affordable housing.

MURPHY, Mary Beth *

R-IN

Residence: Somers (Katonah)
Education: BS (Geology), Syracuse Univ, '78; JD (Cum Laude), Fordham Univ Sch of Law, '83
Occupation: Town Supervisor
Prior Civic Service: Leos Coordinator, Somers Lions Club; President's Council, Northern Westchester Hospital; Treasurer, Open Gate Inc.; Pres, North Westchester Watershed Coalition
On the Web: www.mbmurphy.net
Statement: Preserving the past of our wonderful town and planning for its future through slow smart growth, fiscally sound budgeting to keep our taxes the lowest in Westchester and responsive representation.

TOWN COUNCIL

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years **Salary:** \$12,182

DIETER, George

D-WF

Residence: Somers
Education: BA, Univ of Dayton, '73; JD, St John's Univ Sch of Law, '81
Occupation: Attorney
Prior Civic Service: Planning Board, School Board, Conservation Board
Statement: We need to use a reasonable and practical approach. The new economic reality requires thoughtful decisions to tough problems. We need to reduce spending and hold the line on taxes.

MEYER, Paul*

D-WF

Residence: Somers
Education: BS, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, '86; MS (Environmental Microbiology), Rutgers Univ, '90; MS (Environmental Science), Rutgers, '91
Occupation: Manager, Environmental Remediation
Prior Civic Service: Somers Conservation Board; Leader, Cub Scout/Boy Scout; Coach: Youth Soccer, Youth Hockey
Statement: I will continue to protect open space and the environment, deliver clean drinking water, champion work force housing and, develop our senior and community center, all with demonstrated fiscal responsibility.

MORRISSEY, Rick

R-IN

Residence: Somers

Education: BA, Lewis Univ '71; MPA (Public Administration), Pace Univ, '83

Occupation: Director, Environmental Services, Westchester County Department of Health

Prior Civic Service: Chair, Somers Architectural Review Board; VP, Somers Lions Club; Co-Chair, Open Space Commission; Treasurer, Somers Land Trust

On the Web: www.electmorrисsey.com

Statement: I support growth for our town, maintaining community services and working diligently to keep taxes stable, while curbing unnecessary spending. I am a strong proponent for seeking and maintaining open space and attracting new business.

BOLTON, Harold

IN-C

Residence: Somers

Education: BS (Business Administration), New Jersey City Univ, '80

Occupation: Manager, Verizon

Prior Civic Service: Pres, Condo 2, Heritage Hills ('05 to present); Board, Heritage Hills Society, ('06-'09).

On the Web: www.FriendsofHB.com

Statement: I have a business-like approach to problems, and I maintain an open conservative stance on spending our tax dollars. I believe elected officials must represent the voters not themselves.

RECEIVER OF TAXES

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$53,988

ROSENZWEIG, Gloria

D-WF

Residence: Somers

Education: BA, Clark Univ, '66; Acupuncture Licensure, New Center for Health, Education & Research, '97

Occupation: Acupuncturist; Owner, Curves for Women

Prior Civic Service: Conservation Board of Somers; Rotary Club in Katonah

Statement: I hope to bring my 40 years of business and management skills to the Receiver's office. I will institute 21st Century technology to save the taxpayer both time and money.

RIBAUDO, Joan *

R-IN

Residence: Somers

Occupation: Receiver of Taxes

Prior/Civic Service: Deputy Tax Receiver; Assistant to Administrative Assistant, Supervisor's Office

Statement: Receiver of taxes 4 1/2 years; Deputy 7 1/2 years; Introduced reminder post cards, return envelopes for tax payments. My goal is to update mailing addresses for all property owners. I have the experience.

CITY OF WHITE PLAINS

MAYOR

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$145,881

BRADLEY, Adam T.

D-R-IN-C-WF

Residence: White Plains

Education: BA, Pace Univ, '85; JD, Pace Univ Law Sch, '89

Occupation: NYS Assembly Member

Prior Civic Service: Member: Advisory Board of the Coachman Family Center; Law Guardian Association Board; Treasurer, WCLA-PAC; Chairman, White Plains Democratic City Committee

On the Web: www.bradleyforwhiteplains.org

Statement: Repair the fiscal condition of the city; protect taxpayers; address depleted reserve fund; create and preserve open space; encourage smart growth while making White Plains a more environmentally friendly city.

HOCKLEY, Glen

Ind

Residence: White Plains

Education: BS (Marketing), Husson Univ, '75

Occupation: Councilman, City of White Plains

Prior Civic Service: Pres, B'nai B'rith Mid-Westchester, '96-'00; Advisory Board Member: Westchester Council Boy Scouts of America, Hudson Valley Chapter of FBI affiliate "Infragard"; Member, Rotary Club of White Plains since '95

On the Web: www.lightsspeed.com

Statement: Keep property taxes down through alternative revenue streams. Reinstate leaf, garbage services. Job creation through downtown development. Real affordable housing for graduates, seniors, working families. Help resolve school board issues.

COMMON COUNCIL

(VOTE FOR THREE)

Term: 4 years Salary: \$36,471

BUCHWALD, David

D-IN-WF

Residence: White Plains
Education: BS (Physics), Yale Univ, '00; MPP, Kennedy Sch of Government, '07; JD, Harvard Law Sch, '07
Occupation: Tax Attorney
Prior Civic Service: Trustee, White Plains Historical Society; Board Member, White Plains Downtown Residents Association; Tax credit program volunteer; Westchester Representative, Metro-North Commuter Council
On the Web: www.DavidBuchwald.com
Statement: Examine every budget item, ensure taxes are used efficiently, keep property taxes under control, maintain quality services, provide for smart city planning and a cleaner environment.

ROACH, Thomas M., Jr.*

D-R-C-WF

Residence: White Plains
Education: BA (Magna Cum Laude), SUNY Albany, '83; JD, Univ of Buffalo Sch of Law, '86
Occupation: Attorney
Prior Civic Service: Westchester County Global Warming Task Force; Bronx River Watershed Committee; Westchester County Healthy Air Task Force; White Plains YMCA Board
On the Web: www.vote4roach.com
Statement: I will make the tough decisions necessary to control rising governmental costs in order to stabilize the tax rate and preserve the city's fiscal stability and our quality of life.

SMAYDA, Beth N.

D-IN-WF

Residence: White Plains
Education: BA, Augustana Coll, '79; MPA, LBJ Sch Of Public Affairs, Univ of Texas, '81
Occupation: Managing Director, Municipal Bond Analysis
Prior Civic Service: Pres & Budget Chair, League of Women Voters of White Plains; White Plains Budget & Management Advisory Committee.; White Plains School District Annual Budget Committee; Chair, PTA Council Budget & Legislation
On the Web: www.bethsmayda.com
Statement: The City's ongoing fiscal stability is most pressing issue. I will pursue revenue and expenditure side solutions, including streamlining administrative structures, functional consolidation and charging appropriate fees.

ARNDT, Jim

R-C

Residence: White Plains
Education: Westlake HS, '85; Westchester Community Coll
Occupation: Store Director
Statement: Create a budget without a burden to the residents of a double digit tax increase. Develop business model or a 3/5/10-year plan of 3 different economies. Redevelop Post Road corridor.

LOLIS, Leonard G.

R-IN-C

Residence: White Plains
Education: Iona Prep; Iona Coll
Occupation: Director of Network Architecture, Emigrant Bank
Statement: Uniquely qualified experience as city's director of information services. Detailed knowledge of all functions of city government. Reduce expenses through efficiency and less waste. Maintain balance, open discussion and debate.

CITY OF YONKERS

PRESIDENT OF CITY COUNCIL

Term: 4 years Salary: N/A

LESNICK, Chuck*

D-WF

Residence: Yonkers
Education: BA, Yale Coll, '81; JD, New York Univ Sch of Law, '85; MPA-URP, Woodrow Wilson Sch of Public and International Affairs, Princeton Univ
Occupation: Lawyer
Prior Civic Service: Regional Rep to Gov. Cuomo, Director: Economic Development for City of Yonkers, Commercial Revitalization for NYS Urban Development Corp; Economic Development Specialist, Pres Clinton's Administration.
On the Web: www.ChuckLesnick.net
Statement: Proven leadership and experience. Supports open government, fiscal responsibility, lower taxes, smart growth with sensitivity towards environment and historic preservation, increased state funding for education including art, music and sports.

CASTRO-BLANCO, Jim

R-IN-C

Candidate did not respond before press time.

CITY COUNCILMEMBER

Term: 4 years

Salary: N/A

SECOND DISTRICT

TERRERO, Wilson

D

Residence: Yonkers

Education: BS (Computer Science) & MS (Counseling), Mercy Coll

Occupation: Self-employed

Prior Civic Service: Advisor: Obreros Unidos de Yonkers Inc, Yonkers Association of Taxis Inc.; Treasurer, Yonkers Federation of Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, Inc.

On the Web: www.WilsonTerrero.com

Statement: I will promote excellence in all schools and keep jobs in Yonkers. I will also promote safe streets, affordable housing, health care programs, community inspired redevelopment and intergovernmental cooperation.

PEREZ, Virginia

IN-C-WF

Residence: Yonkers

Education: AA (Hospitality Management), Monroe Coll; BA (Business Management)

Occupation: Concierge

On the Web: www.virginiaperez.net

Statement: Increasing police presence and creating more jobs at a living wage. I plan to achieve these goals by creating a more equitable tax structure.

FOURTH DISTRICT

DeGIORGIO, Mario J.

D-C-WF

Residence: Yonkers

Education: Columbus HS, Bronx Community Coll

Occupation: District Retail Manager Children's Stores

Prior Civic Service: Chairman: Yonkers Italian City Club, Kiwanis Club and CIAO

Statement: I will bring a fresh, new approach to the council. Yonkers is a business and it needs a person like myself with over 32 years of business experience, honesty and accountability.

SHEPHERD, Dennis

R

Residence: Yonkers

Education: BS (Marketing), St. John's Univ

Occupation: Retired

Prior Civic Service: Pres, Hyatt Homeowner's Association

On the Web: www.SHEPHERD_2009.com

Statement: Passing balanced budget, not allowing tax increase and cutting of essential services ex. police, fire.

RUBBO, John

IN

Residence: Yonkers

Education: BS (Communications), Iona Coll

Occupation: Merchant Processing Agent

Prior Civic Service: Public Relations Liaison, Yonkers Mayor Amicone's Press/Communications Office, 6.5 years

On the Web: www.Rubbo2009.com

Statement: Safety, schools and taxes are my priority as Councilman. I will advocate for these quality of life issues by raising the bar on what is expected from city services.

SIXTH DISTRICT

WINNICKI, Theodore J.

D-IN

Candidate did not respond by press time.

LARKIN, John

R-C

Residence: Yonkers

Education: MS (Human Resource Management), Mercy Coll, '00; MS (Education), Lehman Coll, '08

Statement: Insure government is working for taxpayers not taxpayers working for it. Insure government runs efficiently and city services are delivered properly. Encourage smart development that produces reoccurring revenue to ease burden on taxpayer.

TOWN OF YORKTOWN

SUPERVISOR

Term: 2 years **Salary:** \$112,095

PETERS, Don*

D-WF

Residence: Yorktown

Education: BS, Mercy Coll; MS, Long Island Univ

Occupation: Town Supervisor; Owner, The Sports Barn

Prior Civic Service: Police officer, Yorktown; Police Department over 19 years

On the Web: www.donpetersforyorktown.com

Statement: In this economy, we must do more with less. I have cut spending for the first time in 15 years and I will continue to work to save taxpayers money.

SIEGEL, Susan M.

R-IN-C

Residence: Yorktown (Yorktown Heights)

Education: BA, Brooklyn Coll, '60; MA, Univ of California Berkley, '64, MPA, Pace Univ, '81

Occupation: Owner of publishing company.

Prior Civic Service: Co-founder, Citizens for an Informed Yorktown; Advocate for open government; Coordinator for Unsewered Hallocks Mill; Pres, League of Women Voters of Yorktown (as Susan Stetson).

On the Web: www.wakeupyorktown.com

Statement: I will put my experience and proven skills to work implementing management reforms that will control spending, improve the delivery of services and assure more open and transparent government.



TOWN COUNCIL

(VOTE FOR TWO)

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$18,085

PAGANELLI, David D.

D-WF

Residence: Yorktown (Yorktown Heights)

Education: Westchester Community Coll

Occupation: Owner of Travelers Rest, Route 100

Prior Civic Service: Board of Support Connection; Chamber of Commerce; Alliance for Safe Kids; Women's Resource Center

Statement: I will try to bring a courteous manner to the board and explore new revenue possibilities as well as support our local economy. I will seek out and help citizens in need.

PATEL, Vishnubhai V.

D-IN

Residence: Yorktown (Yorktown Heights)

Education: BS, (Chemistry and Physics); MS, (Material Science), Univ of Pacific/Stockton, '72

Occupation: Retired research scientist, IBM, T. J. Watson Research Center

Statement: Policies that hold the line on taxes, improve town efficiencies and lower costs, grow business and job creation, result in better traffic planning, 'green' initiatives and support education.

DREXEL, J. Mark

R-C

Residence: Yorktown (Yorktown Heights)

Education: BS (Civil Engineering), Manhattan Coll, '79; MS (Organizational Leadership), Mercy Coll, '04; Registered Professional Engineer (Fire Protection), Commonwealth of PA.,

Registered Gas Distribution Professional, Gas Technical Institute

Occupation: Department Manager: Consolidated Edison of NY ('82-present); Consultant, JMD Enterprise, Inc, Yorktown, '99-present; Pres, Emergency Management Consulting Services

Prior Civic Service: Trustee, Yorktown Central School Board; Member, Yorktown Planning Board; Coach, YYSC Soccer; Volunteer Leader, Boy Scouts

On the Web: www.ElectDrexel.com

Statement: I will work hard to cut town costs and expenses, streamline management. Eliminate bureaucracy, rein in taxes and support business re-vitalization and development to generate sensible growth and employment opportunities.

MURPHY, Terrance P.

R-IN

Residence: Yorktown Heights

Education: SUNY Albany '89, Life Chiropractic Coll '93; Westchester Community Coll '87

Occupation: Chiropractor

Prior Civic Service: Yorktown High School Athletic Department, Make a Wish Foundation

On the Web: www.vote4Murphy.com

Statement: Yorktown needs to improve its business etiquette in order to attract new businesses which will decrease the tax burden on residents.

CAMPISI, Louis J.*

C-WF

Residence: Yorktown (Yorktown Heights)

Education: Long Island Univ

Occupation: Retired, NYC Department of Corrections; Town Councilman

Prior Civic Service: Christopher Columbus Society of Yorktown; Shrub Oak Athletic Club; Fraternal Order of Police

Statement: My top priorities are keeping taxes down, preserving open space, senior citizens' concerns, protect this environment, improve traffic conditions and raise the quality of life in Yorktown.

D'AMATO, Catherine L.

Ind

Candidate did not respond by press time.

DITOMASO, Nick

Ind

Candidate did not respond by press time.

TOWN JUSTICE

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$28,935

METZ, Mathew

D-WF

Residence: Yorktown

Education: BS, Cornell Univ, '83; JD, Univ of Buffalo, '86

Occupation: Attorney

Prior Civic Service: Currently Councilman and Deputy Supervisor, Town of Yorktown

Statement: I have been an attorney for more than twenty years. I have been an administrative law judge for the County of Westchester and State of NY for eight years.

LAGONIA, Salvatore

R-IN-C

Residence: Yorktown (Yorktown Heights)

Education: BS, Mercy Coll, '87; JD, Pace Univ Law Sch, '91

Occupation: Attorney

Prior Civic Service: Pres: Westchester County Bar Association, Yorktown Bar Association; Delegate, NYS Bar Association; Pilot, Angel-Flight

On the Web: www.lagoniaforjustice.com

Statement: My deep experience in law enforcement and as a leader of the legal bar has provided me with the unique qualifications and experience to serve on the Yorktown Court.

SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS

Term: 4 years

Salary: \$125,000

DiBARTOLO, Eric H.

D-R-IN-C

Residence: Yorktown

Education: Yorktown HS, '79

Occupation: Superintendent of Highways

Statement: As the '08/'09 Director of Labor Operations I have saved \$1,157,050.00 causing a reduction in taxes of 3.64% to the taxpayers.

PROPOSITIONS AND REFERENDA **

NEW YORK STATE

PROPOSAL NUMBER ONE AN AMENDMENT

Amendment to section 1 of article 14 of the Constitution, in relation to the use of certain forest preserve lands by National Grid to construct a 46 kV power line along State Route 56 in St. Lawrence County.

The proposed amendment would authorize the Legislature to convey up to six acres of forest preserve land along State Route 56 in St. Lawrence County to National Grid for construction of a power line. In exchange, National Grid would convey to the State at least 10 acres of forest land in St. Lawrence County, to be incorporated into the forest preserve. The land to be conveyed by National Grid to the State must be at least equal in value to the land conveyed to National Grid by the State. Should the amendment be approved?

PROPOSAL NUMBER TWO AN AMENDMENT

Amendment to article 3 of the Constitution, in relation to authorizing the Legislature to allow prisoners to voluntarily perform work for nonprofit organizations.

The proposed amendment would authorize the Legislature to pass legislation to permit inmates in state and local correctional facilities to perform work for nonprofit organizations. Shall the proposed amendment be approved?

CITY OF PEEKSKILL

THE FIELD LIBRARY

Shall the annual contribution of the City of Peekskill for the operating budget of The Field Library be increased by Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars to the sum of Seven Hundred Thousand (\$700,000.00) Dollars annually?

** We regret that space limitations prevent printing background and other information pertaining to these propositions. Please check with your city, town, or village clerk for more information and for any local propositions not listed.

QUESTIONS?

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WESTCHESTER,
949-0507***

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**IF I AM BLIND OR DISABLED MAY I BE
ASSISTED IN THE VOTING BOOTH?**

*YES, YOU MAY BE AIDED BY ANYONE YOU SELECT OR BY
TWO INSPECTORS, ONE FROM EACH PARTY.*



5 Things you need to know on election day

1. **Your Ballot – Your Vote.** Don't panic if you registered to vote your name is not on the list. Get help from a poll worker to make sure your vote is counted. You may be directed to another polling place or given a provisional ballot.
2. **I.D. – Don't Go Without It.** You may need to show identification. To be safe, take your driver's license, paycheck, utility bill, or government document that includes your name and street address.
3. **Writing on the Wall.** Look at the signs at the polling places for directions on how to use the voting machines, a list of your voting rights, and instructions for filing a complaint if your rights have been violated.
4. **Writing in Doubt – Ask!** Poll workers are there to help you. They'll show you how to work the machines and give you a provisional ballot if you need one. If you're at the wrong polling place, they can tell you how to get to the right one.
5. **In and Out.** You probably won't have to wait too long. But even if the line is long, don't leave without voting. The outcome of this election is important!





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