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**Our Voice
In Albany**



Fighting for Our Best Interests

In his first year in Albany, Assemblyman Kevin Byrne worked tirelessly to defend our values, scoring several major legislative victories. Whether he was **fighting for ethics reform** in our state's Capitol, **standing up for our first responders and medical professionals** or working to **ensure our communities' needs were being met**, Assemblyman Byrne made it clear that we are his top priority.

Protecting Our Values and Families

- Supported passage of a constitutional amendment that, pending voter approval, will strip state pensions from corrupt politicians. (A.1749)
- Opposed excessive and wasteful spending of your hard-earned tax dollars in this year's state budget.
- Successfully advocated for substantial investments for clean drinking water. (A.3004-D & A.3007-B)
- Successfully advocated for substantial investments in the fight against the Heroin and Opioid epidemic. (A.3003)
- Successfully advocated to restore funding to statewide programs supporting local infrastructure, including roads and bridges that had fallen into disrepair. (A.3004-D)

Supporting Our First Responders and Keeping Us Safe

Co-sponsored and passed legislation:

- Significantly expanding cancer coverage for volunteer firefighters. (A.711-B)
- Allowing school bus drivers to use epinephrine auto-injectors in a medical emergency. (A.7635-A)
- Increasing access to Automated External Defibrillators (AEDs) and empowering nurse practitioners and physician assistants to put more AEDs in our communities. (A.7532)
- Strengthening the Clean Indoor Air Act, closing an E-cigarette loophole in schools. (A.611, A.516-A)

Prioritizing Local Issues

- Renamed the Major Clayton Carpenter Memorial Highway to honor the true rank of a local hero. (A.2998)
- Provided access to state funded programs that protect our inland waterways.
- Advocated for local infrastructure projects, including \$1.7 million in state funding to repave state roads in the district.
- This year's session also provided valuable funding to support several local organizations, including:
 - The Mahopac Public Library
 - The Hudson Highlands Land Trust (A.3004-D)
 - The Putnam County Land Trust
 - PFC Joseph P. Dwyer Veteran Peer Support Program in Putnam and Westchester Counties (A.3003)



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