

**Assemblyman
Frank Skartados**



“The state budget is good for Poughkeepsie because it lowers taxes for families and businesses and provides more money for our schools.”

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has Poughkeepsie’s back!

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fighting for Poughkeepsie:

- **Lowest middle-class tax rate in 60 years extended**
- **Tax credits for businesses that hire veterans**
- **Lower taxes on manufacturers to create jobs**
- **\$1.2 million increase to Poughkeepsie schools**
- **\$250,000 in additional aid to keep teachers in the classroom**
- **Increased minimum wage to \$9.00 per hour by 2016**
- **18% increase in CHIPs funding to repair Poughkeepsie city streets**
- **\$15,000 grant for Poughkeepsie firefighters to purchase a new “Jaws of Life” system**



**“The new state
budget delivers for
Poughkeepsie families.”**

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