

# 2015 Accomplishments and Future Goals



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## Here's a recap of the 2015 legislative session and priorities going forward

### ACCOMPLISHMENTS THIS SESSION:

- Adopted 5<sup>th</sup> consecutive on-time budget while capping spending at 2%;
- Protected land purchased through state buyout following Hurricane Sandy from future development;
- Extended Rent Control Laws until 2019;
- Expanded Property Tax Credit to allow a personal income tax credit for eligible homeowners or renters in NYC until 2020;
- Maintained program to reduce taxes for residents of condos and Co-Op units;
- Increased funding for MTA bus and train service;
- Passed reform measures to increase transparency and accountability at the Port Authority;
- Established opioid overdose prevention education program in schools;
- Passed legislation that would allow veterans to receive pension service credit regardless of when or where they served; and
- Continued building on Common Core reforms by requiring content review and transparency of assessments and state standards.

### GOALS FOR 2016 SESSION:

- Strip pensions from public officials who have been convicted of crimes related to their position;
- Pass the Education Investment Tax Credit to provide financial support to struggling schools and scholarships to their students;
- Expand and restore the Tuition Assistance Program to alleviate the financial burdens of middle-class students in our state;
- Add to success in bus restorations throughout district and improve Access-A-Ride program; and
- Stimulate job growth and boost New York's business climate by cutting more taxes and regulations.

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