Farmingville, NY - On November 11, Supervisor Ed Romaine (right) and Councilwoman Connie Kepert (left) attended the annual Veterans Day Ceremony held at Bartlett Pond Park in Middle Island. The event was hosted by the Longwood Alliance, Middle Island Civic Association and Boy Scout Troop 433. It included a presentation of the colors by the scouts and the placement of wreaths at all seven Longwood Veterans monuments located in the park. The monuments honor Longwood residents who served in the Revolutionary War, Civil War, World War I, World War II, the Korean War, the Vietnam War, and the Global War on Terror. Also pictured is Assemblyman Ed Hennessey (center).

"The men and women who have served our country have made tremendous sacrifices in defense of our freedom," commented Supervisor Romaine. "I am honored to have been invited to stand among our veterans at a place where we can show our gratitude for their service."

"The annual Veterans Day ceremony at Bartlett Pond Park is always a wonderful event to honor the servicemen and women who selflessly put their lives on the line to protect our great Nation's freedom," stated Councilwoman Connie Kepert. "Veterans Day is a time to honor and serve our returning veterans, as they have served us."