

Assemblyman Ramos Passes Critical Police Reform Legislation

“ As a former police officer, I know that the interests of justice can’t be served if communities fear the officers sworn to protect them. I helped pass legislation that provides greater transparency and accountability, and begins to rebuild trust between our communities and law enforcement. ”

- Assemblyman Phil Ramos



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Assemblyman Ramos: Strengthening Accountability and Transparency in Policing

As a former police officer in Suffolk County, Assemblyman Ramos is committed to holding officers accountable and rebuilding trust between communities and law enforcement.

He introduced several measures to increase accountability in law enforcement, including legislation that would add a pro-arrest policy to certain hate crimes and require all officers to become mandatory reporters of police misconduct (A.10606, A.10597).

Ramos also helped pass a sweeping legislative reform package, which included measures to:

- Ban the use of chokeholds by police officers (Ch. 94 of 2020)
- Create the Office of Special Investigation to investigate and prosecute instances of police misconduct (Ch. 95 of 2020)
- Repeal section 50-a of the state Civil Rights Law (Ch. 96 of 2020)
- Require state police to wear body cameras (Ch. 105 of 2020)



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