

## Councilman LaValle Honors Whole Foods in Lake Grove as October Business of the Month in Council District 3

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**Farmingville, NY** – At the October 27 Town Board meeting, Councilman Kevin LaValle honored Whole Foods Market in Lake Grove in recognition of being named Business of the Month for October in Council District 3. The award is given to a business deserving special recognition for the positive impact they have on the community.

Whole Foods opened in March of 2010 and has been an active community partner. They have numerous events throughout the year when five percent of their store sales go to non-profits such as the Stony Brook Cancer Center. They also donate to food pantries and often partner with community groups for local events. Recently, they

were a supporter of the Second Annual Run the Farm Event to benefit Hobbs Farm in Centereach, where they donated all of the water, breakfast bars, and produce for the runners.

Councilman LaValle said, "I thank Whole Foods for all they do for the Lake Grove community and throughout Brookhaven Town. I am happy to name them as the October Business of the Month, a well-deserved honor."

Pictured left to right are Councilwoman Valerie M. Cartright, Councilwoman Jane Bonner, Whole Foods Specialty Team Leader Richard VanderPutten, Whole Foods Assistant Store Team Leader Luis Alvarado, Councilman Kevin LaValle, Supervisor Ed Romaine, Councilman Neil Foley, Michael Loguercio and Councilman Dan Panico.

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