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Legislator Brian B. Cahill Appointed To Inter-Agency Council On Domestic Violence

Chairman David Donaldson announced today that Majority Leader Brian B. Cahill (D-Ulster) has been appointed as the Legislative representative on the newly formed *Inter-Agency Council on Domestic Violence*. Chairman Donaldson said "Legislator Cahill has been aggressive and a leader in the fight against Domestic violence in our community. I am sure Brian will represent the Legislature with an even and firm voice in helping to create or amend policies and procedures to help curb this ever increasing tragedy".

Cahill said, "I look forward to working with the council in an official capacity. As domestic violence cases are increasing dramatically, I would like to see more of a focus on education and prevention to break the cycle of domestic violence in our community". Cahill added, "We must also increase our capacity to help the victims of domestic violence who are often times left with no where else to turn and not enough help to get them through."

The appointment takes effect immediately.

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