



MINORITY CAUCUS
NASSAU COUNTY LEGISLATURE
1550 FRANKLIN AVENUE
MINEOLA, NEW YORK 11501

February 1, 2022

The Honorable Michaelle Solages
New York State Assembly
1690 Central Court
Valley Stream, NY 11580

Re: Letter in Support of A5100

Dear Assembly Member Solages:

We the undersigned members of the Minority Caucus of the Nassau County Legislature write in strong support of your bill (A5100) to enhance the existing Senior Citizen Homeowners' Exemption (SCHE), and the Disabled Homeowners' Exemption (DHE) programs. This bill, which would authorize Nassau County to grant a fifty percent property-tax assessment reduction to limited income senior or disabled property owners earning up to fifty thousand dollars a year, is an important initiative to assist the most economically vulnerable residents of Nassau. Especially in this time of a sharply rising cost of living and continued pandemic hardships in our County, this bill will afford much needed tax relief to many of our seniors and disabled residents. We look forward eagerly to adopting local legislation implementing this law once the state has acted.

Sincerely,

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