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A photograph of Joe DeStefano, a bald man with a friendly expression, wearing a dark blue button-down shirt and a gold chain. He is standing outdoors with green foliage in the background. In the foreground, the backs of two people's heads are visible, one with long blonde hair and another with dark hair, both looking towards Joe.

COMMON SENSE WINS WHEN WE FIGHT FOR IT

Assemblyman

Joe DeStefano

WORKING TO DELIVER REAL RESULTS FOR SUFFOLK COUNTY

"This session showed that common sense can prevail when we fight for it. I will keep standing up for Suffolk County families, first responders, veterans, taxpayers and working people."



COMMON-SENSE POLICIES THAT COULD HELP THE PEOPLE WHO KEEP LONG ISLAND RUNNING

- PASSED!** **\$800 tax credit for volunteer firefighters:** recognizing their service and sacrifice to our communities. **(A.6790-A*)**
- PASSED!** **Passed Kyra's Law** to put the safety of children first in custody and visitation proceedings, ensuring courts have stronger tools to protect vulnerable children when warning signs of abuse or danger are present. **(A.6194-C*)**
- PASSED!** **Passed the Ratepayer Transparency Act** to pull back the curtain on utility costs, demand greater accountability from energy providers and give New Yorkers the clear, honest information they deserve before more of their hard-earned money is taken. **(A.8414*)**
- PASSED!** **Passed the CREEP Behavior Act** to confront repeated, predatory behavior with the seriousness it demands, strengthen protections for victims and make clear that intimidation, harassment and exploitation have no place in our communities. **(A.3226-A*)**
- PASSED!** **Passed legislation to provide firefighters with critical emergency-response training** to better serve individuals with physical and developmental disabilities, giving first responders the knowledge they need to act with confidence, protect every life and ensure no New Yorker is left behind in a moment of crisis. **(A.688*)**
- PASSED!** **Passed legislation to expand access to lifesaving organ donation registration** by allowing New Yorkers to join the Donate Life Registry through approved electronic income tax filing platforms, creating another simple and secure way to help save lives. **(A.10299-B*)**

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**Pending Governor's signature*

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