Farmingville, NY – Councilwoman Valerie M. Cartright attended the Chicken Hill Barbecue fundraiser hosted by the Three Village Community Trust on July 23rd. Offering great food and fun, the barbecue drew many friends coming together to support a worthy cause. The local not-for-profit organization has preserved the all-but-forgotten homes of the Setauket community, dubbed Chicken Hill. The unique buildings, once inhabited by workers of the Setauket Rubber Factory, served as a backdrop for the barbecue. Occupied in the mid 20th century, the homes of the Chicken Hill community on 25A and Main Street are now undergoing restoration.

“Thanks to the members of the Three Village Community Trust, Chicken Hill will be restored for future generations, paying homage to its residents from Poland, Lithuania, Russia, Italy, as well as African Americans and Native Americans who settled here. It’s an honor to support this cultural preservation project.”

More information can be found at www.threevillagecommunitytrust.org.