



International Trustee Terry White (left) applauds as Gov. Stephen Sirgiiovanni (right) holds up the hand of Gov.-Designate Candace Corsaro following her election as governor for 2017-18.

Lt. Gov.-Designate Bonnie Baker, Past Gov. Joesph Aiello, Lt. Gov. John "Hank" Baker and Gov. Stephen Sirgiiovanni following Hank Baker's election as governor-elect for 2017-18.

# Corsaro, Baker Elected as 2017-18 Leaders

Candace Corsaro was elected 2017-18 Governor and John "Hank" Baker was elected Governor-Elect for 2017-18 during the House of Delegates Saturday.

The votes took place during the District Convention in Lake Placid.

Corsaro was uncontested, while Baker won in a contested election.

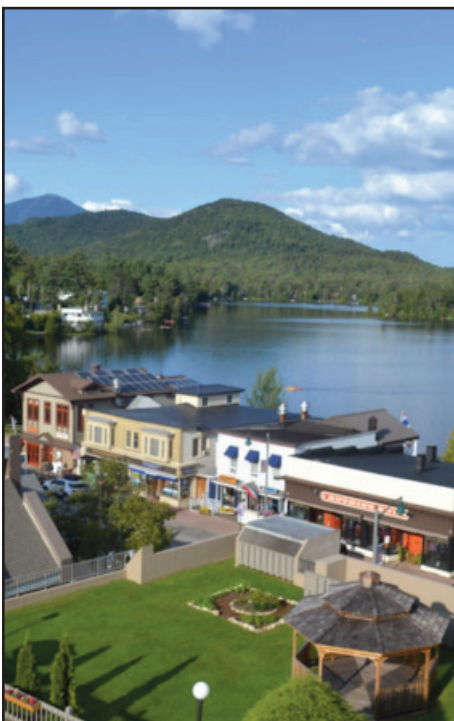
Also during the House of Delegates, the delegates approved a bylaw amendment

which made non-substantial changes to the district's bylaws that were requested by Kiwanis International. The approval came in a voice vote.

A second amendment, which would have segregated \$5 in the district dues already being collected as a fund to pay for the Empire State Kiwanian was more contentious. Proposed by the North Central Kiwanis Club, it was supported by Imme-

diated Past Gov. Forbes Irvine from that club but drew objections from many others.

An amendment was approved changing the date the proposal would be effective from Oct. 1, 2017 to Oct. 1, 2018, but then there was a motion to table the question, and that was approved in a voice vote, ending all consideration of the proposal.



Mirror Lake and downtown Lake Placid.



At left, Gov. Stephen Sirgiiovanni; above, Past Gov. Eric Paul with possible designs.

## Kiwanis License Plates Should be Available Soon

After more than 20 years of work, Kiwanians in the New York District should soon be able to buy special license plates celebrating their Kiwanis membership.

On Aug. 21, Gov. Andrew Cuomo signed a bill to make the Kiwanis plates available, pending completion of a design and arrangements for either a bond or 200 orders to cover the initial cost of the design.

Past Gov. Eric G. Paul, who has worked on the license plate issue for many years, said the preparation work is now being

done. Information on how to order the plates will be made available on the district web site when it is available.

Paul said he began working on the plates in 1994 when he worked for a state legislator. He noted that Gov. George Pataki, a former Key Club member, vetoed the bill.

Paul expressed thanks to state Sen. Patrick Gallivant, R-59, and Assemblyman Michael Miller, D-38, who sponsored the legislation. Miller is a member of the Kiwanis Club of Glendale.