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*Diane Voneida, a 1962 graduate of Hughesville High School, has spent her professional career in public service helping improve the lives of low-income families living in inner city neighborhoods.*

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