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4979Senate Bill #	Assembly Bill #	Status	Description	United Concern?	Support Status
NYS FIRE SERVICE ALLIANCE 2021 ISSUES OF UNITED CONCERN					
S864 GAUGHRAN	A968 THIELE	1/21/21 PASSED SENATE 1/14/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY <i>CHAPTER AMENDMENTS</i>	RELATES TO THE NEW YORK STATE VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION TASK FORCE, CHAPTER AMENDMENTS. THIS BILL MAKES TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE MEMBERSHIP AND MISSION OF THE TASK FORCE	N	SIGNED CHAPTER 7
S1210 KAMINSKY	A6401 THIELE	5/20/21 PASSED SENATE 6/3/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	LOSAP AMENDMENT ALLOWS FOR A PROGRAM SPONSOR TO AMEND A POINT SYSTEM AS PART OF A SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM. UPDATING THE LAW FROM USING A PERCENTAGE OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF CALLS THE DEPARTMENT WAS DISPATCHED TO IN CALCULATING LOSAP POINTS, TO THE TOTAL NUMBER OF CALLS AN INDIVIDUAL WAS DISPATCHED TO WILL CREATE A MORE EQUITABLE AND EFFICIENT SYSTEM.	Y	
S1318A GAUGHRAN	A1324A MAGNARELLI	6/3/21 PASSED SENATE 6/2/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	CHANGES TO VFBL PROVIDES TOTAL DISABILITY BENEFITS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$650 WEEKLY FOR VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE WORKERS FOR INJURIES SUSTAINED ON OR AFTER JULY 1, 2021 . <i>DESPITE YEARS OF EXPERIENCE AND TECHNOLOGICAL ADVANCEMENTS, INJURIES ARE STILL A PART OF THE VOLUNTEER FIRE SERVICE. SOMETIMES THE INJURIES ARE SEVERE - CAUSING TEMPORARY OR TOTAL PERMANENT DISABILITIES. THE WEEKLY BENEFIT UNDER VFBL AND VAWBL FOR SUCH INJURIES HAS NOT BEEN UPDATED IN OVER TEN YEARS. IT IS TIME TO UPDATE THESE BENEFITS.</i>	Y	
S7186 BROOKS	A534A JONES	3/16/21 PASSED SENATE 6/8/21 SENT TO WAYS & MEANS COMM	EMS COST RECOVERY FOR FIRE DEPARTMENTS PROVIDES THAT AUTHORITIES HAVING CONTROL OF A FIRE DEPARTMENT OR FIRE COMPANY WHICH PROVIDES EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES MAY ESTABLISH FEES AND CHARGES FOR SERVICES.	Y	
S4630B KAMINSKY	A5418B ENGBRIGHT	6/8/21 PASSED SENATE 6/9/SENT TO RULES COMMITTEE	THE FAMILY & FIREFIGHTER PROTECTION ACT BEGINNING DECEMBER 31, 2023, THIS BILL PROHIBITS THE SALE OF MATTRESSES, OR UPHOLSTERED FURNITURE THAT CONTAIN INTENTIONALLY ADDED IDENTIFIED FLAME RETARDANT CHEMICALS TO INDIVIDUALS OR HOUSEHOLDS FOR PERSONAL USE IN RESIDENTIAL SPACE. AS OF JANUARY 1, 2024, NO PERSON OFFERS FOR SALE AN ELECTRONIC DISPLAY THAT CONTAINS INTENTIONALLY ADDED ORGANOHALOGEN FLAME RETARDANTS. SECTION 2 RELATES TO PENALTIES RELATED TO THE SALE OF SAID ITEMS. (MA, ME & CA has passed and signed a similar bill)	Y	

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		SEE THE CODE SECTION SEVERAL BILLS INTRODUCED	STRENGTHENING CODE ENFORCEMENT ENDANGERING THE WELFARE OF FIRE AND EMERGENCY PERSONNEL – WOULD ALLOW FOR LEGISLATIVE AND ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIONS ON BUILDING OWNERS WHO PERFORM MODIFICATIONS OR CONVERSIONS WITHOUT OBTAINING THE PRESCRIBED PERMITS FOR SINGLE OR MULTI-FAMILY OCCUPANCIES.	Y	
S1340 BROOKS	A3597 MCMAHON	1/11/21 SEN LOCAL GOVT 1/28/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT COMM	VFBL AMENDMENT INCREASES BENEFITS FOR VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE WORKERS INCREASED TO \$850 PER MONTH	Y	
TWO CHAMBER BILLS					
S1295 GOUNARDES	A980 ABBATE	2/16/21 SIGNED CHAPTER 30 2/2/21 PASSED SENATE 1/25/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY CHAPTER AMENDMENT	REQUIRES PUBLIC EMPLOYERS TO ADOPT A PLAN FOR OPERATIONS IN THE EVENT OF A DECLARED STATE DISASTER EMERGENCY INVOLVING A COMMUNICABLE DISEASE THE PURPOSE OF THIS BILL IS TO AMEND CHAPTER 168 OF THE LAWS OF 2020 TO REMOVE CONTRACTORS FROM THE SCOPE OF SUCH LEGISLATION AND TO CLARIFY THE TIMELINE FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYERS TO PUBLISH AND FINALIZE THEIR PLANS FOR OPERATIONS IN THE EVENT OF A DECLARED STATE DISASTER EMERGENCY INVOLVING A COMMUNICABLE DISEASE.	N	2/16/21 SIGNED CHAPTER 30
S1091A GAUGHRAN	A2239A STERN	4/28/21 PASSED SENATE 5/24/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	INCREASES THE NUMBER OF YEARS OF SERVICE THAT A PARTICIPANT IN A DEFINED CONTRIBUTION PLAN OR DEFINED BENEFIT PLAN SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM MAY RECEIVE A CONTRIBUTION FROM 40 TO 50 YEARS	N	TO BE SENT FOR SIGNATURE
S4064 GAUGHRAN	A6296 GRIFFIN	3/17/21 PASSED SENATE 6/1/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	AT THE CURRENT RATES, MOST INDIVIDUALS WHO WORK FIRE DISTRICT ELECTIONS DO NOT EVEN MAKE MINIMUM WAGE. THIS LEGISLATION WOULD GIVE THE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS THE ABILITY TO PAY A MAXIMUM OF \$70 OR \$100, DEPENDING ON THE LENGTH OF TIME WORKED.	N	TO BE SENT FOR SIGNATURE
S1209 KAMINSKY	A4979 GRIFFIN	3/1/21 PASSED SENATE 6/1/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	CHANGES THE DATE OF THE PUBLIC HEARING TO DISCUSS THE CONTENTS OF THE PROPOSED BUDGET OF FIRE, FIRE ALARM, AND FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICTS, TO BE HELD ON THE THIRD WEEK OF OCTOBER.	N	TO BE SENT FOR SIGNATURE
S3503C HINCHEY	A1561C SANTABARBARA	6/1/21 PASSED SENATE 6/2/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	AUTHORIZES THE OFFICE OF FIRE PREVENTION AND CONTROL TO ESTABLISH THE NEW YORK STATE RURAL AMBULANCE SERVICES TASK FORCE	N	TO BE SENT FOR SIGNATURE
S1270 BROOKS	A5565 JEAN PIERRE	6/3/21 PASSED SENATE 5/10/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	NO NEW VESSEL THAT HAS AN ENCLOSED ACCOMMODATION COMPARTMENT OR A VESSEL THAT UNDERGOES SUBSTANTIAL RENOVATIONS MAY BE SOLD OR OFFERED FOR SALE UNLESS SUCH	N	TO BE SENT FOR

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			VESSEL IS EQUIPPED WITH A NEW FUNCTIONING MARINE CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTION SYSTEM.		SIGNATURE
S1210 KAMINSKY	A6401 THIELE	5/20/21 PASSED SENATE 6/3/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	SECTION 1 AMENDS GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW BY ADDING A NEW SUBPARAGRAPH (Q) TO ADDRESS DEVELOPMENTS IN HOW VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS RESPOND TO EMERGENCIES BY ALLOWING PROGRAMS TO CALCULATE PERCENTAGES BASED ON THE TOTAL NUMBER OF CALLS AN INDIVIDUAL WAS DISPATCHED. UPDATING THE LAW FROM USING A PERCENTAGE OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF CALLS THE DEPARTMENT WAS DISPATCHED TO IN CALCULATING LOSAP POINTS, TO THE TOTAL NUMBER OF CALLS AN INDIVIDUAL WAS DISPATCHED TO WILL CREATE A MORE EQUITABLE AND EFFICIENT SYSTEM.	N	TO BE SENT FOR SIGNATURE
S4071A KENNEDY	A96A GUNTHER	6/2/21 PASSED SENATE 5/24/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	DESIGNATES HUMAN ORGAN DELIVERY VEHICLES AS AUTHORIZED EMERGENCY VEHICLES	N	TO BE SENT FOR SIGNATURE
S4233A GOUNARDES	A6461A ABBATE	5/26/21 PASSED SENATE 6/7/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	DISABILITY RETIREMENT BENEFITS FOR THE PRESUMPTION OF PARKINSON'S DISEASE FOR PAID FIREFIGHTERS	N	TO BE SENT FOR SIGNATURE
S4615A KAPLAN	A5402A SOLAGES	5/25/21 PASSED SENATE 6/7/21 ORDERED TO 3 RD READING RULES COMM	PROHIBITS THE SELLING OR DISPLAYING OF SYMBOLS OF HATE BY MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS, FIRE DISTRICTS, VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANIES, POLICE DEPARTMENTS AND SCHOOL DISTRICTS [SUPPORT BUT RUN THE RISK THAT IT CAN BE ARBITRARILY APPLIED ESPECIALLY IN TODAYS CANCEL CULTURE]	N	SUPPORT
S952 GAUGHRAN	A602 CAHILL	2/24/21 PASSED SENATE 1/6/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT NOT MOVING OUT OF COMMITTEE	ESTABLISHES THE PAYMENT OF CERTAIN VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER AND VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE WORKER DEATH BENEFITS SHALL BE WITHIN NINETY DAYS OF THE FILING OF APPLICATION TO RECEIVE SUCH DEATH BENEFIT	N	SUPPORT
S1317 GAUGHRAN	A2326 STERN	3/25/21 PASSED SENATE 1/14/21 ASSM REAL PROPERTY TAXATION NOT MOVING OUT OF COMMITTEE	AUTHORIZES MUNICIPALITIES TO OFFER REAL PROPERTY TAX CREDITS TO CERTAIN VOLUNTEERS WHO LIVE IN ONE MUNICIPALITY BUT WHO SERVE IN NEIGHBORING MUNICIPALITIES	N	MONITOR
S4704A KAPLAN	A1108A PAULIN	3/9/21 SEN AMENDED ON 3RD READING NOT MOVING OUT OF COMMITTEE 5/4/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	REQUIRES THAT MINUTES OF MEETINGS OF A PUBLIC BODY BE POSTED ON ITS WEBSITE <i>IF</i> THE AGENCY IN WHICH A PUBLIC BODY FUNCTIONS MAINTAINS A REGULARLY AND ROUTINELY UPDATED WEBSITE AND UTILIZES A HIGH-SPEED INTERNET CONNECTION AMENDED TO REQUIRES THAT MINUTES TAKEN AT A MEETING OF A PUBLIC BODY BE POSTED ON THE AGENCY'S WEBSITE WITHIN TWO WEEKS FROM AN OPEN MEETING AND ONE WEEK FROM AN EXECUTIVE SESSION. [SOME FIRE DISTRICTS DON'T HAVE THE STAFFING OR HAVE THE	N	UNFUNDED MANDATE FOR SOME SMALLER FIRE DISTRICTS

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			EXPERTISE, NOT ALL DISTRICTS HAVE MILLION DOLLAR BUDGETS]		
S1391A BROOKS	A5075A STERN NEEDS AMENDING	5/20/21 PASSED SENATE 5/26/21 AMEND & SEND TO ASSM TRANSPORTATION COMM <i>NOT MOVING OUT OF COMMITTEE</i>	THE PURPOSE OF THIS BILL IS TO ESTABLISH "FIRST RESPONDER SAFETY ZONES" IN ORDER TO IMPROVE THE SAFETY OF FIRST RESPONDERS ENTERING THE ROADWAY IN OR NEAR AN EMERGENCY RESPONSE STATION AND ESTABLISHES PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS.	N	MONITOR
S1150A KAPLAN	A1228A PAULIN	5/24/21 ADVANCED TO 3 RD READING <i>NOT MOVING OUT OF COMMITTEE</i> 5/4/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	AMENDS THE PUBLIC OFFICERS LAW TO REQUIRE DOCUMENTS TO BE DISCUSSED AT OPEN MEETINGS BE MADE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST OR POSTED ON THE PUBLIC BODY'S WEBSITE AT LEAST 24 HOURS PRIOR TO SUCH OPEN MEETING.	N	MONITOR
S2783 SEPULVEDA	A715 ROSENTHAL L	1/25/21 SEN HEALTH COMM 5/20/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY <i>NOT MOVING OUT OF COMMITTEE</i>	AUTHORIZES EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE PERSONNEL TO PROVIDE BASIC FIRST AID TO DOGS AND CATS	N	MONITOR
S3145 SANDERS	A3951 COLTON	5/19/21 PASSED SENATE 1/29/21 ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS COMMITTEE <i>NOT MOVING OUT OF COMMITTEE</i>	DESIGNATES THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER AS FIREFIGHTER, POLICE OFFICER AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN APPRECIATION MONTH	N	SUPPORT
S3532A KENNEDY	A811A WALLACE	5/10/21 SEN AMENDED AND RECOMMITTED TO TRANSPORTATION <i>NOT MOVING OUT OF COMMITTEE</i> 5/24/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	RELATES TO THE USE OF GREEN LIGHTS ON MUNICIPAL VEHICLES, AUTHORIZES STATE AND MUNICIPALLY OWNED VEHICLES TO AFFIX GREEN OR ALTERNATING GREEN AND AMBER LIGHTS TO MOTOR VEHICLES ENGAGED IN SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL FOR THE PURPOSE OF INCREASING VISIBILITY DURING WINTER WEATHEREVENTS.	N	MONITOR
S1649 SKOUFIS	A6496 GUNTHER	2/28/21 SEN ADVANCE TO 3 RD READING <i>NOT MOVING OUT OF COMMITTEE</i> 6/1/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	RELATES TO THE SOLICITATION OF DONATIONS ON STATE HIGHWAYS, LIMITED TO 18 YEARS OLD OR OLDER AND SPEED LIMIT MUST BE 30MPH	N	MONITOR
S2596 HELMING	A4445 MANKTELOW	6/1/21 PASSED SENATE 2/4/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT COMM <i>NOT MOVING OUT OF COMMITTEE</i>	RELATES TO YOUTH PROGRAMS SPONSORED BY FIRE DEPARTMENTS; PROVIDES THAT PARTICIPANTS MAY RESPOND TO AN EMERGENCY OR HAZARDOUS ACTIVITY, BUT SHALL REMAIN IN A DESIGNATED OR MARKED OFF AREA THAT HAS BEEN SET UP BY THE CHIEF OR OFFICER IN CHARGE; PROVIDES SUCH PARTICIPANT CANNOT RESPOND TO AN EMERGENCY ON A VEHICLE USING LIGHTS AND/OR SIRENS; PROVIDES SUCH PARTICIPANTS MAY NOT ENTER A BURNING STRUCTURE.	N	SUPPORT
S4438 SKOUFIS	A6452 GUNTHER	6/1/21 PASSED SENATE 3/17/21 ASSMLOCAL GOVMTL EMPLOYEES <i>NOT MOVING OUT OF COMMITTEE</i>	AUTHORIZES RETIRED FIREFIGHTERS TO BE EMPLOYED AS FIRE SCIENCE INSTRUCTORS BY CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION CENTERS WITHOUT A REDUCTION OF BENEFITS	N	SUPPORT

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S4562 BROOKS	A6767A WOERNER	6/3/21 SENT TO SENATE RULES COMM 6/3/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	AMENDS § 61 OF THE VFBL TO CREATE A PRESUMPTION OF COVERAGE FOR VASCULAR RUPTURE WHERE SUCH RUPTURE RESULTS IN THE DEATH OR DISABILITY OF A VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER, THE DISABILITY OR DEATH AROSE FROM THE DUTIES AND ACTIVITIES OF A VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER.	N	SUPPORT
S1815 SKOUFIS	A1166 ZEBROWSKI	6/7/21 PASSED SENATE 6/7/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVTS	REQUIRES MUNICIPALITIES TO MAINTAIN MUNICIPAL WEBSITES ALL MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS SHALL MAINTAIN AN OFFICIAL WEBSITE ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC [UNFUNDED MANDATE]	N	UNFUNDED MANDATE
S341A PERSAUD	A1184A BUTTENSCHON	6/2/21 SEN AMEND AND SEND BACK TO FINANCE COMM 6/2/21 ASSM AMEND & RESEND TO GOVTL OPERATIONS	THE FIRE CHIEF OF ANY FIRE DEPARTMENT OR COMPANY IN THE STATE SHALL ESTABLISH AND IMPLEMENT BASIC TRAINING AND PRE-EMPLOYMENT COURSE CURRICULA FOR ALL MEMBERS OF SUCH FIRE DEPARTMENT OR COMPANY AND FOR ALL CURRENT AND NEW EMPLOYEES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DIVERSITY POLICIES AND PROCEDURES ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO SECTION 214-G OF THE EXECUTIVE LAW. [UNFUNDED MANDATE]	N	UNFUNDED MANDATE
S5262 BROOKS	A744 WALLACE	3/10/21 SEN CONSUMER PROTECTION 1/28/21 ADVANCED TO 3 RD READING CODES COMM.	REQUIRES CERTAIN HEALTH CLUBS TO HAVE AT LEAST ONE AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR ON THE PREMISES WHICH IS ACCESSIBLE TO THE STAFF, MEMBERS AND GUESTS	N	MONITOR
S670 SANDERS	A7334 PICHARDO	**5/18/21 SEN SENT TO FINANCE COMM 5/19/21 ASS, WAYS AND MEANS COMM	ALLOWS CREDIT UNIONS, SAVINGS BANKS, SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS AND FEDERAL SAVINGS ASSOCIATIONS TO ACCEPT AND SECURE DEPOSITS FROM MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS	N	SUPPORT
S5264 BROOKS	A1274 MAGNARELLI	3/01/21 SEN TRANSPORTATION COMM 1/8/21 ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS	RELATES TO AUTHORIZING CHIEF EXECUTIVES TO DESIGNATE ANY VEHICLE AS AN EMERGENCY VEHICLE DURING A STATE OF EMERGENCY	N	MONITOR
S2598 HELMING	A5479 LEMONDES	5/4/21 SEN REPORTED AND COMMITTED TO FINANCE 2/19/21 ASSM WAYS & MEANS	ENACTS "AVERYANA'S LAW" TO PROVIDE A TAX CREDIT INCENTIVE FOR HOMEOWNERS TO PURCHASE PHOTOELECTRIC DETECTORS FOR THEIR HOMES.	N	SUPPORT
S967 GAUGHRAN	A2617 LAVINE	4/26/21 SEN SENT TO FINANCE 1/19/21 ASSM REAL PROP TAXATION	AUTHORIZES THE TAXATION OF CERTAIN STATE OWNED PARKS A HIGH PERCENT OF NON-TAXED STATE LAND SHIFTS THE BURDEN OF SUPPORTING POLICE, FIRE.	N	SUPPORT
S1590 RIVERA	A151 GOTTFRIED	5/24/21 SEN ADVANCE TO 3 RD READING 1/6/21 ASSM HEALTH	TO ALLOW HOSPITALS, EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (EMS), PHYSICIANS, AND HOME CARE AGENCIES, IN JOINT PARTNERSHIP, TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT A COLLABORATIVE PROGRAM WHEREBY AT-RISK INDIVIDUALS LIVING IN THE COMMUNITY CAN BE SERVED BY EMS FOR CARE OTHER THAN THE INITIAL EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE AND TRANSPORTATION TO THE HOSPITAL.	N	MONITOR

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S5680 LANZA	A6793 CUSICK	3/24/21 ADVANCED TO 3 RD READING 4/8/21 ASSM CODES COMM	THIS BILL EXPANDS AND CLARIFIES THE DEFINITION OF ARSON IN THE FIRST DEGREE TO INCLUDE FIRES ACCELERATE BY VARIOUS INCENDIARY MATERIALS, AND FIRES CAUSED OR ACCELERATED BY THE USE OF FLAMMABLE OR COMBUSTIBLE LIQUIDS OR FLAMMABLE GASES.	N	SUPPORT
S926A KAPLIN	A3318 SAYEGH NEEDS AMENDING	4/16/21 SEN AMNEND & RECOMMIT ENERGY & TELECOM COMM 2/11/21 ADVANCE TO 3 RD READING	REQUIRES ELECTRIC CORPORATIONS TO PRIORITIZE RESTORING SERVICES TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS, FIRE DEPARTMENTS, AND AMBULANCE SERVICES, WHEN SUCH SERVICES ARE INTERRUPTED	N	SUPPORT
S2256 HELMING	A506 JONES	3/3/21 ADVANCE TO THIRD READING 1/6/21 ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS	DIRECTS THE OFFICE OF FIRE PREVENTION AND CONTROL TO CONDUCT A STUDY WHICH EVALUATES THE MINIMUM RECOMMENDED QUALIFICATIONS TO BECOMING A VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER [ARE THEY SPEAKING WITH REPRESENTATIVE MEMBERS OF THE FIRE SERVICE, SUCH AS THE COORDINATORS?]	N	MONITOR
S3989A REICHLIN- MELNICK	A1320A ZEBROWSKI	5/27/21 AMEND & SEND TO BUDGET & REVENUE 5/27/21 AMEND AND SEND TO WAYS AND MEANS	PROVIDES TAX CREDITS TO CERTAIN VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS, VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE WORKERS AND VOLUNTEER EMERGENCY MEDICAL PERSONNEL OF UP TO \$1100 FOR QUALIFYING SERVICE; DEFINES "QUALIFYING SERVICE"	N	SUPPORT
S6477 MARTUCCI	A4736 MILLER B	4/30/21 SEN BUDGET & REVENUE 2/8/21 ASSM WAYS & MEANS	THIS LEGISLATION WOULD DIVERT MONIES COLLECTED FROM THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS SURCHARGE INTO A NEWLY CREATED FUND KNOWN AS THE NEW YORK STATE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT AUXILIARY FUND. THIS FUND WILL BE USED TO SUPPORT VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS WITHIN THE STATE BY PROVIDING THEM WITH FUNDING FOR EQUIPMENT AND RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION PROGRAMS. [THIS LEGISLATION WOULD DIVERT MONIES COLLECTED FROM THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS SURCHARGE]	N	OPPOSE DIVERTING 911 FUNDS
S5335 OBERACKER	A6310 TAGUE	3/2/21 SENT TO BUDGET & REVENUE 3/12/21 ASSM WAYS & MEANS COMM	PROVIDING A STATE INCOME TAX EXEMPTION FOR VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE WORKERS	N	SUPPORT
S1382 BROOKS	A777 WALLACE	1/11/21 SEN BUDGET & REVENUE 1/6/21 ASSM WAYS AND MEANS	RELATES TO ALLOWING A TAX EXEMPTION FOR FIRE EXTINGUISHERS AND FIRE, HEAT AND CARBON MONOXIDE ALARMS PURCHASED FOR RESIDENTIAL USE	N	SUPPORT
S5331 STEC	A857 JONES	4/16/21 SEN NOTICE OF COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION REQUESTED 1/6/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT COMM	THIS BILL WOULD AUTHORIZE MUNICIPALITIES TO ESTABLISH A SPECIAL DISTRICT FOR GENERAL AMBULANCE SERVICES, AND WOULD REQUIRE A REPORT BY THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES TO IDENTIFY CHALLENGES CONCERNING VOLUNTEER EMERGENCY SERVICES OR PERSONNEL.	N	SUPPORT
S6344 RATH	5885 HAWLEY	4/22/21 SEN LOCAL GOVT COMM 3/1/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT COMM	PROVIDES THAT EACH FIRE DISTRICT, DEPARTMENT OR COMPANY REQUIRED TO PROVIDE ENHANCED CANCER DISABILITY BENEFITS FOR VOLUNTEER FIRE FIGHTERS SHALL BE ENTITLED TO REIMBURSEMENT BY THE STATE	N	SUPPORT

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S6143 BOYLE	NO SAME AS	4/12/21 SENATE LOCAL GOVT COMM	AMENDS SECTION 175 OF THE TOWN LAW TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF COMPENSATION FOR ELECTION WORKERS FROM \$35 TO \$100 FOR UNDER 3 HOUR SHIFTS AND \$200 FOR OVER 3 HOUR SHIFTS.	N	SUPPORT
S5748 PALUMBO	A6804 GIGLIO JA	3/17/21 SEN LOCAL GOVT COMM 4/8/21 ASSM REAL PROP TAXATION	ELIMINATES THE REAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR FIRE DISTRICTS, FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICTS AND AMBULANCE DISTRICTS DEVELOPED THROUGH INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCIES IN SUFFOLK COUNTY	N	SUPPORT
S539 KAPLAN	A6640 FRONTUS	1/6/21 SEN INVESTIGATIONS AND GOVT OPERATIONS COMM 4/28/21 ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS COMM	REQUIRES EACH LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO LIVE STREAM AND POST VIDEO RECORDINGS OF ALL OPEN MEETINGS AND PUBLIC HEARINGS [UNFUNDED MANDATE]	N	UNFUNDED MANDATE
S389 KAMINSKY	A6485 SOLAGES	1/6/21 SEN HIGHER EDUCATION 3/19/21 ASSM HIGHER EDUCATION	RELATES TO FREE TUITION FOR NEW YORK STATE RESIDENTS SERVING AS VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AT CERTAIN COLLEGES	N	SUPPORT
S2171 HELMING	A5392 GALLAHAN	1/20/21 SEN INVESTIGATIONS & GOVTL OPS 2/16/21 ASSM WAYS AND MEANS	AMENDS THE TAX LAW TO ADD A NEW SUBSECTION (E-3) TO PROVIDE THAT IN THE CASE OF A CURRENT VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER WHO COMPLETES THE MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR INSTRUCTOR CERTIFICATION AS OUTLINED IN NYCRR 426.4, THERE SHALL BE ALLOWED A CREDIT AGAINST INCOME TAX OWED BY SUCH PERSON IN AN AMOUNT WHICH IS EQUAL TO \$500 OR THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THE TAX OWED BY THE TAXPAYER IF LESS THAN \$500, WHICHEVER IS LOWER.	N	SUPPORT
S5154 BAILEY	A5966 ABBATE	2/25/21 SEN HEALTH 1/28/21 ASSM HEALTH	DESIGNATES CERTAIN EMERGENCY AND PUBLIC SAFETY DISPATCHERS AND OPERATORS AS FIRST RESPONDERS	N	SUPPORT
S5348 STEC	A4747 WALCZYK	3/2/21 SEN PROCUREMENT & CONTRACTS 2/8/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT	AUTHORIZES MUNICIPALITIES TO CONTRACT FOR SERVICES THROUGH CONTRACTS LET BY ANY OTHER GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY [SUPPORT BECAUSE IT AMENDS THE PIGGYBACK PROVISION OF THE COMPETITIVE BIDDING STATUTE TO INCLUDE MORE SERVICE AND PUBLIC WORKS TYPES OF CONTRACTS]	Y	SUPPORT
S3438 GAUGHRAN	A4741 STERN	1/29/21 SEN FINANCE COMM 2/8/21 ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS	ESTABLISHES A PILOT PROGRAM FOR THE PREVENTION OF AND TREATMENT FOR TRAUMATIC STRESS ON VOLUNTEER FIRST RESPONDERS	N	SUPPORT
S1918 AKSHAR	A5232 ANGELINO	1/16/21 SEN TRANSPORTATION 2/12/21 ASSM TRANSPORTATION	AUTHORIZES THE CREATION AND ISSUANCE OF A DISTINCTIVE LICENSE PLATE FOR FIRE POLICE.	N	SUPPORT
S3747 SERINO	A5211 GUNTHER	1/30/21 SEN INVESTIGATIONS & GOVT OPERATIONS 2/12/21 ASSM ENVL CONSERVATION	PROVIDES A TAX CREDIT FOR THE COST OF FISHING AND HUNTING LICENSES ISSUED TO VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND AMBULANCE WORKERS	N	SUPPORT
S4624 SKOUFIS	A1533 SANTABARBARA	2/8/21 SEN JUDICIARY COMM 1/11/21 ASSM JUDICIARY	EXEMPTS ACTIVE VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS FROM JURY DUTY	N	SUPPORT

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S2579 HELMING	A5416 MANKTELOW	1/21/21 SEN TRANSPORTATION 2/16/21 ASSM TRANSPORTATION	VEHICLE AND TRAFFIC LAW IS AMENDED TO ALLOW ANY MOTOR VEHICLE OWNED BY A VOLUNTEER MEMBER OF A FIRE DEPARTMENT OR MOTOR VEHICLE OWNED BY A MEMBER OF SUCH PERSON'S FAMILY OR BUSINESS ENTERPRISE TO HAVE MORE THAN ONE BLUE LIGHT DISPLAYED ON THE VEHICLE.	N	SUPPORT
S4234 GOUNARDES	A4939 O'DONNELL	02/03/21 SEN LABOR COMM 2/9/21 ASSM LABOR COMM	TO ENSURE THAT NEW YORK'S FIRST RESPONDERS ARE RIGHTFULLY COMPENSATED FOR THEIR SERVICE, SPECIFICALLY WHEN THEY SUFFER FROM POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER (PTSD) AS A RESULT OF THEIR DUTY TO THE PEOPLE OF NEW YORK, THIS BILL ADDS PTSD TO THE LIST OF ELIGIBLE MEDICAL CONDITIONS FOR WORKERS' COMPENSATION.	N	SUPPORT
S1158 RITCHIE	A5208 GUNTHER	1/7/21 SEN HEALTH COMM 2/12/21 ASSM HEALTH	RELATES TO ESTABLISHING THE RURAL EMERGENCY FIRST RESPONDER PROGRAM REVOLVING FUND AND REQUIRES GRANTS BE MADE FOR QUALIFIED FARMEDIC PROGRAMS	N	SUPPORT
S3190 ORTT	A4345 MORINELLO	01/28/21 SEN TO CULTURAL AFFAIRS, TOURISM, PARKS & RECREATION 02/01/21 ASSM TOURISM, PARKS, ARTS & SPORTS DEVELOPMENT	PROVIDES FREE USE OF STATE PARKS AND CAMPSITES FOR VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND MEMBERS OF A VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE SERVICE	N	SUPPORT
S3644 ORTT	A3681 HAWLEY	01/28/21 SEN WAYS AND MEANS 01/30/21 ASSM BUDGET AND REVENUE	CREATES A WAGE TAX CREDIT FOR EMPLOYERS WHO EMPLOY NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARD MEN AND WOMEN, RESERVISTS, VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND EMS PERSONNEL	N	SUPPORT
S3656 ORTT	A4272 NORRIS	01/30/21 SENATE FINANCE COMM 2/1/21 ASSM HIGHER EDUCATION	THIS LEGISLATION WOULD HELP TO ADDRESS THE CONTINUING DIFFICULTY LOCAL VOLUNTEER FIRE AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE (EMS) DEPARTMENTS HAVE HAD RECRUITING AND RETAINING VOLUNTEERS.	N	SUPPORT
S3878 GRIFFO	A1172 BUTTENSCHON	02/01/21 SEN VETERANS, HOMELAND SECURITY & MILITARY AFFAIRS 1/7/21 ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS	RELATES TO THE LENGTH OF TIME OF A STATE DISASTER EMERGENCY DECLARATION	N	MONITOR
S789 KAPLAN	A4559 SILLITTI	1/6/21 SEN CULTURAL AFFAIRS, TOURISM, PARKS AND RECREATION COMM 02/04/21 REFERRED TO TOURISM, PARKS, ARTS AND SPORTS DEVELOPMENT	WAIVES FEES AT PUBLIC CAMPSITES, PARKS AND OTHER PUBLIC PLACES OF RECREATION FOR CERTAIN FIRST RESPONDERS	N	SUPPORT
S1321 HELMING	A4439 MANKTELOW	1/11/21 SEN EDUCATION COMM 2/4/21 ASSM EDUCATION COMM	REQUIRES SCHOOLS TO ALLOW FIRE DEPARTMENTS TO MAKE A RECRUITMENT PRESENTATION IN A HIGH SCHOOL	N	SUPPORT
S797 KAPLAN	A4680 SILLITTI	1/6/21 SEN TRANSPORTATION COMM 02/04/21 ASSM TRANSPORTATION	EXEMPTS CERTAIN FIRST RESPONDERS FROM VEHICLE REGISTRATION FEES	N	SUPPORT
S3550 BRESLIN	A1842 PRETLOW	1/30/21 SEN INSURANCE COMM 1/11/21 ASSM INSURANCE COMM	RELATES TO REIMBURSEMENT FOR AMBULANCE SERVICES; REQUIRES INSURERS TO SUBMIT PAYMENTS DIRECTLY TO AMBULANCE	N	MONITOR

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			PROVIDERS WHO ARE IN-NETWORK OR, FOR OUT-OF-NETWORK AMBULANCE PROVIDERS, REQUIRES THE ISSUANCE OF A JOINT CHECK TO THE INSURED SPECIFYING BOTH THE INSURED AND THE AMBULANCE PROVIDER AS PAYEES.		
S970 GAUGHRAN	A1391 CAHILL	2/1/21 ADVANCE TO 3 RD READING 1/8/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT	RELATES TO PROVIDING ENHANCED CANCER DISABILITY BENEFITS TO VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS. ESSENTIALLY EXEMPTS THE COST OF CANCER INSURANCE FROM THE TAX LEVY LIMITS	N	SUPPORT
S4417 MAY	A1191 BUTTENSCHON	02/04/21 SEN HIGHER EDUCATION 1/7/21 ASSM HIGHER EDUCATION	ESTABLISHES THE VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS OF NEW YORK HIGHER EDUCATION LEARNING PLAN	N	SUPPORT
S1618 SANDERS	A2597 FALL	1/14/21 SEN LOCAL GOVT 1/19/21 ASSM GOVTL EMPLOYEES	PROVIDES LINE OF DUTY SICK LEAVE FOR FIRST RESPONDERS WHO ARE DIAGNOSED WITH OR DISPLAY SYMPTOMS OF A PANDEMIC VIRUS	N	MONITOR
S1963 BROOKS	A1560 JEAN-PIERRE	1/16/21 SEN LOCAL GOVT COMM 1/11/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVTS	THE PURPOSE OF THIS BILL IS TO EXTEND EXISTING BENEFITS FOR VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND AMBULANCE WORKERS TO INCLUDE EXPOSURE TO COVID-19 DURING A STATE OF EMERGENCY.	N	SUPPORT
S1736 SKOUFIS	A205 GOTTFRIED	1/14/21 SEN HEALTH COMM 1/6/21 ASSM HEALTH	RELATES TO ESTABLISHING HOSPITAL-SPONSORED OFF CAMPUS EMERGENCY DEPARTMENTS	N	MONITOR
S1315 GAUGHRAN	A2238 STERN	1/14/21 ASSM TOURISM, PARKS, ARTS & SPORTS DEVEL COMM	RELATES TO ANNUAL VEHICULAR ACCESS FOR ACTIVE VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND ACTIVE VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE WORKERS THIS BILL WOULD PROVIDE VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND AMBULANCE WORKERS, WHO EARNED LOSAP POINTS IN THE PRIOR YEAR, FREE ACCESS TO NEW YORK STATE PARKS.	N	SUPPORT
S1009 GAUGHRAN	A283 JACOBSON	1/6/21 SEN LABOR 1/6/21 ASSM LABOR	AN ACT TO AMEND THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAW AND THE VOLUNTEER FIRE- FIGHTERS' BENEFIT LAW, IN RELATION TO REQUIRING THE STATE TO PROVIDE REIMBURSEMENT OF CERTAIN COSTS AND BENEFITS INCURRED AS A RESULT OF AN INJURY OCCURRING DURING A MUTUAL AID CALL.	N	SUPPORT
S382 KAPLAN	A566 CAHILL	1/6/21 SEN LOCAL GOVT 1/6/20 ASSM LOCAL GOVT	ESTABLISHES A VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS' BENEFIT CLAIM ASSISTANCE UNIT TO INITIATE CONTACT WITH FIREFIGHTER OR SURVIVING DEPENDENTS AND ASSIST WITH CLAIM	N	SUPPORT
S204 KAPLAN	A886 WOERNER	1/6/21 SEN BUDGET & REVENUE 1/6/21 ASSM WAYS & MEANS	GIVES STATE INCOME TAX CREDIT TO VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND MEMBERS OF A VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE CORPS IN GOOD STANDING UP TO \$1200	N	SUPPORT
S953 GAUGHRAN	A944 MAGNARELLI	1/6/21 SEN LOCAL GOVT 1/6/21 ASSM REAL PROPERTY TAXATION	REQUIRES BUSINESSES THAT MAKE PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES TO PROVIDE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND SCHOOL DISTRICTS WITH NOTICE OF THEIR INTENTION TO CHANGE ASSESSMENT	N	SUPPORT
S500 BRESLIN	A1109 PAULIN	1/6/21 SEN INSURANCE COMM 1/6/21 ASSM INSURANCE COMM	RELATES TO THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE FOREIGN AND ALIEN FIRE INSURANCE PREMIUM TAX TO PROVIDE THAT FIRE INSURANCE MONEY FOR FIRE DEPARTMENTS, COMPANIES, AND VOLUNTEER BENEVOLENT	N	SUPPORT

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ASSOCIATIONS BE DISTRIBUTED IN PROPORTION TO THE NUMBER OF ACTIVE MEMBERS WITHIN EACH COMPANY.					
SENATE ONLY BILLS					
S447 HOYLMAN	NO SAME AS	3/10/21 PASSED SENATE 3/10/21 ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS COMM	RELATES TO COMPLIANCE WITH THE OPEN MEETINGS LAW DURING A STATE DISASTER EMERGENCY. GIVES PUBLIC BODIES THE FLEXIBILITY TO HOLD MEETINGS THROUGH MEANS OTHER THAN IN-PERSON, INCLUDING LIVE-STREAMING, VIDEO CONFERENCING, OR TELECONFERENCING, WHEN, AS A DIRECT RESULT OF AN EXTANT STATE DISASTER EMERGENCY, HOLDING SUCH A MEETING WOULD UNDULY THREATEN THE HEALTH OR SAFETY OF MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC BODY OR THE GENERAL PUBLIC.	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A6599 LAWLER	6/7/21 HELD FOR CONSIDERATION IN GOVTL OPERATIONS	SECTION 1: ADDS SECTION 50-A TO THE CIVIL RIGHTS LAW TO CONSIDER PERSONNEL RECORDS OF POLICE, FIRE AND CORRECTIONS EMPLOYEES CONFIDENTIAL AND NOT SUBJECT TO INSPECTION OR REVIEW WITH THE CONSENT OF THE OFFICER IN QUESTION EXCEPT AS MANDATED BY THE COURT.	N	SUPPORT
S6271 HELMING	NO SAME AS	4/20/21 SEN TRANSP COMM	TO ALLOW TOW TRUCKS AND ROADSIDE SERVICE VEHICLES TO DISPLAY REAR-FACING AMBER AND BLUE LIGHTS <i>WHILE ENGAGED IN A HAZARDOUS OPERATION.</i> <i>[THE FIRE SERVICE HAS MADE THE ARGUMENT RE THE VISIBILITY OF REAR FACING BLUE LIGHTS THUS WE SUPPORT THE TOW OPERATORS]</i>	N	SUPPORT
S6148 BOYLE	NO SAME AS	4/13/21 SEN VEHICLE TRAFFIC & SAFETY COMM	TO REQUIRE THE METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY, THE DIVISION OF STATE POLICE, LOCAL POLICE AGENCIES, LOCAL GOVERNMENTS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND ANY OTHER DEPARTMENT, DIVISION, BOARD, BUREAU, COMMISSION; AGENCY OR PUBLIC AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OR ANY POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THEREOF DEEMED NECESSARY BY THE COMMISSIONER OF TRANSPORTATION, TO CONDUCT A STUDY TO EVALUATE WEIGHT LIMITATIONS FOR FIRE VEHICLES WITH PNEUMATIC TIRES AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING INCREASING OR ELIMINATING THE WEIGHT LIMITATIONS.	N	SUPPORT
S2088A JORDAN	NO SAME AS	1/19/21 SEN INTERNET & TECHNOLOGY	RELATES TO REQUIRING INTERNET SERVICE PROVIDERS TO CHARGE A RESIDENTIAL RATE TO EMERGENCY SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS	N	SUPPORT
S3728 ORTT	SEE A 4736	01/30/21 SEN BUDGET AND REVENUE	THIS ACT SHALL ESTABLISH THE NEW YORK STATE VOLUNTEER FIRE PROTECTION REIMBURSEMENT ACCOUNT. [THIS LEGISLATION WOULD DIVERT MONIES COLLECTED FROM THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS SURCHARGE] THAT ARE CURRENTLY DEPOSITED IN THE GENERAL FUND INTO A NEWLY	N	OPPOSE DIVERTING 911 FUNDS

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			CREATED FUND KNOWN AS THE NEW YORK STATE VOLUNTEER FIRE PROTECTION REIMBURSEMENT ACCOUNT.		
S4087 HINCHEY	NO SAME AS	02/02/21 SEN LOCAL GOVERNMENT	RELATES TO ALLOWING A COUNTY TO ENTER INTO A MUNICIPAL COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT TO PROVIDE JOINT EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES	N	SUPPORT
S2033 AKSHAR	NO SAME AS	02/01/21 REPORTED AND COMMITTED TO FINANCE COMM	THIS BILL PROVIDES A TAX CREDIT OF FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS TO ANY VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER OR AMBULANCE WORKER WHO HAS BEEN ACTIVE FOR THE ENTIRE TAXABLE YEAR FOR WHICH THE CREDIT IS SOUGHT. FOR FIRST RESPONDERS WHO QUALIFY FOR THIS TAX CREDIT THAT HAVE SERVED A MINIMUM OF FIVE YEARS THEY SHALL BE ALLOWED ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS OF CREDIT.	N	SUPPORT
S1522 TEDISCO	NO SAME AS	1/12/21 SEN CODES COMM	ENSURES PRIVACY PROTECTIONS FOR ALL EMERGENCY PERSONNEL PRESENT AT A CRIME SCENE INCLUDING AMBULANCE SERVICES OR ADVANCED LIFE SUPPORT FIRST RESPONSE SERVICES, CERTIFIED FIRST RESPONDERS, FIREFIGHTERS, EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIANS OR ADVANCED EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIANS, WHO ARE EMPLOYED BY OR ENROLLED MEMBERS OF ANY SUCH SERVICE. TO ENSURE PRIVACY PROTECTIONS FOR ALL EMERGENCY PERSONNEL PRESENT AT A CRIME SCENE AS IT RELATES TO THE DISCOVERY PROCESS.	N	SUPPORT
S1960 BROOKS	NO SAME AS	1/16/21 SEN BUDGET & REVENUE	ESTABLISHES A TAX EXEMPTION FOR AN ACTIVE VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER AND A VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE WORKER	N	SUPPORT
S1917 AKSHAR	NO SAME AS	1/16/21 SEN CODES	DESIGNATES OFFENSES AGAINST LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS, FIREFIGHTERS AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PERSONNEL AS HATE CRIMES	N	SUPPORT
S1946 AKSHAR	NO SAME AS	1/16/21 SEN BUDGET & REVENUE	PROHIBITS THE DIVERSION OF FUNDS DEDICATED TO OPERATING AND MAINTAINING AN ENHANCED 911 EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SYSTEM OR OTHER MUNICIPAL PUBLIC SAFETY UPGRADES AND PROVIDES FUNDS FOR MUNICIPAL PUBLIC SAFETY UPGRADES	N	SUPPORT
S2270 GALLIVAN	NO SAME AS	1/20/21 SEN TRANSPORTATION	THIS BILL INCREASES THE PENALTIES FOR A VIOLATION OF THE MOVE-OVER LAW WHEN A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER, FIRST RESPONDER, TOW TRUCK OPERATOR OR OTHER APPLICABLE SAFETY PERSONNEL ARE PHYSICALLY INJURED OR KILLED BECAUSE OF SUCH VIOLATION.	N	SUPPORT
S2162 ORTT	NO SAME AS	1/20/21 SEN LOCAL GOVT	THIS LEGISLATION WOULD ALLOW A MUNICIPALITY TO RECOUP THE COST OF SENDING A FIREFIGHTER TO TRAINING SCHOOL FROM ANOTHER MUNICIPALITY THAT HIRES THAT FIREFIGHTER WITHIN THREE YEARS OF THEIR TRAINING.	N	MONITOR
S713 BRESLIN	NO SAME AS	1/6/21 SEN INSURANCE	RELATES TO TAXES ON FOREIGN FIRE INSURANCE PREMIUMS. THIS LEGISLATION WOULD PROVIDE AN AVENUE FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENTS	N	MONITOR

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			TO UPDATE THEIR ANTIQUATED AND OUTDATED LAWS RELATED TO THE DISBURSEMENT OF FOREIGN FIRE INSURANCE.		
S1018 KAMINSKY	NO SAME AS	1/6/21 SEN LOCAL GOVT	RELATES TO THE ELIGIBILITY OF ACTIVE VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE WORKERS FOR THE STATE OF NEW YORK MORTGAGE AGENCY LOW INTEREST ATE PROGRAM	N	SUPPORT
S1157 RITCHIE	NO SAME AS	1/7/21 SEN INVESTIGATIONS AND GOVT OPS COMM	ESTABLISHES A TAX CREDIT FOR TAXPAYERS WHO DONATE EQUIPMENT OR MATERIALS TO FIRST RESPONDER LIVE TRAINING PROGRAMS NOT TO EXCEED \$3,000 PER TAX YEAR.	N	SUPPORT
ASSEMBLY ONLY BILLS					
NO SAME AS	A6490 STERN	3/19/21 REAL PROPERTY TAXATION	THIS BILL WOULD ALLOW AN ENROLLED MEMBER OF AN INCORPORATED VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY, FIRE DEPARTMENT OR INCORPORATED VOLUNTARY AMBULANCE SERVICE, RESIDING IN A COUNTY OF A CERTAIN SIZE AND NOT WITHIN A CITY WITH A POPULATION IN EXCESS OF ONE MILLION, TO BE EXEMPT FROM PAYING THE FIRE PORTION OF THEIR PROPERTY TAX BILL, WHICH IS CALCULATED TO BE 10% OF THEIR TOTAL TAX LIABILITY.	N	SUPPORT
NO SAME AS	A5590 BRABENEC (ORANGE CO.)	2/22/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVTS	THIS ONLY EFFECTS CERTAIN NAMED FIRE DISTRICTS. AN ANNUAL ELECTION SHALL BE HELD IN EACH FIRE DISTRICT ON THE FIRST TUESDAY NEXT SUCCEEDING THE FIRST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, EXCEPT THAT IN THE OCEAN BAY PARK FIRE DISTRICT, THE LORIELYVILLE FIRE DISTRICT, THE DAVIS PARK FIRE DISTRICT, THE CHERRY GROVE FIRE DISTRICT, THE FAIR HARBOR FIRE' DISTRICT AND THE FIRE ISLAND PINES FIRE DISTRICT, SUFFOLK COUNTY, SUCH ANNUAL ELECTION SHALL BE HELD ON THE SECOND TUESDAY IN JULY EXCEPT THAT IN THE BELFAST FIRE DISTRICT, ALLEGANY COUNTY, SUCH ANNUAL ELECTION SHALL BE HELD ON THE FIRST TUESDAY IN DECEMBER.	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A5594 FITZPATRICK	2/22/21 ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS	THIS NEW SECTION OF THE GENERAL BUSINESS LAW REQUIRES BUSINESSES THAT ARE OPEN TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC FOR THE SALE OF GOODS AND SERVICES, AND HAVE A MULTI-LINE TELEPHONE SYSTEM TO CONFIGURE SAID SYSTEM TO ALLOW ANY CALL TO "911" ON THE SERVICE TO BE DIRECTLY CONNECTED TO A PUBLIC SAFETY ANSWERING POINT WITHOUT THE USE OF AN ACCESS CODE.	N	SUPPORT
NO SAME AS (ALTHOUGH THERE ARE SIMILAR BILLSO	A5663 BRABENEC	2/22/21 ASSM PROPERTY TAXATION	RELATES TO PROVIDING A TAX EXEMPTION FOR VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE WORKERS	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A5632	2/22/21 ASSM HOUSING COMM	THIS BILL WOULD ENCOURAGE THE DEVELOPMENT OF AFFORDABLE	N	MONITOR

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	FITZPATRICK		HOME OWNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR POLICE OFFICERS, FIREFIGHTERS AND TEACHERS IN ORDER THAT THEY MAY LIVE IN THE MUNICIPALITIES OR SCHOOL DISTRICTS <u>IN WHICH THEY ARE EMPLOYED.</u>		
NO SAME AS	A5866 SANTABARBARA	3/1/21 ASSM TRANSPORTATION	TO REQUIRE THAT MOTORISTS YIELD THE RIGHT OF WAY TO VEHICLES DISPLAYING AN EMERGENCY BLUE LIGHT, ALLOWING UNIMPEDED PASSAGE FOR VOLUNTEER FIRE FIGHTERS RESPONDING TO EMERGENCIES IN THE LINE OF DUTY.	N	SUPPORT
NO SAME AS	A5280 ABINANTI	2/12/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT COMM	TO AUTHORIZE THE ELMSFORD AND HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON FIRE DEPARTMENTS TO CHARGE FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PROVIDED.	N	SUPPORT
NO SAME AS	A4757 MANKTELOW	2/8/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT	WOULD REQUIRE THE OFFICE OF FIRE PREVENTION AND CONTROL TO ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN A CENTRALIZED REPORTING SYSTEM AND DATA BASE OF THE NAMES AND FIREFIGHTING ORGANIZATIONS OF ALL FIREFIGHTERS IN THE STATE. <i>ALSO, THERE DOES NOT EXIST A COMPREHENSIVE DEFINITION OF AN ACTIVE FIREFIGHTER WITHIN STATE LAW.</i>	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A4836 MILLER B	5/11/21 ASSM TRANSPORTATION HELD FOR CONSIDERATION	AMENDS SUBDIVISION A OF SECTION 1144 OF THE VEHICLE AND TRAFFIC LAW, WHICH PRESCRIBES THAT UPON THE IMMEDIATE APPROACH OF AN AUTHORIZED EMERGENCY VEHICLE EQUIPPED WITH AT LEAST ONE LIGHTED LAMP EXHIBITING RED OR BLUE LIGHT VISIBLE UNDER NORMAL ATMOSPHERIC CONDITIONS, WHEN OPERATED AS AN AUTHORIZED EMERGENCY VEHICLE INCLUDING VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS; THE DRIVER OF EVERY OTHER VEHICLE SHALL YIELD THE RIGHT OF WAY AND SHALL IMMEDIATELY DRIVE TO A POSITION PARALLEL TO, AND AS CLOSE AS POSSIBLE TO THE RIGHT-HAND EDGE OR CURB OF THE ROADWAY.	N	SUPPORT
NO SAME AS	A4996 STERN	2/10/21 ASSM CODES COMM	RELATES TO INCREASING THE PENALTIES FOR ASSAULT ON POLICE OFFICERS, PEACE OFFICERS, FIREFIGHTERS AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIANS	N	SUPPORT
NO SAME AS	A4873 PALMESANO	2/8/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT	WHERE ITS NOT ALREADY DONE PROVIDES THAT THE ELECTION OF CHIEF AND ASSISTANT CHIEF BY A FIRE DEPARTMENT MAY BE ON THE SAME DAY AS THE DAY OF ELECTION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT'S ELECTION OF ADMINISTRATION OFFICERS THE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS MAY BY RESOLUTION, ADOPT A POLICY ALLOWING FIRE DISTRICTS THE OPTION TO SET THE DAY OF ELECTING CHIEFS AND ASSISTANT CHIEFS ON THE SAME DAY AS THE FIRE DEPARTMENT'S ELECTION OF ADMINISTRATION OFFICES.	N	SUPPORT
NO SAME AS	A4748 STERN	2/8/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT	PROVIDES VOLUNTEER EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIANS ENHANCED CANCER DISABILITY BENEFITS	N	MONITOR

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NO SAME AS	A1224 CAHILL	1/7/21 ASSM INSURANCE COMM	EXPANDS THE LISTING OF TYPES OF ELIGIBLE GROUPS THAT COULD BE COVERED BY BLANKET GROUP ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE.	N	SUPPORT
NO SAME AS	A2301 ROSENTHAL L	1/14/21 ASSM WAYS & MEANS	EXEMPTS THE SALE OF FIRE EXTINGUISHERS, SMOKE ALARMS, HEAT SENSORS AND CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS FROM SALES AND USE TAXES	N	SUPPORT
NO SAME AS	A2061 SIMON	1/14/21 ASSM RACING & WAGERING	PROHIBITS FIREARMS AS PRIZES IN ANY GAME OF CHANCE	N	OPPOSE
NO SAME AS	A1570 PRETLOW	1/11/21 ASSM TRANSPORTATION	THIS BILL WILL ALLOW EMERGENCY VEHICLES TO RESPOND, TO EMERGENCY CALLS THAT NEED THEIR IMMEDIATE ATTENTION WITHOUT USING "RECKLESS DISREGARD STANDARD OF CARE". IT'S IN THE BEST INTEREST OF EVERYONE THAT WE STAND BEHIND THOSE WHO RISK THEIR LIVES TRYING TO SAVE THE LIVES OF OTHERS.	N	SUPPORT
NO SAME AS	A1622 SANTABARBERA	1/11/21 ASSM HEALTH	THIS BILL ALLOWS PROGRAM AGENCIES SUCH AS PUBLIC AGENCIES THAT PROVIDE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES THE OPPORTUNITY TO RAISE AND ACCEPT FUNDING THROUGH SOURCES OTHER THAN STATE AGENCY REIMBURSEMENT, WITHOUT JEOPARDIZING THE ACQUISITION TO STATE AGENCY FULL FUNDING.	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A1680 PRETLOW	1/11/21 ASSM TRANSPORTATION COMM	DECREASES THE PROHIBITED AREA OF PARKING AROUND A FIRE HYDRANT FROM FIFTEEN TO TEN FEET	N	OPPOSE
NO SAME AS	A1682 PRETLOW	1/11/21 ASSM GOVTL EMPLOYEES	REQUIRES THAT PERSONS APPLYING FOR APPOINTMENT AS A CIVIL SERVICE FIRE FIGHTER BE NOT MORE THAN 29 YEARS OLD ON THE DATE OF THE WRITTEN EXAMINATION <i>[ALLOW LOCAL AHJ/CC TO DETERMINE MAX AGE]</i>	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A29 QUART	1/6/21 ASSM HEALTH	ENACTS THE GOOD SAMARITAN AMBULANCE ACT OF 2021 TO ALLOW THE PROVISION OF AMBULANCE SERVICES OUTSIDE OF AN AGENCY'S PRIMARY TERRITORY IN EMERGENCIES	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A44 GUNTHER	1/6/21 ASSM TRANSPORTATION	RELATES TO OWNER LIABILITY FOR FAILURE OF OPERATOR TO MOVE OVER WHEN APPROACHING A POLICE, FIRE, OR EMERGENCY VEHICLE. THERE IS TECHNOLOGY AVAILABLE THAT ALLOWS AUTHORIZED POLICE VEHICLES TO USE A MOVE OVER ENFORCEMENT CAMERA TO ISSUE VIOLATIONS FOR MOTORIST WHO FAIL TO ADHERE TO THE CURRENT LAW AND CREATES A PROGRAM TO PURCHASE AND INSTALL SUCH.	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A889 WALLACE	1/6/21 ASSM HIGHER EDUCATION	GRANTS VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIANS ACADEMIC CREDIT AT SUNY AND CUNY	N	SUPPORT
NO SAME AS	A1071 CAHILL	1/7/21 ASSM TRANSPORTATION	PROVIDES A TOLL EXEMPTION FOR CERTAIN AMBULANCE SERVICES	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A1165 CAHILL	1/7/21 ASSM REAL PROP TAXATION	RELATES TO STATE PAYMENT OF LOCAL TAXES ON CERTAIN PRIVATELY OWNED LANDS THAT THE STATE REQUIRES TO BE FULLY EXEMPT FROM PROPERTY TAXATION	N	SUPPORT

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NO SAME AS	A1126 BYRNES	1/7/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVTS	ESTABLISHES THE WHEATLAND-SCOTTSVILLE JOINT FIRE DISTRICT IN MONROE COUNTY	N	MONITOR
HARMFUL BILLS					
NO SAME AS	A5991 PICHARDO	3/4/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT COMM	TO ENSURE THAT LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND THEIR TAXPAYERS RECEIVE THE COST SAVINGS BENEFITS OF COMPETITIVE BIDDING IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT PURCHASING BY PROVIDING POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS WITH COMPTROLLER'S OPINIONS ON SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT ACTIONS AND BY HOLDING POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS ACCOUNTABLE FOR COMPLYING WITH THE COMPETITIVE BIDDING LAW. AUTHORIZES THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO ENJOIN AN ILLEGAL PROCUREMENT ACTION, ALLOWS A GOOD FAITH BIDDER WHO SHOULD HAVE WON A CONTRACT TO SUE FOR DAMAGES, ESTABLISHES A CIVIL PENALTY FOR A WILLFUL AND INTENTIONAL VIOLATION OF THE LAW, AND SETS A FEE FOR INITIATING A COMPTROLLER'S OPINION. <i>[THE SERIOUSNESS OF THE PROBLEM IS DEMONSTRATED BY THE FACT THAT MANY OF OUR REGULARLY SCHEDULED AUDITS HAVE REPEATEDLY DISCLOSED INSTANCES WHERE ITEMS SHOULD HAVE BEEN COMPETITIVELY BID BUT WERE NOT.]</i> READ THE COMPLETE JUSTIFICATION HERE: http://public.leginfo.state.ny.us/navigate.cgi?NVDTO:	N	UNFUNDED MANDATE
S2891A GOUNARDES	A4784A ABBATE	3/17/21 AMEND & RECOMMIT TO CIVIL SERVICE & PENSIONS 4/7/21 ASSM AMENDED AND RECOMMITTED TO GOVTL OPS COMM	WOULD AMEND CIVIL SERVICE LAW §75 [THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINARY HEARING STATUTE] TO REQUIRE THAT THE CASE BE HEARD BY A NEUTRAL ARBITRATOR, THAT BOTH THE GOVERNING BOARD AND THE ACCUSED EMPLOYEE HAVE A SAY IN THE SELECTION OF AND WHO MUST BE A MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. IN ADDITION, THE ABILITY TO SUSPEND WITHOUT PAY PENDING THE HEARING IS SEVERELY LIMITED. <i>[THIS IS A BILL THAT SHOULD BE OPPOSED BY ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATIONS BECAUSE OF THE COSTS IT ADDS TO THE EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE PROCESS.]</i>	N	UNFUNDED MANDATE
NO SAME AS	A5279 ABINANTI	2/12/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT COMM	REQUIRES THE ELECTION OF FIRE DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS TO TAKE PLACE ON THE SAME DATE AND SAME LOCATION AS ELECTION OF SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS. <i>[NOTE THAT SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS ARE HELD IN MAY AND SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND FIRE DISTRICTS ARE NOT CONTIGUOUS GOING TO CAUSE MORE CONFUSION AND HAS THE POTENTIAL TO FURTHER POLITICIZE FIRE DISTRICT ELECTIONS]</i>	N	OPPOSE
NO SAME AS	A5590 BRABENEC	2/22/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT COMM	CHANGES THE DATE FIRE DISTRICT VOTES TAKE PLACE; GIVES THE LOCAL BOARD OF ELECTIONS CONTROL OVER FIRE DISTRICT ELECTIONS. THIS BILL WOULD CHANGE THE ANNUAL ELECTION <i>IN CERTAIN FIRE</i>	N	OPPOSE

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			<u>DISTRICTS TO THE FIRST TUESDAY NEXT SUCCEEDING THE FIRST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER.</u>		
NO BILL	NO BILL		THIS AMENDMENT REALLOCATES ONE PERCENT OF AMOUNT REMAINING AFTER THE SUPERINTENDENT DEDUCTS THE EXPENSES OF COLLECTION AND DISTRIBUTION FROM THE AMOUNT THAT HE OR SHE RECEIVED FROM THE FIRE INSURANCE PREMIUM TAX PURSUANT TO INSURANCE LAW SECTIONS 9104 AND 9105 TO THE NEW YORK STATE PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATION INSTEAD OF THE FIREMAN'S ASSOCIATION OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.	N	OPPOSE
NO BILL	NO BILL		RELATES TO REQUIRING ABSENTEE BALLOTS FOR FIRE DISTRICT ELECTIONS.	N	OPPOSE
NO SAME AS	A5279 ABINANTI	2/12/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT	REQUIRES THE ELECTION OF FIRE DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS TO TAKE PLACE ON THE SAME DATE AND AT THE SAME LOCATION AS ELECTIONS OF SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS.	N	OPPOSE

BUILDING AND FIRE CODE RELATED BILLS

S881 BROOKS	A964 ZEBROWSKI	2/16/21 SIGNED INTO LAW CHAPTER 47 1/19/21 PASSED SENATE 2/10/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	PROVIDES THAT IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER APPLICABLE REMEDY OR PENALTY, WHERE A BUILDING HAS BEEN ALTERED IN VIOLATION OF ANY PROVISION OF THE UNIFORM CODE OR ANY LAWFUL ORDER OBTAINED THEREUNDER, AND SUCH ALTERATION IMPEDES A PERSON'S EGRESS FROM SUCH BUILDING DURING A FIRE OR OTHER EMERGENCY EVACUATION, THE OWNER OF SUCH BUILDING, AND ANY BUILDER, ARCHITECT, CONTRACTOR, SUBCONTRACTOR OR CONSTRUCTION SUPERINTENDENT, OR AGENT THEREOF WHO HAS KNOWLEDGE OF SUCH ALTERATION, OR AN OWNER WHO REASONABLY SHOULD HAVE HAD KNOWLEDGE OF SUCH ALTERATION BASED ON EITHER AN INSPECTION OR REPAIR OF A LEASED PREMISES WITH CONSENT FROM THE TENANT, SHALL BE SUBJECT TO A CIVIL PENALTY OF UP TO \$7500	N	2/16/21 SIGNED INTO LAW CHAPTER 47
S1383 BROOKS	A711 WALLACE	5/20/21 PASSED SENATE 5/24/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	REQUIRES A HOMEOWNER BE PROVIDED A COST ESTIMATE FOR INSTALLATION OF A FIRE SPRINKLER SYSTEM	N	MONITOR
S391 KAMINSKY	A443 PAULIN	3/11/21 PASSED SENATE 5/12/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	RELATES TO REQUIRING LOCAL BUILDING AND PLANNING REGULATIONS TO ACCOMMODATE THE USE OF CERTAIN RENEWABLE AND ALTERNATIVE ENERGY SOURCES. TO PROMOTE THE USE OF ALTERNATIVE ENERGY SOURCES BY ENCOURAGING TOWNS AND VILLAGES TO CONSIDER CERTAIN ALTERNATIVE ENERGY SOURCES WHEN DESIGNING ZONING AND PLANNING REGULATIONS.	N	TO GOV FOR SIGNATURE
S2884A MAY	A362A ZEBROWSKI	6/1/21 PASSED SENATE 6/7/21 3rd READING RULES COMM	RELATES TO PENALTIES FOR CODE VIOLATIONS; PROVIDES PENALTIES FOR SECOND AND THIRD CODE VIOLATIONS. IT ALSO AUTHORIZES LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO ENACT LAWS PROHIBITING INDIVIDUALS OR	N	SUPPORT

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			CORPORATE ENTITIES FROM OBTAINING PERMITS OR PURCHASING SUCH PROPERTY IF THEY HAVE OUTSTANDING ORDERS OF REMEDY OR IMMEDIATELY HAZARDOUS VIOLATIONS.		
S1633 SKOUFIS	A3028 MCDONALD	3/9/21 PASSED SENATE 5/19/21 REPORTED OUT OF COMM & REFERRED TO CODES COMM	RELATES TO REMEDIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF THE NEW YORK STATE UNIFORM FIRE PREVENTION AND BUILDING CODE ACT WHICH THREATEN IMMEDIATE PHYSICAL HARM TO OCCUPANTS OF A PROPERTY	N	MONITOR
S4708 COMRIE	A2160 ZEBROWSKI	3/23/21 PASSED SENATE 3/23/21 ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS	AMENDS SECTION 382 OF THE EXECUTIVE LAW AS IT RELATES TO INCREASING THE PENALTIES FOR BUILDING CODE VIOLATIONS WHEN THE CONDITION IS DEEMED AN IMMEDIATE THREAT TO THE SAFETY AND WELFARE OF THE BUILDING'S OCCUPANTS BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT. THE BILL PROVIDES FOR GRADUATED PENALTIES FOR REPEAT OFFENDERS. A FIRST-TIME VIOLATION CARRIES A FINE OF NO LESS THAN ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO MORE THAN FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS. A SECOND VIOLATION WILL CARRY A FINE OF NO LESS THAN FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO MORE THAN TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS. FINALLY, A THIRD VIOLATION WILL RESULT IN A FINE THAT IS NO LESS THAN TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS PER DAY OF VIOLATION OR IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING ONE YEAR OR BOTH.	N	MONITOR
S3606 BAILEY	NO SAME AS	5/12/21 PASSED SENATE 5/12/21 DELIVERED TO ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS	SECTION 1 REQUIRES THE DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE TO CREATE A STANDARD FOR THE ADEQUATE NUMBER OF CODE ENFORCEMENT STAFF REQUIRED TO MEET THE NEEDS OF A LOCALITY BY LOOKING AT FACTORS INCLUDING POPULATION AND GEOGRAPHIC SECTION 2 AUTHORIZES THE SECRETARY OF THE STATE TO PLACE AN OVERSIGHT OFFICIAL WITHIN A LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO MONITOR THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S COMPLIANCE WITH MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR THE ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT OF THE UNIFORM CODE. SECTION 3 CREATES THE OFFICE OF THE STATE CODE ENFORCEMENT OMBUDSPERSON TO RESOLVE COMPLAINTS RELATED TO LOCAL CODE ENFORCEMENT PROGRAMS.	N	MONITOR
S1830 SKOUFIS	A392 ZEBROWSKI	5/19/21 PASSED SENATE 5/19/21 ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS	RELATES TO CONDUCTING INVESTIGATIONS INTO THE ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT OF THE NEW YORK STATE UNIFORM FIRE PREVENTION AND BUILDING CODE AND THE NEW YORK STATE ENERGY CONSERVATION CONSTRUCTION CODE. TO PROTECT THE HEALTH AND WELLBEING OF NEW YORKERS BY GIVING THE SECRETARY OF STATE NEW TOOLS TO DEAL WITH SITUATIONS WHEN A LOCAL GOVERNMENT FAILS TO MEET THE MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR ENFORCING AND ADMINISTERING THE BUILDING AND FIRE PREVENTION CODE.	N	MONITOR

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S3606 BAILEY	NO ASSM SPONSOR	5/12/21 PASSED SENATE 5/12/21 ASSM GOVTL OPS COMM	SECTION 1 REQUIRES THE DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE TO CREATE A STANDARD FOR THE ADEQUATE NUMBER OF CODE ENFORCEMENT STAFF REQUIRED TO MEET THE NEEDS OF A LOCALITY BY LOOKING AT FACTORS INCLUDING POPULATION AND GEOGRAPHIC SECTION 2 AUTHORIZES THE SECRETARY OF THE STATE TO PLACE AN OVERSIGHT OFFICIAL WITHIN A LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO MONITOR THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S COMPLIANCE WITH MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR THE ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT OF THE UNIFORM CODE. SECTION 3 CREATES THE OFFICE OF THE STATE CODE ENFORCEMENT OMBUDSPERSON TO RESOLVE COMPLAINTS RELATED TO LOCAL CODE ENFORCEMENT PROGRAMS.	N	MONITOR
S7115 COMRIE	A2562 WOERNER	1/19/21 GOVTL OPS COMM 6/1/21 HOUSING, CONST & COMM DEVEL COMM	RELATES TO THE APPOINTMENT FOR AGRICULTURAL REPRESENTATION ON THE STATE FIRE PREVENTION AND BUILDING CODE COUNCIL	N	SUPPORT
S1003A GAUGHRAN	A6160 OTIS	6/1/21 SEN AMENDED AND SENT BACK TO LOCAL GOVTS. 3/10/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT COMM	AUTHORIZES A CITY, TOWN OR VILLAGE TO ESTABLISH A PROGRAM WHEREBY A BUILDING PERMIT MAY BE ISSUED BASED UPON CERTIFICATION BY A REGISTERED ARCHITECT OR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER.	N	MONITOR
S6970 KAVANAGH	NO SAME AS	5/20/21 SEN INSURANCE COMM	THIS BILL WILL ENSURE THAT THE FIRE INSURANCE MONEY INTENDED TO FLOW TO LOCALITIES TO CONDUCT CODE ENFORCEMENT ACTUALLY MAKES IT THERE, AND WILL HELP MAKE HOMES ACROSS THE COUNTRY SAFER AND MORE HABITABLE.	N	**SUPPORT
S962 GAUGHRAN	NO SAME AS	5/12/21 SEN AMEND AND RECOMMITT TO LOCAL GOVT	AUTHORIZES MUNICIPALITIES TO TREAT UNPAID FINES FOR BUILDING CODE AND FIRE CODE VIOLATIONS AS UNPAID REAL PROPERTY TAXES	N	SUPPORT
S1004 GAUGHRAN	A6242 OTIS	5/10/21 SEN ADVANCED TO 3 RD READING 3/10/21 ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS COMM	ESTABLISHES A PROGRAM WHERE A MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS MAY ACCEPT CONSTRUCTION DOCUMENTS REQUIRED TO BE FILED IN RELATION TO CODE COMPLIANCE PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY WITH LESS THAN A FULL EXAMINATION BY SUCH MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS BASED ON A PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION OF AN APPLICANT WHO IS AN ARCHITECT OR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER; MAKES RELATED PROVISIONS.	N	MONITOR
S240 MAYER	NO SAME AS	5/10/21 SEN ADVANCED TO 3 RD READING	REQUIRES OWNERS AND AGENTS OF MULTIPLE RESIDENCES AND MULTIPLE DWELLINGS TO PROVIDE NAMES AND CONTACT INFORMATION OF RESIDENTS TO EMERGENCY PERSONNEL [THIS IS GOING TO BE AN IMPOSSIBLE TASK AND THE INFORMATION WILL BE DIFFICULT IF NOT IMPOSSIBLE TO MAINTAIN ACCURATELY, WILL TAKE DEDICATED STAFFING TO ACCOMPLISH]	N	MONITOR

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S6210A SKOUFIS	A3559A HUNTER	**5/24/21 ADVANCED TO 3 RD READING 5/18/21 ASSM AMENDED AND REFERRED TO GOVTL OPERATIONS	A NEW SUBDIVISION 2 IS ADDED TO REQUIRE THAT THE STATE UNIFORM FIRE PREVENTION AND BUILDING CODE THE STATE ENERGY CONSERVATION CODE BE UPDATED IN ACCORDANCE TO CHANGES IN INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODES WITHIN 12 MONTHS	N	***SUPPORT
S4008 BRESLIN	A3272A FAHY	5/10/21 AMEND AND RECOMMIT TO CONSUMER PROTECTION 6/1/21 AMEND AND RETURN TO ASSM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	ESTABLISHES THE WATER-BASED FIRE PROTECTION LICENSURE ACT, SETTING FORTH LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS FOR CONTRACTORS ENGAGED IN THE BUSINESS OF THE LAYOUT, INSTALLING, REPAIRING, INSPECTING, TESTING, OR MAINTAINING OF WATER-BASED FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEMS AND COMPONENTS. [NEEDS TO EXEMPT NFPA 13D SYSTEMS OR THE COST OF 1 & 2 FAMILY SYSTEMS WILL BE COST PROHIBITIVE]	N	OPPOSE INCLUDING NFPA 13D 1 & 2 FAMILY HOMES
S4889 FELDER	A5206 GUNTHER	5/19/21 REPORTED AND SENT TO FINANCE COMM 2/12/21 ASSM WAYS AND MEANS COMM	THIS BILL INCREASES THE VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS' AND AMBULANCE WORKERS' PERSONAL INCOME TAX CREDIT FROM \$200 TO \$500 FOR ELIGIBLE INDIVIDUALS AND FROM \$400 TO \$1000 FOR ELIGIBLE MARRIED JOINT FILERS.	N	SUPPORT
S275 MYRIE	A1142 PAULIN	1/6/21 SEN JUDICIARY COMM 1/7/21 ASSM JUDICIARY COMM	RELATES TO DESIGNATING BLIGHTED PROPERTY AND BLIGHTED AREAS; PROVIDES DEFINITION OF BLIGHTED PROPERTY AND BLIGHTED AREAS; AMENDS DEFINITION OF SUBSTANDARD OR INSANITARY AREA	N	MONITOR
S6149 BOYLE	A2021 ROSENTHAL	4/12/21 SEN LOCAL GOVT 1/14/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVTS	REQUIRES DISPLAY OF BUILDING NUMBERS ON ALL BUILDINGS TO WHICH NUMBERS HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED [ALREADY IN THE FIRE CODE FCNYS SECTION 505]		ALREADY IN ICC CODE
S860 GOUNARDES	A6273 FRONTUS	1/6/21 SEN CODES COMM 3/12/21 ASSM CODES COMM	TO INCREASE PUBLIC SAFETY BY INCREASING THE PENALTIES FOR FAILING TO OBTAIN THE PROPER PERMITS OR CERTIFICATES PRIOR TO ALTERING A MULTIPLE DWELLING OR ALLOWING AN ALTERED BUILDING TO BE INHABITED.	N	SUPPORT
S5310 PALUMBO	A5906 THIELE	3/2/21 SEN JUDICIARY COMM 3/2/21 ASSM JUDICIARY COMM	AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIFORM JUSTICE COURT ACT, IN RELATION TO AUTHORIZING JUSTICE COURTS TO GRANT INJUNCTIONS AND TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDERS IN CONNECTION WITH LOCAL LAND USE, BUILDING AND FIRE REGULATIONS	N	SUPPORT
S1003 GAUGHRAN	A6160 OTIS	1/6/21 SEN LOCAL GOVT COMM 3/10/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVTS COMM	THIS BILL ALLOWS A LOCALITY TO ESTABLISH A PROCESS ALLOWING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A BUILDING PERMIT BASED UPON CERTIFICATION BY A REGISTERED ARCHITECT LICENSED TO PRACTICE IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK OR A PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER LICENSED TO PRACTICE IN THE STATE. [HOW WILL THEY BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR ERRORS OR OMMISSIONS, WHO PAYS TO BRING THEM TO COURT]	N	MONITOR
S3705 COMRIE	A4480 RODRIGUEZ	02/04/21 SEN GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS COMM 1/30/21 ASSM HOUSING,	THIS BILL WOULD REQUIRE THAT ALL TEMPORARY AND PERMANENT DWELLINGS IN THE STATE SHALL HAVE INSTALLED AN OPERABLE COMBUSTIBLE GAS DETECTOR THAT WIRELESSLY CONNECTS TO THE	N	OPPOSE

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		CONSTRUCTION AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	GAS COMPANY. GAS COMPANIES WILL RELEASE AN ANNUAL REPORT OF THE FREQUENCY OF GAS LEAKS BY COUNTY. [NOTES: WE CAN'T GET SUPPORT FOR SPRINKLERS BUT THEY CAN PROPOSED MANDATORY GAS DETECTION DEVICES IN EVERY DWELLING UNIT IN THE STATE THAT WIRELESSLY CONNECT TO THE GAS COMPANY!!! ARE YOU SERIOUS?? THIS IS FRAUGHT WITH ALL KINDS OF ISSUES AND IS A BAD IDEA. WE SHOULD NOT SUPPORT THIS LEGISLATION; IT WOULD BE A NIGHTMARE AND UNENFORCEABLE. I'M ALL FOR SAFETY BUT THIS WOULD BE A NIGHTMARE AND IN THE END FIRE DEPARTMENTS WILL BE RUNNING THE FALSE ALARMS.]		
S5080 PARKER	NO SAME AS	2/23/21 SEN FINANCE COMM	TO CREATE A TEMPORARY COMMISSION TO THE TRIANGLE SHIRTWAIST FACTORY FIRE. TO COMMEMORATE THE 106TH ANNIVERSARY OF	N	MONITOR
S5093 KENNEDY	NO SAME AS	2/23/21 SEN HOUSING, CONST & COMM DELEV COMM	CURRENTLY, THE FIRE CODE REQUIRES PERIODIC TESTING, AS DETERMINED BY LOCAL CODE OFFICIALS, BUT IT FAILS TO DEFINE HOW OFTEN "PERIODIC" IS. THIS BILL WOULD REQUIRE MINIMUM OF ONE TEST PER HYDRANT, PER YEAR. ADDITIONALLY, LOCAL AUTHORITIES WOULD HAVE TO KEEP PUBLIC RECORDS OF EACH TEST, PROVIDING ACCOUNTABILITY. FINALLY, THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE WOULD NOW CREATE A REPORT DETAILING THE MAINTENANCE AND INSPECTION OF HYDRANTS FOR THE LAST YEAR. THIS WILL MAKE TESTING HISTORY PUBLICLY AVAILABLE WITH INFORMATION ON HOW OFTEN HYDRANTS WERE TESTED PRIOR TO THE PASSAGE OF THIS BILL. [NOTE: THIS APPLIES TO WATER WORKS CORPORATION SERVING FIFTY THOUSAND OR MORE, WATER AUTHORITY OR MUNICIPAL PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENTS AND THERE ARE NO PRESCRIBED PENALTIES.]	N	MONITOR
S5362 OBERACKER	NO SAME AS	3/3/21 SEN CODES COMM	ELEVATES ASSAULT OF A CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICIAL TO THE CLASS D FELONY OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE	N	SUPPORT
S3443 COMRIE	NO SAME AS	01/29/21 SEN HOUSING, CONSTRUCTION AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT 3/9/21 COMM HEARING	REQUIRES THE INSTALLATION OF FIRE EXTINGUISHERS IN ALL MULTIPLE DWELLINGS [LACKS TRAINING, AND IS IMPOSSIBLE TO MAINTAIN AND TRACK EXTINGUISHERS, WILL THEY BE THERE AND OPERABLE WHEN NEEDED]	N	OPPOSE
S4124 GRIFFO	NO SAME AS	2/1/21 SEN BUDGET & REVENUE	THIS BILL WOULD ALLOW VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND AMBULANCE WORKERS TO RECEIVE BOTH THE VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND AMBULANCE WORKERS TAX CREDIT AND A LOCALLY ENACTED REAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION.	N	SUPPORT
S1371 BROOKS	NO SAME AS	1/11/21 SEN LOCAL GOVT COMM	REQUIRES LOCAL BUILDING DEPARTMENTS TO NOTIFY HOMEOWNERS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF REQUIREMENTS FOR NEW	N	SUPPORT

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			CONSTRUCTION TO ADHERE TO BASE FLOOD GUIDELINES. THIS BILL WILL SEEK TO ADD LONG OVERDUE CLARITY TO THE PROCESS OF REBUILDING IN THE LOCALITIES THAT NEED IT MOST AND INCREASE THEIR RESILIENCE IN FUTURE FLOODING EVENTS.		
S3662 COMRIE	NO SAME AS	01/30/21 SEN BUDGET AND REVENUE	THIS BILL WOULD INCENTIVIZE THE INSTALLATION OF SPRINKLER SYSTEM IN RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES BY PROVIDING A TWENTY-FIVE PERCENT TAX CREDIT TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY OWNERS WHO INSTALL SUCH SYSTEMS.	N	SUPPORT
S2873 KAVANAUGH	NO SAME AS	3/2/21 REPORTED & COMMITTED TO FINANCE	TO REQUIRE STATE-OWNED BUILDINGS OR STATE-LEASED SPACE TO ADHERE TO THE STATE'S UNIFORM FIRE PREVENTION AND BUILDING CODE OR THE APPLICABLE LOCAL FIRE PREVENTION AND BUILDING CODE AMENDED TO ALLOW OGS TO PHASE IN COMPLIANCE	N	SUPPORT
S3741 GAUGHRAN	NO SAME AS	01/30/21 SEN CODES COMM	TO CREATE THE NEW CRIMES OF RECKLESS ENDANGERMENT OF A PEACE OFFICER, POLICE OFFICER, FIREFIGHTER OR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PROFESSIONAL IN THE FIRST AND SECOND DEGREES.	N	SUPPORT
S1881 SKOUFIS	NO SAME AS	1/16/21 SEN CONSUMER PROTECTION	AN ACT TO AMEND THE GENERAL BUSINESS LAW, IN RELATION TO AUTOMATIC RENEWAL OF CONTRACTS FOR ELECTRONIC AND LIFE SAFETY ALARM SERVICES TO REDUCE THE LIKELIHOOD OF INADVERTENT CANCELLATIONS OF ALARM CONTRACTS AND LIFE ASSIST CONTRACTS DUE TO CUSTOMER OVERSIGHT.	N	MONITOR
S628 MAY	NO SAME AS	1/6/21 SEN JUDICIARY	REQUIRES THE ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATES OF OCCUPANCY FOR RENTAL PROPERTY DAMAGED BY FIRE	N	SUPPORT
S781 GOUNARDES	NO SAME AS	1/6/21 SEN JUDICIARY	RELATING TO PROHIBITING THE SALE OR RENTAL OF ILLEGALLY CONVERTED DWELLINGS BY REAL ESTATE BROKERS DIRECTS INCREASED FINES AND REVOCATION OF REAL ESTATE LICENSE FOR VIOLATION	N	SUPPORT
S1497 BRESLIN	NO SAME AS	1/12/21 SEN HOUSING, CONSTR, & COMM DEVELOPMENT COMM	REQUIRES THE STATE FIRE PREVENTION AND BUILDING CODE COUNCIL TO IMPLEMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS REQUIRING THE USE OF RADON-RESISTANT FEATURES IN NEW HOME CONSTRUCTION	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A5057 MONTESANO	2/10/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVT	THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW IS AMENDED BY ADDING A NEW SECTION 99W, WHICH ALLOWS ON-SITE INSPECTION OF A RESIDENCE IF ANY FORM OF ADVERTISEMENT OR LISTING (NEWSPAPER, PENNYSAVER, SUPERMARKET PAPER, ADVERTISING FLYER, INTERNET LISTING, ELECTRONIC MAIL LIST OR ANY OTHER TYPE OF LISTING) OFFERS A RENTAL UNIT IN EXCESS OF THE ZONING CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY.	N	SUPPORT
NO SAME AS	A1936 CAHILL	1/13/21 ASSM HIGHER EDUCATION	REQUIRES SUNY AND CUNY AUTHORITIES TO INSTALL AND RETROFIT BUILDINGS WITH SPRINKLER SYSTEMS	N	MONITOR

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NO SAME AS	A1636 PERRY	1/11/21 ASSM CITIES COMM	ASSIGNS LIABILITY FOR MONETARY PENALTIES FOR AN ILLEGAL CONVERSION OF A HOUSING UNIT TO THE PERSON ACTUALLY SO DOING AND/OR THE OWNER, NOT THE RESIDENTS	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A186 GUNTHER	1/6/21 ASSM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	ESTABLISHES VOLUNTARY LICENSURE OF MASTER ELECTRICIANS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A245 GUNTHER	1/6/21 ASSM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	ESTABLISHES VOLUNTARY LICENSURE OF MASTER ELECTRICIANS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A875 CAHILL	1/6/21 ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS	REQUIRES COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES TO CONSTRUCT AND RETROFIT SPRINKLER SYSTEMS IN ALL DORMITORIES	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A287 ZEBROWSKI	1/6/21 ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS	ENFORCES FIRE PREVENTION AND BUILDING CODES AND APPOINTING AN OVERSIGHT OFFICER AND THEIR DUTIES	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A893 ZEBROWSKI	1/6/21 ASSM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	RELATES TO THE DENIAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR A LICENSE TO INSTALL, SERVICE OR MAINTAIN SECURITY OR FIRE ALARM SYSTEMS SUBMITTED BY PERSONS CONVICTED OF CERTAIN FELONIES	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A132 GOTTFRIED	1/6/21 ASSM CITIES COMM	RELATES TO THE APPLICABILITY OF LOCAL LAWS OF CERTAIN CITIES TO BUILDINGS OWNED, LEASED OR OPERATED BY THE STATE OR ITS AGENCIES	N	MONITOR
OTHER BILLS OF INTEREST					
NO SAME AS	A244 GOTTFRIED	3/4/21 SEN HEALTH COMM 3/4/21 PASSED ASSEMBLY	RELATES TO CREATING THE HEALTH EMERGENCY RESPONSE DATA SYSTEM	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A7072 CAHILL	4/21/21 ASSM WAYS AND MEANS	ENACTS THE "TWO PERCENT IS TWO PERCENT PROPERTY TAX CAP ACT"; PROVIDES THAT THE "ALLOWABLE LEVY GROWTH FACTOR" SHALL BE ONE AND TWO ONE-HUNDREDTHS. STRIKES ALL OF THE OTHER FORMULA LANGUAGE FROM THE GEN MUNICIPAL LAW	N	SUPPORT
S222 TEDISCO	A4898 SIMPSON	3/17/21 OPINION REFERRED TO JUDICIARY 3/4/21 ASSM JUDICIARY COMM	THIS BILL ADDS A NEW ARTICLE TO THE CONSTITUTION TO ALLOW FOR THE RECALL OF ELECTED STATE OFFICIALS.	N	SUPPORT
S768 GOUNARDES	A1118 BRONSON	1/6/21 SEN LABOR 1/7/21 ASSM LABOR	DEFINES TEMPORARY TOTAL DISABILITY	N	MONITOR
S835 HOYLMAN	A4053 ABINANTI	1/6/21 SEN LOCAL GOVT 2/1/21 ASSM LOCAL GOVTS	REPEALS PROVISION OF COUNTY LAW RELATING TO ACCESS TO RECORDS OF CALLS MADE TO A MUNICIPALITY'S E911 SYSTEM. SUBDIVISION 4 OF SECTION 308 OF THE COUNTY LAW PROHIBITS THE DISCLOSURE OF RECORDS FROM ENHANCED 911(OR"E911") EMERGENCY SYSTEMS. THIS BILL REPEALS THAT PROHIBITION TO MAKE SUCH RECORDS SUBJECT TO THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION LAW (FOIL).	N	OPPOSE

2021 BILLS RELATED TO THE FIRE SERVICE UPDATED 6/9/21

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13048+ BILLS SO FAR THIS SESSION, Session ends June 10th.

BLUE TEXT ON COMMITTEE AGENDA FOR HEARING



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S932 KAPLAN	NO SAME AS	1/6/21 SEN ENERGY & TELECOMM	THIS LEGISLATION WILL REQUIRE ELECTRIC CORPORATIONS IN THEIR EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLANS TO INCLUDE HOW COMMUNICATION AND COORDINATION OF EFFORTS BETWEEN THE ELECTRIC CORPORATION, ELECTRIC CORPORATION EMPLOYEES, ELECTRIC CORPORATION COMPANY CREWS, MUTUAL AID CREWS, LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, TELEVISION PROVIDERS, INTERNET PROVIDERS, AND ANY OTHER ENTITY PERFORMING SERVICES TO ASSIST SUCH ELECTRIC CORPORATION SHALL OCCUR.	N	SUPPORT
S716 GOUNARDES	NO SAME AS	1/6/21 SEN LOCAL GOVT	RELATES TO REAL PROPERTY TAX RELIEF DURING THE COVID-19 STATE OF EMERGENCY BY WAIVING INTEREST AND PENALTIES FOR UNPAID PROPERTY TAXES WHERE AN OWNER HAS SUFFERED ECONOMIC HARDSHIP DURING SUCH EMERGENCY.	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A230 ZEBROWSKI	1/6/21 ASSM AGING COMM	GRANTS A TOTAL EXEMPTION FROM REAL PROPERTY TAXATION FOR SCHOOL TAX PURPOSES FOR CERTAIN PERSONS SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE OR OVER	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A241 CAHILL	1/6/21 ASSM EDUCATION	EXEMPTS THE COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH EXPENDITURES RESULTING FROM THE PURCHASE OF BOCES SERVICES AND PROGRAMS FROM THE REAL PROPERTY TAX LEVY LIMIT	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A278 GUNTHER	1/6/21 ASSM REAL PROP TAXATION	SETS A SEVEN YEAR LIMIT TO THE REAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR UNIMPROVED PROPERTY OF MANDATORY CLASS NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A667 CAHILL	1/6/21 ASSM HEALTH	RELATES TO THE PROVISION OF MUNICIPAL ADVANCED LIFE SUPPORT FIRST RESPONDER SERVICE OR MUNICIPAL AMBULANCE SERVICE	N	MONITOR
NO SAME AS	A1063 CAHILL	1/7/21 ASSM GOVTL OPERATIONS	ALLOWS FOR ADDITIONAL ONLINE PUBLICATION OF PUBLIC NOTICES BY COUNTIES, MUNICIPALITIES AND SCHOOL DISTRICTS	N	MONITOR

1. Any Assembly bill introduced in the regular legislative session of the first year of the term of the Assembly shall be deemed to be reintroduced for the second year of such term, provided such bill was:
 - a. not reported from a standing committee;
 - b. reported and referred;
 - c. recommitted to a standing committee; or
 - d. referred back to a standing committee by the Committee on Rules immediately prior to adjournment sine die.
2. Any Assembly bill introduced in the first year of the term of the Assembly, shall be deemed to be reintroduced for the second year of such term and referred to the committee where the bill was last referred, except that: (i) any bill that was last referred to the Committee on Rules shall be referred to the committee that reported the bill to the Committee on Rules; (ii) any bill that was on order of third reading shall be ordered to the order of third reading; (iii) any bill that was passed by the Assembly and did not become law, was not vetoed, or was substituted by a Senate bill which did not become law or was not vetoed, shall be ordered to the order of third reading, and further provided that:
 - a. any such bill which in such first year required a fiscal note as required by section 50 of the Legislative Law or home rule message for passage shall be referred to the committee to which such bill was originally referred;
 - b. upon request of the introducer or the chairperson of the committee to which such bill was originally referred, such bill shall be committed to the committee to which it was originally referred provided, however, such request may not be made later than the second Wednesday following the commencement of the second year of the term of the Assembly;
 - c. any such bill making an appropriation of money which was not referred to a committee pursuant to the provisions of this paragraph, shall be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means; and
 - d. upon the request of the chairperson of the Committee on Ways and Means, any bill not referred to a committee pursuant to subparagraph (a) or (b) of this paragraph, which in such first year was reported and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means pursuant to section six of Rule IV shall be committed to the Committee on Ways and Means provided, however, such request may not be made later than the second Wednesday following the commencement of the second year of the term of the