Company awarded $3 million by state to expand facility, manufacturing

Farmingville, NY - On June 15th, Deputy Supervisor/Councilwoman Kathleen Walsh (representing Supervisor Mark Lesko) was on hand for the announcement that Amneal Pharmaceuticals' facility in Yaphank will be expanding to increase manufacturing and add jobs. The $50 million expansion and renovation of the existing building includes a fund of $3 million provided by Governor Andrew Cuomo's Regional Economic Development Council Initiative.

The project will include the 265,000 square foot expansion, a new stand alone facility, and a sewage treatment plant. As a result of this project, Amneal Pharmaceuticals will increase their manufacturing, packaging, and research and development, allowing them to retain over 700 jobs and hire an addition 400 employees over the next ten years.

"I would like to thank Governor Cuomo and the Regional Economic Development Council for their continued commitment to aiding businesses within the Town of Brookhaven," said Supervisor Lesko, "Amneal Pharmaceuticals is leader in pharmaceutical research and their presence here is a true asset to the Town. This expansion will allow them to continue to bring high-tech jobs to our region and keep pharmaceutical research and manufacturing alive in Brookhaven."

Deputy Supervisor/Councilwoman Kathleen Walsh said, "Amneal Pharmaceuticals is exactly the type of high-tech business that we want to encourage to grow in the Town of Brookhaven. This truly is a transformative project that will increase manufacturing and provide a solid number of jobs in our region for years to come."