



Leadership that works for us.

- *Cutting Taxes and Spending*
- *Protecting Families* • *Ensuring Vital Services*
- *Preserving Water Quality and Environment*

Re-elect **Peter Harckham**

Our County Legislator

*Serving Bedford, Lewisboro, Mount Kisco,
Pound Ridge, North Salem and Somers*

Election Day — Tuesday, November 8th

A Record of Leadership Working for Us

A political leader should be measured by his accomplishments in office. When we first elected Pete Harckham to represent us four years ago, he said he would focus on three priorities: reducing the size and cost of government while maintaining vital services; protecting our fragile drinking water supplies; and keeping our families safe. By building bipartisan consensus, Pete has delivered with an impressive list of accomplishments. And with new challenges ahead, it's more important than ever to re-elect Pete Harckham.

Cutting Taxes, Reducing Spending and Reforming Government

- ✓ Delivered a 2011 budget that reduced County taxes -2.2%, cut spending by \$30 million, and protected vital services in public health and safety from reckless budget cuts.



- ✓ Reduced the County workforce by 10%, saving taxpayers tens of millions of dollars annually.
- ✓ Saved taxpayers millions of dollars through reform of County employee benefits package.



- ✓ Opposed county executive's plan to give \$18,000 raises to two political appointees.
- ✓ Slashed \$20 million from the previous administration's 2010 budget and voted against any tax increase for the year.
- ✓ Cut the Board of Legislators budget by 11% in '09 and '10.
- ✓ Successfully passed term limits legislation limiting the number of terms for legislators and the county executive.

Protecting Our Families

- ✓ Toughened DWI penalties in Westchester.
- ✓ Saved the Department of Emergency Services and Crime Lab from reckless budget cuts.
- ✓ Protected teens from alcohol and substance abuse.
- ✓ Prevented mortgage foreclosure for hundreds of Westchester families.
- ✓ Cosponsored property tax relief to volunteer emergency first-responders and veterans.



Preserving Water Quality and Our Environment

- ✓ Obtained nearly \$11 million from outside sources for water quality protection in northeast Westchester, including \$10 million for creation of Peach Lake sewer district.
- ✓ Negotiated a comprehensive septic management plan to protect water quality—and saved towns hundreds of thousands of dollars in administration costs.
- ✓ Funded water quality improvement projects in Somers and Bedford.
- ✓ Protected fragile watersheds by reducing phosphorus in lawn fertilizer.
- ✓ Expanded recycling to allow for all plastics with numbers 3 through 7.
- ✓ Fought for aircraft noise monitoring in Pound Ridge to gauge impacts of FAA airspace redesign over northern Westchester.



- ✓ Created energy efficiency audits to save homeowners money and to spur green job creation in Westchester.



*For an expanded list of what Pete has accomplished for us, visit: PeteHarckham.com/issues.

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Democratic and
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Pete Harckham. Experienced leadership we can count on.

- ✓ A fiscal conservative who reduced the tax burden on local residents and businesses
- ✓ A respected leader who protects our drinking water and understands good environmental policy is good fiscal policy
- ✓ A concerned father and husband who puts the needs of our children and families first
- ✓ A local business owner who made our local economy stronger
- ✓ A community volunteer with an established record, both in and out of government, of encouraging public-private partnerships to provide community services
- ✓ A county legislator who builds bipartisan consensus to find solutions to complex problems



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