

Intro. Res. No. 1429-2015

Laid on Table 5/12/2015

Introduced by Presiding Officer, on request of the County Executive and Legislators Krupski, Anker

**RESOLUTION NO. 488 -2015, APPOINTING BROOKHAVEN TOWN SUPERVISOR EDWARD P. ROMAINE AS A MEMBER OF THE LONG ISLAND REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCIL**

**WHEREAS**, Resolution No. 636-2005, adopted by the County of Suffolk on June 8, 2005, and entitled "Re-organizing and Strengthening the Nassau-Suffolk Regional Planning Board, and Renaming the Board, "The Long Island Regional Planning Council," as amended by Resolution No. 1097-2007, adopted by the County of Suffolk on November 30, 2007, provides for the appointment of six members to be appointed from Suffolk County and six members to be appointed from Nassau County to provide for greater and more diverse citizen input through an expanded Board, greater accountability, and more sharply focused goals and responsibilities; and

**WHEREAS**, Nassau County has adopted an Ordinance, as amended, which is substantially similar to Resolution No. 636-2005, as amended by Resolution No. 1097-2007; and

**WHEREAS**, the members appointed to the Long Island Regional Planning Council by Suffolk County shall include a supervisor of a town within Suffolk County and a mayor of a village within Suffolk County; and

**WHEREAS**, all members appointed should have a background in Engineering, Real Estate Development, Construction, Economic Development, Energy Planning and Analysis, law, local government, Environmental Protection, Health Care Planning, Transportation Planning or Regional Planning, and include members from a broad cross section of interests within the Suffolk County region, but not more than two (2) members shall be from the same type of professional background; and

**WHEREAS**, the term of office held by the Riverhead Town Supervisor, who was appointed via Resolution No. 209-2011, expired on April 4, 2014 and the Supervisor is in holdover status; and

**WHEREAS**, County Executive Steven Bellone has appointed Brookhaven Town Supervisor Edward P. Romaine, currently residing in Center Moriches, New York 11934, as a member of the Long Island Regional Planning Council for the remainder of the three-year term of office left by the Riverhead Town Supervisor; now, therefore be it

**1<sup>st</sup> RESOLVED**, that the appointment of Brookhaven Town Supervisor Edward P. Romaine, currently residing in Center Moriches, New York 11934, as a member of the Long Island Regional Planning Council with a background in local government, is hereby approved, pursuant to Resolution No. 636-2005, as amended by Resolution No. 1097-2007, and to expire on April 4, 2017 or at the end of his term of elective office, whichever is shorter.

DATED: June 2, 2015

APPROVED BY:

/s/ Steven Bellone  
County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: June 17, 2015