

## SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATURE

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Mr. Fred Gorman, Chairman  
Nesconset-Sachem Civic Association Inc.  
PO Box 372  
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Dear Mr. Gorman:

I am writing to you today regarding the August 22<sup>nd</sup> "Wet Without Relief" initiative launching meeting. Due to scheduling a conflict, I will not be able to attend this meeting. However, I wanted to reassure you that I am concerned about the health and safety of the community and am here to assist with those concerns.

As I am sure you are aware, a large part of the affected community falls under the jurisdiction of Suffolk County Legislator Kennedy but there are numerous residences in my district that are affected by these flooding issues. I want all interested parties to know that in my final days as an elected official I will continue to work with my colleague, Legislator Kennedy to establish a solution for the problems that our residents in the towns of Brookhaven, Islip and Smithtown are currently facing.

Again, I apologize for being unable to attend the meeting. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact my office at 854-9292. Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Joseph T. Caracappa", is written over the word "Sincerely,".

**JOSEPH T. CARACAPPA**  
Legislator, Fourth District

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