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*****FIRST OF ALL, AS CHAIRMAN OF THE CORPORATIONS COMMITTEE APPROVAL OF ALL LEGISLATION MUST AND WILL BE CLEARED WITH YOU PRIOR TO PASSAGE. MY LOYALTY IS AND WILL BE TO YOU AS A MAJORITY LEADER THAT I BELIEVE IN. I BELIEVE THAT I HAVE THE ABILITY TO CAST A POSITIVE LIGHT BOTH ON YOU AND ON THIS NEW LEADERSHIP TEAM.**

****CAN AND HAVE MAINTAINED A CONFIDENCE LEVEL ON ISSUES OF CONFIDENTIALITY.**

ROLE IN PRIMARY ELECTIONS-EVERYTHING DONE THAT WAS ASKED AND MORE DONATIONS, TELEPHONE CALLS, SIGN LOCATIONS, LETTERS, MEDIA SUGGESTIONS *TOCCO VIDEO TAPES**

RUGGERIO - PRIOR TO PRIMARY I REPORTED THAT RUGGERIO WOULD BREAK A TIE IF THERE WAS A DEADLOCK. AFTER ONE MONTH OF DAILY WORK THAT BECAME REALITY AND IT BROUGHT ALONG BADEAU AND COTE AND THE REST!!!

MY LIFE- LONG RELATIONSHIP WITH RUGGERIO AND THROUGH MY COUSIN ANDREW ANNALDO THAT WAS ACCOMPLISHED. AFTER THE ARTICLE APPEARED IN THE NEWSPAPER -THE DAY OF TOCCO'S FUNERAL - WHERE IT WAS CONFIRMED A DEADLOCK(TIE); I GOT THE PROCESS MOVING FROM A NORTH PROVIDENCE BREAKFAST DINER WITH A TELEPHONE CALL WITH SEN. MONTALBANO PRESENT TO MOVE THE PROCESS - RUGGERIO CAME HOME ONE DAY EARLY FROM HIS TRIP - I MET WITH HIM ON THAT DAY AND AGAIN THE NEXT AT HIS MOTHER'S HOME AND STRESSED THE IMPORTANCE TO GET THIS DONE NOW IN ORDER TO RELIEVE SOME OF THE PRESSURE THAT WAS ON TOM CODERRE AT THE TIME. THAT MONDAY, RUGGERIO WENT IN TO KELLY AND TOLD HIM OF HIS SUPPORT FOR YOU AND THE REST IS HISTORY.

I BELIEVE THAT WITHOUT THIS EVENT THE VICTORY MIGHT NOT HAVE BEEN ACCOMPLISHED - ESPECIALLY IN LIGHT OF RON COIA'S RELATIONSHIP WITH KELLY.

*******EXPERIENCE:**

18 YEARS LOCAL GOVERNMENT; COUNCIL PRESIDENT; CHAIR OF ALL COUNCIL COMMITTEES; CHAIR OF BUILDING COMMITTEES - AM ABLE TO LEAD A COMMITTEE WITH DIRECTION MUCH LIKE YOU AND KEEP CONTROL OF THE COMMITTEE PROCESS.

6 YEARS IN SENATE - ENTERING INTO MY 25TH YEAR OF ELECTED OFFICE.

CAN HANDLE LARGE GROUPS AND AM ABLE TO SAY "NO" WHEN NECESSARY. TOM LYNCH EXAMPLE.....

25 YEARS BUSINESS EXPERIENCE

GRADUATE OF PROVIDENCE COLLEGE

EXPERIENCE IN HEALTH CARE - VILLAGE

******* ABLE TO BRING BUSINESS, LABOR, GOVERNMENT AND COMMUNITY LEADERS TOGETHER TO FORM A CONSENSUS. THIS DONE THROUGH WHAT I BELIEVE IS EARNED RESPECT.**

****** EXAMPLE: RECENT ENERGY SUMMIT -- PUT TOGETHER IN LESS THAN A WEEK ASSEMBLED A GUEST LIST; DEVELOPED THE TOPIC AND KEPT IT ON TRACK AND WAS ABLE TO GET ALL 10 PANELISTS INVOLVED IN THE DISCUSSION -- WHILE UNDER THE MICROSCOPE OF "LIFE" CABLE TELEVISION WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF ALL LOCAL MEDIA IN ATTENDANCE.**

*****ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT HAS AND ALWAYS WILL BE A PARAMOUNT CONCERN --- AND I HAVE DISPLAYED THE COURAGE OF MY CONVICTIONS. FOR EXAMPLE ACTION TO MAINTAIN BRYANT AS THE TRAINING CAMP FOR THE PATRIOTS; THE STADIUM COMMISSION; THE ENERGY CRISIS AND HEALTH CARE.**

****HAVE BEEN ABLE TO TAKE ON LARGE CHALLENGES AND SUCCEED - E.G. WOONASQUATUCKET RIVER - ON ITS WAY TO BEING CLEANED UP - THROUGH FEDERAL FUNDING - AWARDED THE EPA'S HIGHEST AWARD FOR WORK DURING CEREMONY AT FANUEIL HALL IN BOSTON, MAY 2000.**

*****INVITED TO APPEAR ON ALL LOCAL NEWS PROGRAMS. CHANNEL 10'S NEWS CONFERENCE; CHANNEL 12'S NEWS MAKERS AND CHANNEL 6'S TRUMAN TAYLOR SHOW.**

****TESTIFIED BEFORE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES REGARDING FUNDING FOR SENIOR HOUSING ASSISTANCE AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT**

****WHILE RECOGNIZING THE FACT THAT THERE WAS A CORE WHO GOT US HERE, I AS YOU WILL TRY TO LEAD IN AN INCLUSIVE FASHION. FOR INSTANCE, WOULD LIKE TO MEET INDIVIDUALLY WITH COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRIOR TO EACH SESSION TO LEARN ABOUT THEIR ISSUES OF IMPORTANCE.**

******WOULD LIKE TO DISCUSS WITH YOU THE POSSIBILITY TO BRINGING COMMITTEE MEETINGS INTO CITIES AND TOWNS - WOULD BE AN EXCELLENT PUBLIC RELATIONS MOVE AND WOULD SHOW THAT WE ARE REACHING OUT TO THE PEOPLE THAT WE REPRESENT.**

AM LOOKING AT THIS AS A CHANCE TO LEAD WITH YOU AND AS A RESPONSIBLITY
AND A CHALLENGE, NOT FOR POWER.
***MOST IMPORTANT AM LOOKING FORWARD WITH YOU TO LEAD RHODE ISLAND
AND THE SENATE FORWARD.

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