



World T'ai Chi & Qigong Day - Patchogue

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE!

Re: **12th YEAR OF WORLD T'AI CHI & QIGONG DAY – PATCHOGUE HONORED BY VILLAGE MAYOR AND TRUSTEES**



World T'ai Chi and Qigong Day – Patchogue at Shorefront Park (April 28, 2012): William Hilton, Village of Patchogue Commissioner of Parks & Recreation and Trustee, with Robert Calarco, Suffolk County Legislature – 7th District, looking on, presented Event Coordinator Laurince McElroy, of Water Tiger School of T'ai Chi Ch'uan in Patchogue, with a Proclamation from the Honorable Paul V. Pontieri, Jr., Mayor of Patchogue, and the Village Board of Trustees. The proclamation acknowledges the health benefits of the Chinese arts and recognizes April 28th as World T'ai Chi and Qigong Day in Patchogue. Mr. Hilton expressed the village's thanks for the annual event, celebrating its 12th year in the village and its 13th year worldwide, and for the work put forth by Mr. McElroy on an annual basis. Event organizers also received a letter-of-support from Senator Kirsten E. Gillibrand, as well as proclamations from the NYS Senate and the Suffolk County Legislature.

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