



## **New York State Board of Elections Announces New Leadership**

ALBANY, N.Y (04/21/2023) – The Republican Commissioners of the State Board of Elections, Peter S. Kosinski and Anthony J. Casale, today announced the appointment of Raymond J. Riley III as Co-Executive Director of the State Board. Riley currently serves as Chief Clerk of the Brooklyn Borough Office of the New York City Board of Elections where he manages a staff of 200 people as well as a temporary workforce of 15,000 Election Inspectors. The Borough office is responsible for all elections operations in Kings County, the largest voting jurisdiction in the State of New York.

Prior to joining the City Board of Elections, Riley worked in the healthcare field and on the staff of former State Senator Martin Golden. He and his family will be relocating to the Albany area when he assumes his new duties. The Co-Executive Directors of the State Board of Elections oversee and administer all aspects of the State Board Elections including election operations, compliance and legal affairs.

Commissioners Kosinski and Casale said, “Ray Riley brings the right mix of election administration and political experience to help move the State Board of Elections forward. We are confident Ray has demonstrated the leadership qualities the Board needs in this important role in the election community of New York State.”

Raymond Riley said, “I am excited for the opportunity and thank Commissioners Kosinski and Casale for their vote of confidence. I am looking forward to joining the team at the State Board so that we can continue to improve the elections experience for all New Yorkers across the State.”

Riley replaces Todd Valentine who served in that capacity for the last fifteen years and retired earlier this year.

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