

Assemblyman Billy Jones:

Fighting for North Country families



“As your voice in Albany, it’s my job to fight for the issues that matter most to you so, together, we can make the North Country a better place to live. I helped pass a state budget that delivers critical inflation relief, invests in our kids’ future and protects public safety.”

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passes state budget that delivers for the North Country

Expanding broadband access

- Includes over **\$1 billion** to deliver affordable broadband to rural New Yorkers
- **Eliminates unnecessary state fees** to encourage providers to expand broadband access statewide
- Provides **\$200,000** for Older Adults Technology Services (OATS) to offer high-quality technology training to senior citizens

Providing much-needed relief from inflation

- Delivers **\$2.2 billion** in property tax relief checks and accelerates the phase-in of middle-class tax cuts
- Helps New Yorkers save at the pump by **suspending state gas taxes** for the rest of the year beginning June 1

Boosting public safety

- **Improves New York's bail reform laws** to keep dangerous criminals and repeat offenders off our streets
- Includes **\$40 million** for district attorneys to help prosecutors handle increased workloads

Investing in education

- Increases funding for local schools by **\$21.39 million for a total of more than \$314 million** and expands access to child care services, helping reduce property taxes for the middle class
- Expands access to the **Tuition Assistance Program (TAP)** to part-time students



Questions? Concerns?
My office is here to help.

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