

KPCA representatives tour the old Kings Park Psychiatric Center property with State Parks Commissioner Ash

On October 4th, KPCA representatives toured the Nissequogue River State Park/old KPPC grounds with State Parks Commissioner Carol Ash to express our desire for redevelopment of the site as parkland. After successfully getting the Long Island Association to cancel their tour of the property, the KPCA was one of two area civic groups to be invited by Commissioner Ash to proceed with the tour. Kings Park Civic Association President Mike Rosato personally invited the Presidents of both the San Remo Civic Association and the Fort Salonga Civic Association to join the tour. The KPCA continues their desire to Always network with other area civic groups for a common goal. Local officials, historians, environmental advocates and representatives of the Kings Park Chamber of Commerce and Kings Park Heritage Museum also joined the tour. Every KPCA officer as well as about 15 other KPCA members came down to greet Commissioner Ash. The KPCA representatives continued to express our desire to “Keep the Park in Kings Park” throughout the tour.