

This year, be **INDEPENDENT** in your choice for Mayor. Party Politics just isn't working any more

Cuts to our Police and Fire Departments have resulted in under-staffed shifts with only one or two police officers patrolling the entire town and far too many shifts where the Fire Department cannot respond due to manpower shortages. This puts you and our first responders at risk.

MIKE VERNOTICO: the first candidate in the history of Summit to be endorsed by the Summit Police Officers' PBA. Here's what they said:



"Mike has earned this endorsement by his unwavering position to maintain the highest level of public safety, through the Police & and Fire Departments. Mike speaks truthfully from the heart without regard for partisan politics. Our members would be honored to serve this City under his leadership."

MIKE worked with neighbors to fight the Helipad and created an ordinance to make it difficult for anyone to build one. He joined with the East Summit Association to Fight the Freight Train.

MIKE opposes the plan to spend \$15 million of your taxes to build a parking garage on Woodland Avenue.

MIKE increased programs for Seniors & the Youth Services Programs while saving tax dollars.

MIKE worked with our schools to improve traffic and safety for our children. He has spent the last 16 years coaching 1,000 of our youth and working with our special needs children. Mike initiated creating Upper High School Field and the renovations to Wilson Park and Franklin School playing fields.

MIKE, SHS '64, supports a strong school system.

MIKE supports a Summit kept safe by strong Police & Fire Departments, creation of a Joint Dispatch Center and expansion of shared services with the Millburn FD to cut costs & improve services.

MIKE is the clear leader in ending back room politics and demanding the highest in ethical standards in elected officials.

On election day, ask yourself, is it "partisan politics as usual?" or as Mike believes:

"It's all about Summit all the time!"

Mike Vernotico for Mayor, Summit's INDEPENDENT Choice

Please visit www.mikevernotico.com

With MIKE it's ALL SUMMIT All the Time

A PROUD HILLTOPPER '64 ...FOREVER

Dear Friend,

*I have loved our city for over 50 years.
Growing up here was something special.
I want to ensure that future generations
have the same experience.*

*I promise to keep our city safe, our
schools strong and to respect the quality
of life of all our wonderful neighborhoods.*

*I will work hard to control taxes without
sacrificing the services that make Summit
SUMMIT. I will work to attract ratables
that will enhance our city and ease our
tax burden.*

*Call me at 918.1199 or email me at
michael.landmark@hotmail.com
anytime. There is always time to talk
about Summit.*

Best Regards

Mike



Mike 1958



Mike helping build his family's home on Lafayette Ave. - 1958



At Princeton on 3 Scholarships, worked many jobs. Elected VP of Engineering Society



Mike earned 3 Varsity Letters at Princeton



Married Joanne - at St. Theresa's Summit - July 31, 1971



As SHS's "Crown Prince." in "The King and I" - 1959



SHS Yearbook Comments - 1964
"Our grand business is not to see what lies dimly in the distance but to do what clearly lies at hand."
fondness for football...always a comeback... determination brings success... meaningful comments... job always done... MIKE



NEW OFFICER - New Navy Ensign Michael J. Vernotico, son of the Vernoticos of 30 Lafayette Avenue



Mike on SHS's '62 & '63 State Champions

Mike Likes Summit And we like Mike for Mayor

Mike Vernotico '64... Summit's INDEPENDENT Choice for Mayor
Look for him on the ballot on November 8th so he can look out for Summit.

End "Politics as Usual" Make November 8th "INDEPENDENTS" Day