

SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATURE

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**LEGISLATOR STEVE STERN WELCOMES RABBI MARC GELLMAN OF TEMPLE BETH TORAH TO LEGISLATURE**

*Delivers Invocation at General Session*



*Pictured l-r: Legislator Steve Stern, Rabbi Marc Gellman*

**HUNTINGTON, NY** – Suffolk County Legislator Steve Stern was honored to welcome Rabbi Marc Gellman, the Senior Rabbi at Temple Beth Torah in Melville to deliver the invocation at the November 20<sup>th</sup> General Meeting. Rabbi Gellman has served the Melville community since joining Temple Beth Torah in 1981, but has also served the entire Suffolk County community and is widely recognized for his perceptive writings, nationally syndicated magazine and newspaper columns and for his partnership with the Monsignor Tom Hartman in their syndicated television series “The God Squad” which is broadcast to over 15 million homes daily.

“I am proud to welcome Rabbi Gellman to the Legislature,” Legislator Stern said. ‘Rabbi Gellman not only serves the Jewish community as the spiritual leader of Temple Beth Torah, but with his partnership with Msgr. Hartman has been a unifying force in our larger community, bringing people together and promoting understanding and brotherhood.’”