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If you're like me, you are concerned about the future of our region and our nation. From the continued threat of terrorism abroad, recession at home, and the climbing costs of government, each passing year brings new challenges and presses the need for better solutions. More than ever, we need a new voice of leadership. That is why I support Lee Zeldin in his campaign to become our next congressman.

At a time when too many of our residents find it harder than ever to remain on Long Island, Lee is committed to addressing our region's increasing cost of living and the difficult burden it places on our many seniors, young people, and working families. He strongly opposes the profligate taxing and spending policies of Congress, which has cost Long Islanders their hard-earned dollars. If elected, Lee would seek an end to wasteful spending and to permanently extend the tax cuts of 2001 and 2003.

Lee also has an understanding of national issues indispensable for a congressional representative. I am most impressed by his distinguished record of military service and his demonstrated commitment to the welfare of the brave men and women who wear the uniform of the Armed Forces.

Sworn-in as the youngest attorney in New York State at the time, Lee was commissioned as a second lieutenant in the Military Intelligence Corps of the United States Army. He later served in the Judge Advocate General's Corps and subsequently joined the 82nd Airborne Division. In the summer of 2006, he was deployed to Iraq with an infantry battalion of fellow paratroopers and served on the front lines in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. There he forged an essential sense of teamwork and camaraderie that has not left him.

At this critical time, we are fortunate to have a candidate with the vision, leadership, and hope of Lee Zeldin. Please join me this Election Day as we look forward to a new path for the first congressional district.

Sincerely,

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