Spring 2015



Assemblyman Ed Ra

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(516) 535-4095 rae@assembly.state.ny.us Dear Neighbor,

The 2015-16 Legislative Session has been a busy one, and as we continue our work here in Albany, I'd like to know what's important to you. Please take a minute to complete this survey and send it back. With your input, we can make our community an even better place to work, live and raise a family.

You can also take this survey electronically at: bit.ly/RaSurvey

Thank you in advance for your participation,

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## **2015 LEGISLATIVE SURVEY**

Please answer the following questions and mail your completed survey to Assemblyman Ed Ra at 825 East Gate Blvd, Suite 207, Garden City, NY 11530.

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1.	What issues matter most to you? (check all that apply)
	Education
	Ethics reform
	Creating jobs
	Cutting taxes
	Energy prices
	Healthcare cost and availability
2.	Do you feel Long Islanders receive a fair share of services for the amount of state and federal taxes
	we pay? Yes No
3.	How satisfied are you with Gov. Andrew Cuomo's performance?
	Very satisfied
	Somewhat satisfied
	Neutral
	Somewhat dissatisfied

Very dissatisfied



4.	How satisfied are you with the performance of the state Legislature?
	<ul> <li>Very satisfied</li> <li>Somewhat satisfied</li> <li>Neutral</li> <li>Somewhat dissatisfied</li> <li>Very dissatisfied</li> </ul>
5.	Common Core should be
	Eliminated and replaced Delayed and reformed Left alone
6.	Do you think a teacher should be evaluated based on student test scores?
	Yes No
7.	Do you support limiting or changing tenure for teachers?
	Yes
	No
8.	What steps should we take to address corruption in state government? (check all that apply)
	<ul> <li>Term limits for legislative leadership posts</li> <li>Stripping officials convicted of ethics violations of their state pension</li> <li>Campaign finance reform</li> <li>Eliminating member items</li> </ul>
9.	Do you agree that offering qualified businesses no business, corporate, sales, property, state or local taxes for 10 years is a way to promote economic growth?
	Agree
	Disagree I'm not sure
10.	How can we create more jobs on Long Island? (check all that apply)
	Lower business taxes
	Lower taxes across the board Increase the minimum wage
	START-UP NY Long Island's business climate is fine
11.	Do you support the DREAM Act, providing college tuition assistance to illegal immigrants?
	Yes
	No
	I'm not sure

12.	What steps should be taken to combat the heroin epidemic?
	Earlier education on the dangers of heroin
	Harsher penalties for drug dealers
	Better insurance to help struggling users receive treatment
	Other
13.	Are you satisfied with the new management of LIPA?
	Yes
	No
	I'm not sure
14.	What issue do you believe is not being addressed enough by the state Legislature?
15.	What sources do you use most often to receive your news?
	Network television
	Cable television
	Newspapers
	Online news sites
	Facebook
	Twitter
	Other
16.	If given the choice, how would you like to receive updates from Assemblyman Ra?
	Mail
	Email
	Both
Be tl	he first to know! Please provide your email to receive updates from Assemblyman Ed Ra:



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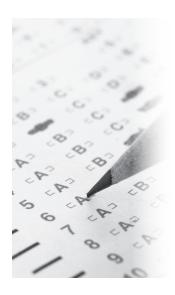
To reply, fold this panel out, add postage and secure with tape or use an envelope.

Alternatively, you may take the survey online.





## Your Voice Matters! A brief legislative survey TIME SENSITIVE



## Make your voice heard!

Complete this survey and connect with Ed Ra to discuss the latest news about your state government!

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