Suffolk Alliance of Sportsmen, Inc.

Suite 7, 101 N. Wellwood Ave. Lindenhurst, NY 11757-400101 The voice of Suffolk County's sportsmen & sportswomen

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Affiliations

Conservation Alliance of NY \Diamond National Rifle Association of America \Diamond NYS Conservation Council \Diamond NY Sportfishing Federation \Diamond NYS Conservation Officers' Association \Diamond NYS Crossbow Hunters' Association \Diamond NYS Rifle & Pistol Association ◊ NYS Sportsman Education Foundation ◊ NYS Trappers' Association ◊ Suffolk County Sportsmen's Advisory Council \Diamond Theodore Roosevelt Conservation Alliance \Diamond United Gamefish Anglers \Diamond Wildlife Legislative Fund

Associate (Individual) Membership Application

Annual calendar year or part thereof membership dues are \$30, with an electronic Newsletter or \$60, with a *snail-mailed Newsletter*

(Please print or type all answers) Name _____ Mailing address _____ Town _____State ____ Zip code _____ **E-mail**: (for our electronic-based *Newsletter*) Phone [work] () [home] ()

Please send me _____ embroidered, 3-color **SASI** patches @ \$3.50 each and _____ 3-color **SASI** decals @ 2.00 each, payment for which is added to my membership check.

Reasons why you should be a member of SASI

- ♦ A representative of *SASI* attends each meeting of the *New York State Conservation Council (NYSCC)* and takes an active part in its deliberations. Important accomplishments include:
 - convincing 61 of New York's 65 counties to vote in opposition to a saltwater fishing license and
 - ❖ obtaining the *NYSCC*'s support to continue the pheasant stocking program.
- ♦ We were successful in getting Suffolk County to lengthen its deer hunting season, to three weeks;
- ♦ We convinced Suffolk County to open Robert Cushman Park and Montauk County Park, for hunting;
- ♦ The Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) extended its Deer Management Unit (DMU) permit program, to include Long Island, because of SASI's pressure for a second deer, for bow hunters;
- ♦ We attend, participate in and represent our membership's interests, at all saltwater fishing programs held on Long Island;
- ♦ We sponsor the annual *National Hunting & Fishing Day* Expo, for *all* of Long Island;
- ♦ We actively work, with the Suffolk County and NYS Legislatures, to protect and expand your rights;
- ♦ We were responsible for the elimination of Suffolk County's "locked-box" handgun regulations;
- We attend the meetings of, participate in and represent your interests, with the *DEC*;
- ♦ We succeeded in increasing the term of Suffolk-issued pistol licenses, from 3 to 5 years;
- ♦ We put pressure on Suffolk County, for the fishing pier, on *Lake Ronkonkoma*, so that youth and the disabled could better access that lake's facilities:
- ♦ We are members of the Pine Barrens Management Team and
- ♦ We led the negotiations, with the Suffolk Police Department and the Suffolk Sheriff, to obtain the broadened [less restrictive] categories of Suffolk County-issued handgun licenses.

The above is a list of only a *few* of *SASI*'s accomplishments. There are many more.

- ♦ SASI intends to stay on top of the Fire Island deer hunting and deer immuno-contraception controversies;
- ♦ We are continuing our efforts, to make handgun purchase documents easier to obtain;
- ♦ Our bow hunting committee pursues county and state officials, for better recognition of bow hunting needs on Long Island;
- ♦ We continually work, with Suffolk County government and the Suffolk County Sportsmen's Advisory Council, to open more of the public land the county has purchased, to hunting and fishing activities;
- ♦ We are working, with *United Gamefish Anglers, Inc.*, to have the Striped Bass designated as a game fish.

The bottom line: We support and represent you. You tell us what your sport needs are and we will try to accomplish those goals for you. Remember, we can only do it with your support. Please make your check payable to Suffolk Alliance of Sportsmen, Inc. and mail in your membership application, today. Thank you.

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