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Lieutenant Governor Nancy Wyman with Rep. Tim Ackert and Senator Henri Martin

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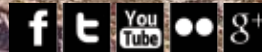
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HBID Northwest members with Rep. Dorinda Borer (D)

While members of Northwest HBA were in Room 1D, a woman walked in and inquired about why they were there. She turned out to be the newest member of the state legislature, Dorinda Borer of West Haven. Steve Temkin, Ev Hyde and others went over HBRA issues with her, and she seemed very enthusiastic about her new position in the Connecticut legislature.

Democrat, Dorinda Keenan Borer won the special election to the 115th state representative seat left vacant by the recent resignation of longtime state Rep. Stephen Dargan, D-West Haven. Borer, who runs her own management and consulting business after formerly working as a vice president for United Healthcare, said she's running because she thinks she can make a real difference.

"It's time to make Connecticut competitive again. We're losing jobs; our young talent don't have options; and our elderly people don't have much, so I want to take my passion and my experience up to Hartford, where I can make a significant contribution. We're in crisis! We can continue to talk in circles, or we can roll up our sleeves and get the job done."

Joanne Hoerrner Recognized on 10 Year Anniversary with HBRACT



Joanne Hoerrner & Bill Ethier



HBRACT President Pete Fusaro
with Joanne Hoerrner

At the May Board of Directors meeting, HBRACT CEO, Bill Ethier presented HBRACT Director of Administration & Events, Joanne Hoerrner, with a Certificate of Appreciation for her 10 years of service to the HBRACT. Joanne's upbeat personality and willingness to take on whatever responsibilities have been asked of her with a smile, have endeared her to members, and enriched the association. In particular, she has managed to coordinate a long list of sponsors and seat close to 800 at the HOBI Awards Dinner, while making everyone happy. That alone deserves a commendation! Congratulations Joanne!

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NAHB Chairman Granger MacDonald with Central CT HBRA CEO Eric Person & NAHB 2nd Vice-Chairman Greg Ugalde. □