

A blue banner for the Visiting Nurse Association of Northern New Jersey. On the left, a woman in a blue VNA uniform stands behind an elderly couple. On the right, a woman in a blue VNA uniform stands behind an elderly woman. The text "Highly recommend" is at the top in white, with five yellow stars below it. A list of services is in the center: Skilled Nursing • Hospice • Certified Aides, Physical, Occupational & Speech Therapy, Elder Care • Family Caregiver Services. A yellow button says "Request a free, no obligation consultation". The VNA logo is on the right, with the text "Visiting Nurse Association of Northern New Jersey", "1-800-WE VISIT", and "vnannj.org".

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The answer is simple: Nancy Verga for Morris Plains mayor

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TO THE EDITOR: I am a 71-year-old resident of Morris Plains. My wife and I have made the decision that we will spend our retirement years in Morris Plains. As we approach this year's election my question is: Which candidate for mayor can ensure that Morris Plains will continue to be the "community of caring" we have come to love?

The answer to me is simple Nancy Verga.

Nancy Verga is 28-year resident, mother, and three term council member, but most importantly she is the strong leader Morris Plains needs at a critical time in our town's history. Nancy Verga has the vision to move our community forward into its next century, while maintaining its small town charm. Nancy Verga is a leader with a proven track record of accomplishments too numerous to name here. In the many conversations I have had with her over the years she impressed me with her depth and knowledge of the working of every aspect of our local government.

More importantly, she has the courage to confront difficult issues. Nor will she hope that the problem "will never happen again." She will address each challenge directly and propose common sense solutions that will improve the quality of life for all the residents of Morris Plains.

For these reasons I am endorsing Nancy Verga for mayor of Morris Plains.

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Editor's Note: *Butchko is a former councilmember for the Borough of Morris Plains.*

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