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GOVERNOR KATHY HOCHUL

**GOVERNOR HOCHUL ANNOUNCES ADDITIONAL \$196 MILLION AWARDED  
THROUGH ROUND XI OF THE REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL  
INITIATIVE**

***Awards Support 488 Projects from Multiple State Agency Programs through  
Round XI to Stimulate New York's Post-Pandemic Recovery***

***Complements \$81 Million in Rolling Empire State Development Funding  
Previously Awarded to Shovel-Ready Regional Projects***

The Friends of Connetquot River State Park Preserve was just awarded \$46,651 in a matching grant for the restoration of the South Side Sportsmens Club Fish Preparation Room located in the Club House that is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The restoration will include repair of the skylight and replacement of tin ceiling details.

This is wonderful news, but now comes the task of raising the matching funds to make this plan a reality! As you consider what to give in response to our Annual Appeal, please keep this project in mind!

Thank you Friends!