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When one thinks of May, it's often thought of as the unofficial start to summer. While it does lead us into the warmer months, it's still a working month for the Assembly, as there is much to finish before the end of legislative session. Also, Memorial Day is on Monday, May 27th, this year. While there are parades and celebrations to mark the occasion, Memorial Day is meant to honor and remember the fallen soldiers who gave their lives defending our great country. So while you are having that cookout or attending a local parade, keep in mind, without the sacrifices made by our men and women in uniform all these years defending our freedom, none of this would be possible. Please, honor and remember their sacrifice and thank our veterans for all they have done in the service of our country.

William B. Magnarelli

Reminder - Paper Shredding Event!



There is still time to sign up for Assemblyman Magnarelli's free paper shredding event on Saturday, June 1st, 2024 from 9am until 12pm at the Pink Lot at DestinyUSA, entrance off Solar Street (561 Solar Street, Syracuse, NY 13204). Please click the link below to register. We look forward to seeing you there!

[Click Here to Register](#)

Remember Our Highway Workers

The New York State Department of Transportation held their annual Highway Workers Memorial at the New York State Fairgrounds on April 30th, honoring those DOT workers who lost their lives in the line of duty, working on our roads and bridges in New York State. State Dignitaries, DOT and Thruway Authority workers, as well as families of the fallen workers were there to honor the 78 lives lost in the line of duty working on our roads and bridges. Just recently, a Thruway Authority employee lost his life in an accident with an oncoming tractor-trailer outside Rochester, with another Thruway Authority employee severely injured in the accident as well. The message from the event's speakers was to remind the public to slow down, move over when entering a work zone on a road or highway, as it saves lives.



Behind The Scenes



On Thursday, April 25th, Assemblyman Magnarelli was invited by the White House for President Biden's visit to the MOST in Syracuse to announce the CHIPS Act award for Micron, as the company begins to build their Mega Fab facility in Clay. While attending the event, the Assemblyman caught up with Melinda Person, President of New York State United Teachers; Randi Weingarten, President of American Federation of Teachers; and Senator John Mannion. They were all there to celebrate this landmark occasion for Syracuse and Central New York.

Speaking to Women Voters

On Friday, May 3rd, Assemblyman Magnarelli was invited to speak at the Central New York Chapter of the League of Women Voters Annual Legislative Breakfast. The event took place at the Collegian Hotel located near Syracuse University. Assemblyman Magnarelli was joined by his colleagues: Assemblyman John Lemondes; Assemblyman Al Stirpe; Assemblywoman Pamela Hunter; and Senator John Mannion, as they spoke on the issues that are important to the members of the local chapter of the League of Women Voters.



Honoring a Legend in Our Community



On May 14th, Assemblyman Magnarelli presented Van Robinson with a NYS Assembly citation to honor him as he received the 2024 Governor's Exemplary Volunteer Service Award for Older New Yorkers' Day at the Egg in Albany, NY. Van was honored for his decades of public service to the Syracuse and Central New York communities. Pictured with Assemblyman Magnarelli and Van Robinson is Van's wife, Linda Brown-Robinson.

Advocating For Nurses

Assemblyman Magnarelli recently met with a Delegation from 1199SEIU and Crouse Hospital on "Nursing Lobby Day". Pictured with Assemblyman Magnarelli are Seth Austin and Tori Gushia, nurses from Crouse, and Sara Cooper from 1199SEIU.



Polish Pride



While in Albany, Assemblyman Magnarelli was honored to meet with the Consul General of the Republic of Poland in New York, Adrian Kubicki. Assemblyman Magnarelli and Consul General Kubicki discussed the special relationship shared between New York State and the Republic of Poland and the proud accomplishments of New York's Polish-American community.

Taking Flight

Assemblyman Magnarelli recently visited the Albany airport with Assemblywoman Didi Barrett and representatives of BETA Technologies. Assemblyman Magnarelli and Assemblywoman Barrett were both there to learn about BETA Technology's state-of-the-art all-electric ALIA aircraft.



Meetings in May



Assemblyman Magnarelli met with the group “Beyond Plastics” regarding their support for greater plastic recycling efforts and plastic waste reduction in New York State.



Members of the Police Conference of New York stopped by recently to visit Assemblyman Magnarelli in Albany. Assemblyman Magnarelli proudly supports our brave men and women working in law enforcement.

Keeping You Insured

Assemblyman Magnarelli met with members of the “Big I”, representing independent insurance agents in New York State. Those visiting Assemblyman Magnarelli from the group included: Carrie Shaw; Brian Bixby; William Dee; Michael Abbott; Nick Campbell; Rebecca Bennink; and Jacquie Kaden.



Making the Case for Our Environment



Assemblyman Magnarelli recently met with members of the environmental group, Alliance for a Green Economy, in Syracuse, to discuss important issues related to a transition to renewable energy in New York State.

Electronics Recycling Success!

After a successful Electronics Recycling Event at DestinyUSA's Pink Lot on Saturday, May 18th, Assemblyman Magnarelli wanted to thank everyone who came out to recycle their old home electronics. Assemblyman Magnarelli looks forward to greeting those at his Paper Shredding Event on Saturday, June 1st at Destiny's Pink Lot.



About New York State Assemblyman William B. Magnarelli

Assemblyman William Magnarelli represents the 129th Assembly District, which includes the Northside, Westside, Eastwood, Valley, Outer Comstock and Downtown areas of the City of Syracuse, the Syracuse University area, as well as the towns of Geddes and Van Buren. He first won election in 1998 for an open Assembly seat and has been reelected since then. During his terms in office, Assemblyman Magnarelli has focused his efforts on bringing more jobs to Central New York, lowering taxes, providing our children a better education at every level, improving our healthcare and keeping our families safe. For more information, contact Assemblyman Magnarelli's District Office at (315) 428-9651 or visit <http://www.assembly.state.ny.us/magnarelli>.

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