

## **KPCA gets the LIA and Newsday to cancel their tour of the old KPPC property**

The Long Island Association who has advocated affordable housing on the Old KPPC property had secretly planned a meeting with Newsday to tour the site. When NY State Parks Commissioner Carol Ash found out, she insisted to go along with them. Local civic groups (one being the KPCA) found out and applied the pressure to finally get the LIA to back out of the tour. The KPCA spread the word throughout the community that the LIA was trying to build affordable housing on parkland. Commissioner Ash decided to go ahead with her own tour and invite the KPCA to join her. The tour was set for October 4<sup>th</sup>.