



Assemblywoman



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What the 2013
Legislative Session
means to us

Here's a recap of some of the most significant action that took place this year:



The 2013 Legislative Session was full of ups and downs for our families and businesses.

I SUPPORTED:

- ✓ Insurance reforms to protect homeowners in the wake of natural disasters by strengthening their ability to combat unfair claim settlement practices by insurance providers;
- ✓ Critical funding restorations to programs and services for developmentally disabled New Yorkers;
- ✓ Increased support for seniors enrolled in the EPIC prescription drug program;
- ✓ Funding to support Hurricane Sandy relief efforts in our community;
- ✓ Legislation to create a lock box for MTA funding to prevent service reductions and fare hikes;
- ✓ Efforts to reduce our carbon footprint and save taxpayer dollars by going paperless in the legislature; and
- ✓ The Veterans' Employment Act to help our returning heroes transition back into the workforce.

I REJECTED:

- ✗ \$11.3 billion in tax hikes over the next five years;
- ✗ Over \$5 billion in new debt for state government, agencies and authorities;
- ✗ Extending a hidden tax on utility bills;
- ✗ Forcing taxpayers to fund political campaigns;
- ✗ Tax breaks for big insurance companies;
- ✗ Taxpayer-funded tuition aid for illegal immigrants;
- ✗ Misguided tax breaks that put local small businesses at a disadvantage against out-of-state companies; and
- ✗ Costly and duplicative studies that accomplish absolutely nothing.

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