

Councilman Daniel J. Panico Joins Brookhaven Town Board

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Farmingville, NY - On Tuesday March 23, 2010 the Town of Brookhaven welcomed Councilman Daniel J. Panico to the Town Board as Councilmember for the Sixth District. The Councilman, with fiancée Deanna Scorzelli at his side, was ceremoniously sworn-in by Suffolk County Clerk Judith Pascale. "We welcome Councilman Panico and look forward to working with him in progressing towards a positive future for all of Brookhaven Town" Supervisor Lesko stated.

Councilman Daniel Panico won his council district seat in a special election held on Tuesday, March 9, 2010 after his longtime friend, Sixth District Councilman Keith Romaine, passed away unexpectedly on November 14, 2009.

"It is an honor and privilege to serve the residents of Brookhaven. In the coming weeks I will begin to rollout a series of cost-cutting initiatives and good government resolutions to ease the burden on our beleaguered taxpayers. I look forward to working in a bipartisan manner with all of my colleagues," affirmed the new councilman.

Councilman Timothy Mazzei joined with his fellow council members in declaring, "We are thankful that Councilman Panico has joined us here today, and look forward to working with him in accomplishing important projects here in Brookhaven."

"I welcome Dan and know that he will bring an outstanding level of commitment to his constituents, and he will work hard to unite the various communities that make up the Sixth Council District," stated Councilwoman Kathleen Walsh.

Councilwoman Jane Bonner said, "I wholeheartedly welcome Dan Panico to the Town Board, yet my feelings remain tempered by the loss of our dear friend Keith Romaine, his predecessor in the Sixth District Council seat. As I did with Keith, I'm sure we can work closely together for the benefit of all residents of Brookhaven Town."

"As a council district neighbor, I welcome Dan and look forward to working with him to achieve the goals necessary in moving our communities forward," said Councilwoman Connie Kepert.

Councilman Steve Fiore-Rosenfeld added these words of encouragement, "Through a sad set of circumstances, Councilman Panico has had to 'hit the ground running' - we look forward to working alongside Dan and getting to know him better, as both a public servant and partner on the Town Board."

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