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Ulster County Legislature Chairman Frederick J. Wadnola Declares August 2010 Volunteer Month In Ulster County



Chairman Wadnola unveils the Legislative Proclamation that is currently on display in the lobby of the Ulster County Office Building, 244 Fair Street, Kingston, NY

Kingston, NY- To inspire, recognize and encourage those who improve lives and communities across our great county, Frederick J. Wadnola, Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature, has proclaimed August 2010 Volunteer Month in Ulster County.

There are so many organizations and individuals to honor that a single day or week would not be enough time to encourage individual communities to join Ulster County in recognizing the importance of their volunteers said Chairman Wadnola.

To kick off this month-long celebration, Sam Magarelli, member of the Board of Directors of the Woodstock Volunteers' Day Committee, addressed Ulster County residents at the last monthly Legislative Meeting. "Within our communities there are wonderful volunteers with many different philosophies, religious beliefs and political opinions, and they set aside their differences, stand side-by-side and generously help us," said Magarelli. "So after feeding the hungry, responding to emergencies at all hours of the day and night, performing many necessary town services, caring for our sick and dying, protecting and maintaining the Arts, they deserve to be honored," he continued.

Volunteerism provides an appreciation for community, instills a respect for life and humanity, and creates a bond that transcends generations. Pride, satisfaction and accomplishment are just a few of the invaluable benefits gained when serving your community.

Despite the many kindhearted Ulster County residents who volunteer with various organizations, there is always a need for more assistance. To find out how you can get involved, please contact:

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An eye-catching banner signifying Volunteer Month hangs outside the County Office Building, 244 Fair Street, Kingston, NY.