New Energy Efficient Lighting Installation Begins at Brookhaven Town Hall

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Supervisor Romaine's "Energy Efficiency and Sustainability Initiative" moves forward

Farmingville, NY - In his 2015 State of the Town Address, Supervisor Romaine announced his "Energy Efficiency and Sustainability Initiative" as part of a 5-year Capital Plan to achieve a 50% reduction of Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emissions by 2020. The plan focuses on Town-owned Buildings and Facilities, Traffic Controls, Street Lights and Town Vehicles. Earlier this year, the Town installed new energy efficient electronic ballast lighting fixtures at Brookhaven Calabro Airport and the Animal Shelter. The new fixtures replaced inefficient PCB ballast fixtures with new lighting that are 50% more energy efficient than the old ones and produce a whiter, brighter light.

On August 3, phase one of the light fixture replacement began at Brookhaven Town Hall as building maintenance crews installed the first of 650 fixtures that will be placed on the third floor. The Town will realize more than $14,000 in savings per year on the third floor alone. Pictured left to right are Supervisor Ed Romaine, Councilman Dan Panico, Waste Management Executive Assistant Frank Tassone, Myles Green, Building Manager Mike Reilly and Louis Bianchi.

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