



## **ELLEN REDMOND**

**International Representative IBEW**

**Vice President NYS AFL-CIO**

**Chair, NYS Workforce Development Institute**

**In June 2012, Ellen Redmond was appointed as an International Representative to the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Third District, coordinating the Political and Legislative Affairs in New York State. Prior she was office manager for the Third District, reporting to the president on financial matters and to the business manager on the Union's day-to-day operations. Ellen was the administrator of the Union's multi-employer benefit plans with responsibility for negotiating member medical, dental and hospital benefits, and overseeing the investments of the participants' pension plan. Additionally, Ellen managed the training safety and vacation funds. She was also the Union's Director of External Affairs, responsible for public relations and governmental affairs, becoming the first woman appointed to the Union's business staff in the organization's then-58 year history.**

**Ms. Redmond currently serves as a Vice President of the New York State AFL-CIO, and as Chair of the Board of Directors of the New York State Workforce Development Institute. She also serves on the Board of Directors of the New York State and Long Island's United Way the President of the Long Island Workers Memorial Day Committee, and the Green Jobs Green New York (GJGNY) Advisory Board.**

**In September 1994, Redmond was appointed by then-International Vice President Edwin D. Hill to represent the IBEW at the New York State Public Service Commission Competitive Opportunities Hearings for the restructuring of the state's electric utility industry. She served in this capacity for two years, representing the IBEW as the labor representative in the collaborative process used to redefine the investor owned utility industry in the state of New York. Following that she was**

**appointed to represent the New York State Association of Electrical Workers as a registered lobbyist, working on construction and utility issues.**

**Ellen was honored by the March of Dimes as a Prominent Women Labor Leader, representing working people from Long Island, and by the Long Island Business News as one of the Top 50 Women on Long Island and the 50 Around 50 Award.**

**Ellen Redmond is a graduate of the Cornell University School of Industrial and Labor Relations, with an advanced degree in Labor Studies. She also holds a degree from the Energeia Partnership at Molloy College.**