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On behalf of the Saugerties Conservative Party, I'd like to thank the Saugerties' voters who came out to support the Republican-Conservative candidates in the 2021 election. Unfortunately, not all our candidates were successful, but to those who were, "Congratulations to you, as well." Regrettably, Greg Roque was sidelined with Covid, thus his ability to get out and campaign was severely limited. Greg has so much to offer, so we hope that he will continue to find ways to serve our community. And we'd like to give a very special thank you to Al Bruno, who diligently served his constituents as their legislator for the past two years. Al Bruno has been an asset to this entire community during his years of service as legislator; we encourage him to stay involved and continue supporting the causes of our community. We are happy to say that long-time favorite in Legislative District-3, Dean Fabiano, will continue as legislator.

We are so proud and extremely honored to have Zach Horton, our true registered Conservative candidate, and Peg Nau elected to the town board for a four-year term. What a breath of fresh air it will be to have these two dynamic people on board. Once again, we want to extend our thanks to Supervisor Costello for his praise and endorsement of Peg Nau when she was appointed to the town board last year to fill the vacancy of Paul Andreassen. Costello stated, "Peg is a very valuable member for the town board." LeAnne Thornton echoed that praise as well, and the voters obviously agree.

And finally, congratulations to Lisa Stanley, re-elected as a competent town clerk, and a special thanks to our new and extremely qualified highway superintendent, Raymond Mayone. Job well done.

The Saugerties Town Board is no longer controlled by one political party, and that's a good thing. The board now consists of: two Democrats, one Republican, one non-enrolled, and one Conservative. Now that elections are over and the people have chosen their representatives, let's put politics aside and work together to make Saugerties a better place to live and raise our children and support all our first responders.

George Heidcamp, Chairman