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Senator Flanagan Obtains Funding for UCP Suffolk

Hauppauge, NY ...New York State Senator John Flanagan (2nd District) recently obtained \$66,000 in state funding for United Cerebral Palsy of Suffolk (UCP). The money will be used by UCP to purchase and install new software to meet the organization's growing human resource and administrative needs. The upgrades include a new exchange server, new financial system and enhancements to the email communication software. The new operating system will better enable UCP to electronically maintain the personnel records and credentials of its growing staff of nearly 1,000.

"UCP Suffolk is grateful to Senator Flanagan for his long time friendship and continued support," said Stephen H. Friedman, CEO. "As we continue to expand our services and staff, the management of personnel information becomes more challenging. The funds obtained by Senator Flanagan will enable us to enhance the infrastructure needed to maintain the exemplary quality of service currently being provided to individuals with disabilities through UCP's programs and services."

About United Cerebral Palsy

UCP Suffolk, based in Hauppauge, NY, assists more than 4,000 children and adults with disabilities and their families annually. For information, visit www.ucp-suffolk.org or call 631-232-0011.

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