

SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATOR KARA HAHN



FIFTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT

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**KARA HAHN SWORN IN AS NEW LEGISLATOR**

*Fifth Legislative District Welcomes New Representative*



*Photo: Legislator Kara Hahn is joined by family during today's swearing in ceremony.*

HAUPPAUGE, NY – The Suffolk County Legislature held its organizational meeting today, inaugurating three new members including Setauket resident Kara Hahn. Born in Port Jefferson and raised in the Three Village Community, Hahn was elected in November to succeed the term-limited Vivian Vilorio Fisher who served as Fifth District Legislator for the past 13 years.

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Although this is Hahn's first election to public office, she is no stranger to public service. For years she has been deeply involved in her hometown where she has been a member of several community groups, including serving as President of the Civics Association of the Setaukets and Stony Brook. Hahn already possesses extensive knowledge of County government, serving until last week as the Director of Communications for Suffolk County Legislature Presiding Officer Bill Lindsay and before that, as Chief of Staff for former Legislator Vivian Vilorio-Fisher.

"Throughout my life, I have recognized that public service is humanity's greatest purpose. It is a value that my parents ingrained in me at an early age through their volunteerism and activism and is a core belief that I hope to pass onto my children," said Hahn. "With my inauguration today, I continue to honor the importance of public service as I begin working with my neighbors to help mold the future we envision."

Citing her main priorities as economic development, job creation, environmental protection, fiscal responsibility, public safety, and government accountability, Hahn has an ambitious agenda that she intends on pursuing from this day forward.

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