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State Budget Update:

-  Keeping Our Streets Safe
-  Funding Our Schools
-  Inflation Relief

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[1. https://www.nasbo.org/home](https://www.nasbo.org/home) 2. <https://taxfoundation.org/publications/state-local-tax-burden-rankings/>

—Assemblyman John McGowan

"New York continues to have the second highest state budget' and leads the nation with the highest tax burden'. The agenda in Albany is out of touch with what New Yorkers deserve, so my fight is not over yet. We still have a lot of work to do but in the meantime, I'll continue to work hard for the residents of our community!"

During this year's state budget, I was proud to support legislation to help better our communities, schools, emergency and health services.

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Putting our community first:

- ✔ Expansion of FREE school meals programs statewide so no child goes hungry (A.3003-D).
- ✔ Record investment in local school funding (A.3003-D).
- ✔ Millions more for mental health and children and youth services (A.3003-D).

- ✔ Voted YES for volunteer firefighters to receive a stipend during firefighter training (A.3005-C).
- ✔ Secured millions for services for victims of criminal acts such as medical and counseling expenses, burial costs, and lost wages (A.3003-D).

- ✔ Additional funding for Non-MTA Transit Systems in Rockland County to improve infrastructure, replace old buses, and improve performance (A.3003-D).

- ✘ An overall \$8 billion+ increase in spending in one year totaling over \$229 billion in this budget (2023-2024 NYS Budget, A.3000-D, A.3002, A.3004-D)

- ✘ Banning gas stoves and natural gas for most new households (A.3006-C).

- ✘ Not going far enough to fix bail reform laws by failing to give judges enough discretion (A.3006-C).

I Opposed: