Hon. Andrew Cuomo, Governor State of New York State Capitol Building, 2nd Floor Albany, NY 12224

Dear Governor Cuomo:

I am writing to ask for support of my legislation A.2250 a bill that would enhance the ability of non-profit organizations to sell raffle tickets via the internet.

In these uncertain times it is essential that non-profit organizations such as volunteer first responders have the ability to raise funds themselves. At this time, it is unknown if these organizations will receive needed assistance from the government. Our non-profit organizations and volunteer fire departments are vital to the safety and well being of our communities and need access to all available sources of revenue to continue operating.

On behalf of all communities in jeopardy, I implore you to consider this legislation If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

STEVE HAWLEY

Member of Assembly 139th A.D.

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