



# *About Our Honoree*

Stanfort Perry has dedicated his career to human services, helping people fulfill their potential and lead fulfilling lives. He currently serves as Executive Director of AHRC Nassau, the third largest agency in New York State serving people with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD), as well as its affiliate organizations, Brookville Center for Children's Services and Citizens Options Unlimited. As Executive Director, Perry oversees the operating budgets of approximately \$200 million and a workforce of more than 3,100 professionals committed to enriching the lives of over 4,000 people with disabilities throughout Nassau County and parts of Suffolk County. He is a member of the NYSID Board of Directors, the OPWDD Next Steps Committee, and the Diversity Committee of the Arc of the United States. He also served seven years as a member of the New York State Office of Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities (MRDD) Advisory Council.



Last year the Freeport facility of the LICC was forced to relocate because of unsafe conditions. The Council owes a huge debt of gratitude to Mr. Perry and the AHRC for providing us with a new home. The Freeport Food & Services Boutique opened this spring in a newly renovated space within AHRC property on Hanse Avenue in Freeport. The Council looks forward to a rewarding partnership between our two organizations.