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What the 2017 Legislative Session Means for the North Country:

Health & Safety Land Bank Constitutional Amendment

- ★ After passing both houses of the Legislature twice, the Land Bank Amendment will go to the voters this November.
- ★ This Resolution would create a 250-acre land bank that would be utilized to approve local municipal projects on state forest preserve lands in the Adirondacks and Catskill State Park.
- ★ Projects could include broadband infrastructure, environmental infrastructure, public utility lines, highway and bridge improvements, municipal water supply, and bicycle pathways. (A08301)



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Other Accomplishments:

- ★ Ride-sharing for Upstate.
- ★ Increased school funding for the 114th Assembly District.
- ★ \$65 million dedicated to Extreme Winter Recovery funds to ensure our roads and bridges are fixed and maintained after harsh upstate winters.
- ★ Creation of the “Upper Hudson Wine Trail” to promote New York grape, grape juice, and wine vineyards found throughout the Hudson Valley and Southern Adirondacks.
- ★ Additional \$30 million dedicated to combating the heroin and opioid epidemic this year, the last phase of an over \$200 million investment to address the heroin crisis.



For more information on the 2017 Session or any state issue, please contact Assemblyman Stec's office at (518) 792-4546 or email stecd@nyassembly.gov