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Congressman Peter King to Visit RI for Loughlin Campaign

John Loughlin, Republican candidate for Congress in RI-1 today announced that Congressman Peter King (R-NY-3) will be coming to Rhode Island on September 2nd for two events on behalf of Loughlin's campaign for Congress.

"Congressman King is a great leader on key issues that affect Rhode Island's economy and jobs outlook," said Loughlin. "His leadership on the homeland security and financial services committees resonates with our contractors on Aquidneck Island and our folks at the Fidelity campus in Smithfield. I look forward to welcoming him for his first visit to Rhode Island and talking with him about our role in these important areas."

Congressman King is Ranking Member on the Homeland Security Committee and serves on the Financial Services Committee and the Permanent Select Intelligence Committee. Congressman King has been a leader in efforts to relocate the proposed mosque near Ground Zero.

Attached please find Congressman King's full biography and invitations for the two events.

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Congressman Peter T. King

Congressman Peter T. King, a Republican, is serving his ninth term in the U.S. House of Representatives.

Rep. King is **Ranking Member of the Homeland Security Committee** and also serves on the **Financial Services Committee** and **Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence**. Congressman King has been a leader in the ongoing effort to have Homeland Security funding based on threat analysis and is a strong supporter of the war against international terrorism, both at home and abroad. As Chairman of the Homeland Security Committee he brought about vital legislation regarding port security and chemical plant security. In this Congress he has led the effort to restore funding to the Secure the Cities Program to protect the New York-Long Island region from nuclear dirty bomb attacks.

Rep. King is a strong supporter of our military and has fought hard to bring veterans' benefits into the 21st century. Congressman King has been a consistent leader in the fight against illegal immigration and a strong supporter of funding to combat deadly illnesses such as breast cancer and prostate cancer. He has also received the AARP's Legislative Leadership Award for combating elder abuse and exploitation.

During his years in Congress, Rep. King has attained a reputation for being well-informed and independent. The New York Daily News has said that "Pete King is as knowledgeable as they come about terrorism and the need for emergency preparedness," while the New York Post has credited Rep. King as being "smart and solid and a long time student of terrorism and homeland security matters." Even Newsday has admitted that Congressman King is a "stand-up guy who isn't shy about tangling with the powerful, even those in his own party. King has become a national figure who delivers for the region and his district."

Prior to serving in Congress, Pete King was elected to three terms as the Comptroller of Nassau County. Before serving in county government, Rep. King had extensive experience as a practicing attorney and civic leader. He began his political career in November 1977 by winning election to the Hempstead Town Council.

Peter T. King was born on April 5, 1944 and is a graduate of St. Francis College, Brooklyn, and the University of Notre Dame Law School. He is a lifelong resident of New York and has lived in Nassau County for more than 40 years. Rep. King and his wife, Rosemary, reside in Seaford. They have two adult children and two grandchildren.

Please Join Jeffrey M. Grybowski

and Special Guest

Congressman Peter King (R-NY-3)

Ranking Member, Committee on Homeland Security

Committee on Financial Services

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence

*for a Boardroom Discussion on
the Impact of the 2010 Congressional Elections on Future Financial Services Reform
and supporting*

John Loughlin

Republican Candidate for Congress (RI-1)

September 2, 2010 from 11am -12pm

Suggested contribution:
PAC and Hosts \$500, Individuals \$200

**Hinckley, Allen & Snyder LLP
50 Kennedy Plaza, Suite 1500
Providence, RI 02903**

Light refreshments will be served

RSVP@johnloughlin.org or (401) 383-1818

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Please Join Governor Lincoln Almond

*Ambassador John L. Loeb Jr.
Bob Thistle*

*John Elkhay
Nick Loeb*

to welcome

Congressman Peter King (R-NY-3)

**Ranking Member, Committee on Homeland Security
Committee on Financial Services
Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence**

for a Luncheon in Support of

John Loughlin

Republican Candidate for Congress (RI-1)

September 2, 2010 from 12 to 1:30pm

Suggested contribution:

Hosts \$500, Couples \$200, Individuals \$125

**Ten Prime Steak and Sushi
55 Pine Street
Providence, RI 02903**

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