



Newsworthy

10/05/09: Governor Paterson announced the creation of the New York Energy Policy Institute (NYEPI), a key initiative from the Governor's State of the State address. NYEPI will coordinate the work of New York's leading energy research centers, using their established expertise in the field to provide a resource for the state's energy policymakers.

10/06/09: Governor Paterson announced that the New York State Department of Transportation has applied for \$11.6 billion in American Recovery and Reinvestment Act funding to improve high-speed rail service along the Empire Corridor between New York City and Niagara Falls.

10/08/09: New York State Department of Transportation Acting Commissioner Stanley Gee today announced the release of NYSDOT's proposed five-year transportation capital program pursuant to Chapter 25 of the Laws of 2009. The proposed Capital Program recommends a \$25.8 billion infrastructure investment over the next five years in state and local highways and bridges, intercity passenger and freight rail, suburban and upstate transit, ports and airports. In addition, the submittal recommends objectives and performance measures to determine the State's investment in transportation.

11/04/09: Governor Paterson announced that New York will receive \$3 million in federal funding to help protect State and local government networks from cyber security attacks and incidents. The funding is part of the 2010 Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act signed by President Obama.

11/10/09: The legislature convened for an Extraordinary Session.

Events & Receptions

Monday, November 16, 2009

6:00 pm – Reception Honoring Assemblyman Michael Gianaris, Trattoria L'Incontro, 21-76 31st Street, Astoria, \$100

Tuesday, November 17, 2009

5:30 pm – Mayor Bloomberg host Reception honoring Senator Marty Golden, Mayor Bloomberg's Residence, New York City, \$3,000

Tuesday, November 17, 2009

6:00 pm – Reception Honoring Assemblywoman Gibson, Sam's Soul Food Restaurant, Bronx, \$250

Wednesday, November 18, 2009

5:30 pm – Reception Honoring Joan Millman, Union Smith Café, Union & Smith Street, Brooklyn, \$75

Thursday, November 19, 2009

5:30 pm – Reception Honoring Assemblyman Bing – An Evening Conversation about the State of Healthcare, New York Friar's Club, 57 East 55th Street, New York City, Guest: \$75 / Sponsor: \$250

Thursday, November 19, 2009

6:00 pm – Reception honoring Senator Roy McDonald, Fortunes Restaurant at Saratoga Gaming and Raceway, Saratoga Springs, \$200

Monday, November 23, 2009

5:30 pm – Reception Honoring US Representative Michael McMahon, 335 Adams Street, 27th Floor, Suite 2700, Brooklyn, \$500

Thursday, November 26, 2009

All Day – Holiday