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### ***Gregory Casamento Appointed to Suffolk County IDA*** ***Experience in Business Technology and Marketing an Asset***

**Hauppauge, NY** – At the General Session on September 9, Suffolk County Legislators appointed Gregory Casamento as a member of the Suffolk County Industrial Development Agency. Mr. Casamento is replacing Stephen Rossetti, who resigned from the Board earlier this year.

Mr. Casamento is partner at Locke Lord LLP and co-chair of the firm's Business Technology Group and chair of the Advertising, Marketing & Social Media section. A resident of Dix Hills, he is an experienced litigation and trial lawyer. Prior to joining the firm, he served as a Judge Advocate in the U.S. Navy, where he was awarded the Navy Achievement Medal for his defense of service members in courts-martial and the Navy Commendation Medal for his prosecution of service members in courts-martial.

"Mr. Casamento will be a great addition to the IDA," said Presiding Officer DuWayne Gregory. "He has the skills and experience that are just what the IDA needs."

"Greg's wealth of experience will be a tremendous benefit to the IDA," stated Majority Leader Rob Calarco. "I am confident that his impressive skills will help attract quality businesses to Suffolk County."

"With a unique perspective and a wide range of public and private sector relationships I'm confident that Greg will be a tremendous asset to the IDA Board and our County", said Legislator Bill Lindsay III.

The position on the board takes effect immediately and Mr. Casamento is eager to get to work. "I hope that I can contribute to further the goals of the IDA to attract more international and technology companies to Suffolk County, along with growing our existing home grown companies," he said.

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