



**NEWS FROM THE OFFICE OF
ULSTER COUNTY EXECUTIVE MIKE HEIN**



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**COUNTY EXECUTIVE MIKE HEIN SELECTED PRESIDENT-ELECT OF THE
NEW YORK STATE COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S ASSOCIATION**

Albany, N.Y -- County Executive Mike Hein has been elected to serve as the President-Elect of the New York State County Executive's Association today. The County Executive was elected at the groups fall meeting by fellow County Executives. Hein will serve a one year term as President-Elect and is anticipated to be President of the organization in 2013.

"As President-Elect of the County Executive's Association, I will continue to fight aggressively for mandate reform and property tax relief" said County Executive Mike Hein. "I am privileged to serve in this capacity. In county government, we as County Executives face many of the same issues and I look forward to working together with my colleagues as we work to protect taxpayers and provide essential services to people in need"

"County Executive Hein's leadership has been a tremendous asset to the County Executive's Association," said NYSAC Executive Director Stephen J. Acquario. "I look forward to working hand-in-hand with County Executive Hein in 2012, as we fight for all New York counties for much needed mandate relief."

NYSAC is the leading advocacy organization for New York's sixty two counties. The organization represents the issues of county officials and sponsors many educational programs.

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Attachment 1: Picture of Ulster County Executive Mike Hein