

Dear Friends,

As of the beginning of this year, it has been my honor to represent the 93rd District in the NYS Assembly. The District includes the towns of Bedford, Harrison, Lewisboro, Mount Kisco, New Castle, North Castle, North Salem, Pound Ridge and approximately half of the city of White Plains. I come to this position having served as the Supervisor of the Town of Bedford for seven years. And I come to it with big shoes to fill, as I am succeeding Assemblyman David Buchwald, who served this district with distinction.

Please know that representing the needs of my constituents is my top priority. **I am here to help you.** If there is anything that my office can do for you, or if you would like to share your thoughts on a particular piece of legislation, please do not hesitate to reach out to me at burdickc@nyassembly.gov or call my district office at [\(914\) 244-4450](tel:9142444450).

In the meantime, I hope you find these newsletters informative. I would also encourage you to [visit my website](#) and to follow me on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) for up-to-date information and resources.

COVID-19 Vaccine Update

Many of you have reached out to us frustrated about the difficulty in scheduling an appointment to get a COVID-19 vaccination. This is largely due to the fact that the number of people eligible currently far exceeds the number of available doses. Hopefully, that bottleneck will ease in the near future.

Unfortunately, our office is not able to aid directly in the scheduling of vaccine appointments (we wish we could!), but we will keep you updated on eligibility and resources you can use to schedule appointments.

- To see a list of those who are currently eligible for the vaccine [please click here](#).
- If you believe you are eligible, [click here to schedule an appointment](#) at a New York State-run facility. Alternatively you can go to the New York State COVID-19 Vaccination Hotline at 1-833-NYS-4-VAX ([1-833-697-4829](tel:18336974829)).
- For a list of Non-State Run facilities in and around Westchester, [please click here](#).
- Finally, for additional information on vaccine distribution, [please click here](#).

As new resources and information become available, we will post them on my [Assembly Page](#), so please check back there. I would also encourage you to follow me on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) for updates.

School & League Sports


Kudos to all the students, parents and coaches who have reached out to me from high schools such as Harrison, John Jay, Byram Hills, Fox Lane and Horace Greeley, to express their support for a football season. Each person has had a compelling personal account and compelling reasons for allowing football to be played. I am persuaded that if safety protocols are applied and strictly adhered to, football should be permitted and I advocated strongly for this position with the Governor's office.

Governor Cuomo announced recently that the decision to allow “higher-risk sports” such as football, basketball, volleyball and ice hockey will be left up to county health departments. **I am pleased that County Executive George Latimer has announced that [a modified season may begin as soon as February 1](#)**, so long as strict safety protocols are followed and there is no indication that the sports are causing a spike in COVID-19 cases.

Thank you to all those who have contacted me regarding this issue - advocacy like this helps me to do my job better. Please feel free to follow up with any questions or concerns you might have.

Saturday's Budget Forum

Finally, this coming Saturday the Westchester Assembly Delegation will be holding a virtual 2021-2022 Budget Forum. I hope you will join us! You can watch it live on my [Facebook Page](#). **If you would like to give testimony, please RSVP by 3 pm this Thursday [by clicking here](#).**



**Please join Assemblymember Chris Burdick
and the Westchester Assembly Delegation
for a virtual 2021-22 State Budget Forum**

**Saturday, February 6
10:00 am-2:00 pm**

**To give testimony at the forum
RSVP required by 3 pm on 2/4
(click on link above)**

**Send written testimony and questions to:
Lisa Urban at (914) 939-7028; urbanl@nyassembly.gov**

**** Watch at fb.com/ChrisBurdickAD93 ****

Again, if there is anything my office can do, please do not hesitate to reach out. I look forward to representing you in the years to come!

Sincerely yours,



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