

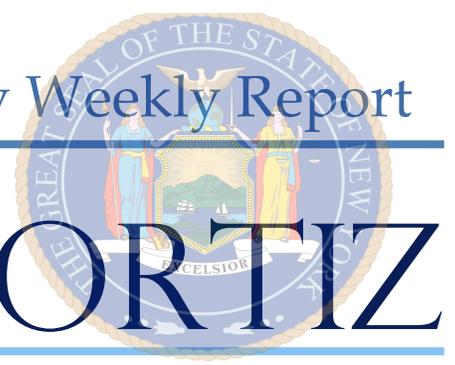


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Please learn about two important health issues at these websites:

Find a facility that can help people battling eating disorders at:  
<http://columbiapsychiatry.org/eatingdisorders/directions>

Register and become an organ donor at:  
<http://donatelife.net/?s=new+york>

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Senators Brad Hoylman, Liz Krueger and I joined health and environmental advocates to demand full implementation of a law to reduce air emissions of fine particulate matter by dirty diesel trucks, which can cause severe asthma attacks. The Diesel

Emission Reduction Act (DERA) was signed into law back in 2006 and a decade later it is still not implemented because of delays by the Senate Majority. Nearly 400,000 children in New York have been waiting too long for the state to replace old trucks with more efficient vehicles.



I would like to thank Intuit and TurboTax for providing a wonderful tax preparation session at the Sunset Park Library last week.



I supported our service men and women during Fort Drum Day in Albany. This annual event brings active military personnel to Albany

with demonstrations of the equipment they use and offers elected officials a better appreciation of the largest military installation in the Northeast US. It was an honor to welcome them to Albany and thank them for their service to our county.

We celebrated the Lunar New Year with the Brooklyn Chinese Volleyball Association at a wonderful evening event.



SUNY Chair and former State Comptroller Carl McCall joined me to promote healthy eating and to support local farmers.

### DMV's Online Voter Registration System Sets New One-Day Record with Nearly 14,000 Applications Received on March 18.

With 40,000 voter applications filed online during the final days of registration we are seeing an unprecedented surge in last-minute online voter registration activity less than one month before the NYS presidential primary. The deadline to register in time for the April presidential primary is rapidly approaching. Register to vote at [dmv.ny.gov](http://dmv.ny.gov) under MORE INFO.



Last week I toured the Intrepid aircraft carrier. The Intrepid is a national gem with a well storied past that I greatly admire. You should visit it on the Hudson River in Manhattan. It's a great place for families to learn American history.