



Maureen Sheehan

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- 2. for Ulster County Legislator, District 1
- 3. No party affiliation; on Democratic line
- 4. Rondout Valley School Board (1994-), currently serving as Vice President
- 5. Childcare Director, Community Circle of Friends Child Care Center, Ellenville; Licensed Practical Nurse, Ellenville Children's Annex, working with children with disabilities
- 6. -
- 7. Owning a family weekend home since 1981 in the town of Rochester, permanent residency since 1993.
- 8. KARE (Kerhonkson Action to Revitalize 12446)

- 1. I am running to ensure a quality life for our children and their families.
- 2. My greatest strength is my background in budgeting, and asking hard-nosed questions without rubber-stamping.
- 3. Maintaining educational goals; seeking responsible economic growth; and protecting our natural environment.

1-2. I think there are really no short-term issues; I think all the issues have long-term effect, for example, taxes, gambling, economic reform. I think the most important issue is Open Government and Communication. Behind-closed-door decision-making, and voting along party lines has not helped our community. Discussion on the issues should take place in front of all voting members so that each has the perspective of all.

3. Revitalizing our community by attracting quality-paying jobs that benefit both the consumer and the taxpayer. I don't see gambling being the answer.

4. Responsible decision-making would cut taxes and budgets. For example, questioning the necessity of a new jail and what the long-term effects and costs are to the local taxpayers.



The Elks Lodge in Napanoch added a new low-maintenance deck to their building, expanding the space available for the many local organizations that use the facility.



Joe Stoeckeler

1. Joseph P. Stoeckeler, Jr.

- 2. for Ulster County Legislator, District 1
- 3. Democrat; plus Conservative and Independence lines
- 4. Wawarsing Town Supervisor (1990-93, 1998-99); Ellenville Village Trustee (1985-89)
- 5. Director of Planning and Plant Operations at Ellenville Regional Hospital; Stoeckeler Realty and Property Management
- 6. -
- 7. Lifelong area resident; AS in Business Administration from Ulster County Community College; 1983 Honors graduate of Marist College with a BS in Business Administration; currently pursuing MS degree in Public Administration at Marist
- 8. Fantinekill Cemetery Association, Board of Directors; the Cragmoor Association

- 1. Disappointed with the current leadership.
- 2. My education and experience.
- 3. Objective decision making.

- 1. Short-term: frivolous expenditures, lack of concern for health care / hospitals.
- 2. Lack of due diligence on casino issue, lack of concern for health care / hospitals.
- 3. Seed money for infrastructure.
- 4. Prudent spending.

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Mel Tapper

1. Melyvn I. Tapper

- 2. for Ulster County Legislator, District 1
- 3. Republican
- 4. Town of Rochester Planning Board for 13 years, was chairman for three years
- 5. Court Reporter for last 22 years; presently a Senior Court Reporter for the NYS Unified Court System, assigned to NYS Supreme Court in Kingston
- 6. Married for 32 years; a daughter (27, dental assistant), a son (22, senior at SUNY Albany); two grandchildren
- 7. I have lived in the Kerhonkson/Accord area most of my life; graduated Rondout Valley HS, attended Ithaca College; after college I became co-owner and operator of my parents' family farm
- 8. Member of the Kerhonkson Synagogue, and am a past treasurer; Hudson River Maritime Museum; Friends of Historic Rochester; various fishing and boating clubs

- 1. I love the county and I want to see it prosper. I want our children to be able to find good paying jobs and affordable homes so that they can remain in the area.
- 2. My diverse and varied background. I have hands-on business experience, legal experience, and planning experience. I am open-minded and receptive to listening to the opinions of others and would always seek input from the citizens of my district before making any major decisions involving them. What affects the people in the district affects me. And I believe I have common sense to know when a duck is a duck.
- 3. Being a sportsman, I am very concerned about our environment and clean water.

- 1 & 2. A shortage of affordable housing. It has become increasingly difficult for low-to-middle income families to buy a home or even rent a decent apartment. Economy and employment are also major issues.
- 3. The county has many incentive programs already in place to lure businesses here. We are advertised as an economic development county. We have the UCDC, the Economic Development Committee, the Empire Zone, and the IDA. The county also has a "shovel ready" program to help with water and sewer hookups for new construction. There are HUD grants available. These programs must continue to be touted to the business sector. We also have to keep supporting our tourism industry to keep it alive and well.
- 4. We must make sure there is no duplication in county government, make sure all the fat is trimmed from the various departments, and keep a tight rein and oversight on capital improvements and expenditures.