



Assemblywoman

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Community News  
in Bay Ridge

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## Tax Relief Now!

The governor has created a commission to examine ways in which taxes can be reduced for New York's families and businesses. Here are some measures I'm pushing for and have submitted to the tax commission:

- Shop NY: a measure to make supporting New York's families more affordable by eliminating the state sales tax on things like gasoline and hygiene products;
- EPIC Extra: providing income tax deductions for certain seniors struggling with prescription drug costs;
- Extend middle class tax cuts and repeal the hidden tax on utility bills; and
- Foster a more friendly climate for our small businesses.

## Victory for Bay Ridge's Schoolchildren

The ribbon at the new PS/IS 30 has finally been cut! Bay Ridge students will no longer be forced to attend school in a former apartment building and can now enjoy a proper learning environment like the rest of our city's children. In addition, I've heard many concerns from parents and teachers in our community about the Common Core curriculum. I'd like to hear your comments, concerns and ideas regarding Common Core, so please contact my office by emailing [malliotakisn@assembly.state.ny.us](mailto:malliotakisn@assembly.state.ny.us)

## Cracking Down on Crime

I'm working with the 68th precinct to address problems in our community such as illegal day spas and graffiti. The fight continues at the Capitol as well, with new laws to protect the public, including;

- Implementing a new database to track prescription drugs and prevent abuse;
- Increasing penalties against child abusers;
- Requiring breathalyzer ignition tests for more drunk drivers;
- Increasing penalties for those who assault prosecutors;
- Cracking down on illegal guns; and
- Sentencing killers of first responders to life in prison without parole.

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