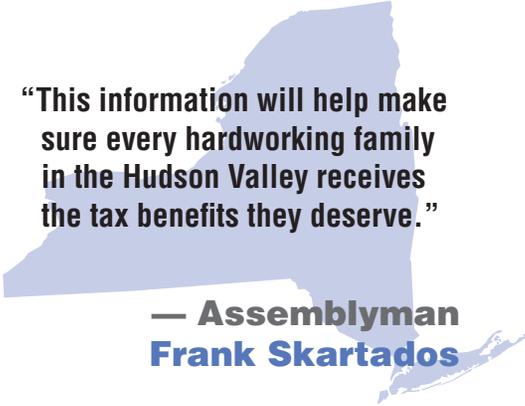


## **You may be eligible for the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)**

The EITC provides hardworking families with support to help cover their living expenses. To qualify, you must:

- have worked full or part time at some point during the calendar year
- be a single or married person raising qualifying children at home
- have income below \$36,920 (\$42,130 married filing jointly) with one qualifying child
- have income below \$41,952 (\$47,162 married filing jointly) with two qualifying children
- have income below \$45,060 (\$50,270 married filing jointly) with three or more qualifying children
- have income below \$13,980 (\$19,190 married filing jointly) with no qualifying children



**“This information will help make sure every hardworking family in the Hudson Valley receives the tax benefits they deserve.”**

**— Assemblyman Frank Skartados**



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**Tax help for  
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# Assemblyman Skartados: Eligible individuals and families may receive free tax help

## Creating Assets, Savings and Hope (C.A.S.H.)

C.A.S.H. is a local program aimed at improving the quality of life for low-income, hardworking Hudson Valley families. They provide free tax help to those who qualify.

### To qualify for C.A.S.H. services

- Your household income must be less than \$50,000 for families or \$13,980 for individuals
- You must have an investment income less than \$3,200 in the last tax year
- Not file separate from spouse or be listed as a “qualifying child” on someone else’s tax forms
- Have a valid Social Security Number
- Have earned income from an employer or work for yourself

### What you’ll need

- Picture IDs for you and your spouse
- A Social Security card and an accurate birth date for each family member
- W-2 forms for all jobs worked in 2012
- All 1099 forms that you received
- Copy of last year’s tax return, if available
- Childcare provider’s name, address and tax ID number, if applicable
- For direct deposit, bring account and routing number information for checking, savings and prepaid card accounts



### To make an appointment:

Call 211 or 800-899-1479 weekdays between the hours of 8 a.m. – 8 p.m. to receive free tax help at the following C.A.S.H. locations.

#### Beacon

Howland Public Library  
(Community Room)  
313 Main St.  
Mondays and Thursdays 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

#### Newburgh

Newburgh Free Library  
(e-Learning Center)  
124 Grand St.  
Tuesdays 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

#### Poughkeepsie

Poughkeepsie Public Library  
(Charvat Meeting Room)  
93 Market St.  
Mondays 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

*More locations and times are available when you schedule your appointment.*

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