

Stronger Farms: Stronger Economy

Stronger farms create more jobs, boost our economy and bring profits home to local families right here in the Adirondacks. That's why Assemblyman Dan Stec delivered for farmers in this year's budget:

- \$31 million for Agriculture Local Assistance Programs, a **\$4.2 million increase**;
- \$15 million for farmland protection, **a \$1 million increase**;
- \$1 million to usher in the new generation of farmers through the Beginning Farmers-NY Fund; and
- **\$500,000 in annual loans** to help our farmers protect against flooding.

Buy Local: Bring home fresh fruits and vegetables for your family while supporting our local small businesses. **To locate a farmers' market near you, use the following link:** http://bit.ly/1Fp1YS5 (case sensitive)



