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BARRAGA: NEWS FROM THE 11TH DISTRICT **BARRAGA PRESENTS PROCLAMATION TO CHIEF JOHN MCAULEY**



SHOWN L-R; EX-CAPTAIN FRANK LATSCH, WEST ISLIP FIRE DEPARTMENT; SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATOR TOM BARRAGA (R-C-1) WEST ISLIP; EMS CHIEF JOHN MCAULEY, WEST ISLIP FIRE DEPARTMENT AND SECOND ASSISTANT CHIEF KEVIN S. PARRETT OF THE WEST ISLIP FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Suffolk County Legislator Tom Barraga (R-West Islip) recently presented EMS Chief John McAuley of the West Islip Fire Department with a proclamation in acknowledgement of Volunteer Recognition Month.

Resolution No.339-2001 of the Suffolk County Legislature established a Volunteer Recognition Program for Firefighter and EMS Personnel. Each of the 18 Legislators has an opportunity to nominate one person from his/her district for their outstanding service to their community as a Firefighter or EMS worker.

Legislator Barraga was pleased to honor Chief McAuley who has been a member of the West Islip Fire Department since 1993 and has served as EMS Chief for the last thirteen years.

“His medical prowess has saved the lives of individuals both in the fire district and throughout the 3rd Precinct where he serves as a Suffolk County Police Officer. Members have come to look to Chief McAuley for his leadership and guidance in all areas of Fire Department operations and we are truly grateful for his dedication and service” – said Barraga.