

Mike Martucci, our newly elected State Senator for the 42nd NYS Senate District, including all of Sullivan County and parts of Orange, Ulster and Delaware counties. Senator Martucci is also a ranking member of the Senate Committees on Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities plus Small Business and Commerce and Economic Development.

At the age of 22, Mike took his life savings and a start-up loan, and opened Quality Bus Service, a school bus company, and his first employee was his grandmother, and Mike was the bus driver, providing service to Greenwood Lake Union Free School District in Orange County. Raised with a great work ethic, Mike grew Quality Bus Service to over 550 employees with more than 350 school buses that provided reliable and quality transportation service to thousands of local school children each day.

Senator Martucci grew up in the Town of Minisink and has always made Orange County his home. First and foremost, Mike is a dedicated family man who believes in giving back to his community through volunteerism, teaching and philanthropy. In 2019, Mike and his wife Erin established The Michael and Erin Martucci Family Foundation and dedicated \$250,000 to help support local women and children in need, farmers, job creation, and education.

Mike is also a member of the Board of Directors and Vice President of the SUNY Orange Foundation, which provides scholarships for students seeking a college education. He also chairs the annual SUNY Orange Golfing for Scholarships event to raise money for the college's athletic scholarship fund. Mike and his family were directly impacted by the tragic events of 9/11 and because of this, his family established the Michelle Rene Bratton Foundation to provide college scholarships for children who live in Orange, Sullivan, and Ulster Counties. Michelle was his wife, Erin's sister.

As a family farmer himself, Mike recognizes the needs of our local farmers, and is a steward of our environment. Senator Martucci will continue work to preserve open space for future generations.

Mike and his wife Erin, a school counselor, are raising their three children, son Mike Jr., and daughters Elizabeth and Catherine locally right in New Hampton, in the Town of Wawayanda.

Mike obtained his Master of Business Administration and his Bachelor of Science at Marist College. Prior to Marist College, Mike graduated with honors from Orange County Community College.

In Albany, Senator Martucci will be laser focused on the issues that matter most to working families including eliminating property taxes for our seniors, repealing New York's dangerous bail reform laws and ensuring we get our fair share of state education aid and other important resources. Albany has been too focused on the needs of New York City the last two years and Senator Martucci plans to be a strong voice for change.