

Will be a strong voice for families, children and marginalized

To the Editor:

The first time I met Kitley Covill, she was volunteering at the Community Center of Northern Westchester sorting clothes and stocking shelves. In our conversations, she struck me as pragmatic, hardworking and self-effacing. It came as welcome news to me this summer when I learned that Kitley was running for county legislator.

Kitley has a long and impressive résumé of public service — assistant dis-

trict attorney, assistant U.S. attorney, special prosecutor, legal services attorney representing indigent families and children, chief of the family court bureau.

I know that Kitley will work hard to protect the most vulnerable and most valuable. She will be an advocate for families and children, for the environment, and will be a strong voice for those among us who have been marginalized and threatened. That is the type of representation that I want,

and the type of representation that I strongly believe aligns most closely with the values of Westchester County.

National elections naturally get the lion's share of attention. But we have learned that so much depends on local elections, and on the people we choose to serve on town and county bodies. I urge all of my friends and neighbors to vote Nov. 7.

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