

## 2024 CONTSTITUENT SURVEY

I am pleased to provide the results of the survey my office mailed out in January to every household in the 129th Assembly District to hear directly from constituents regarding proposed legislation and initiatives this year. Below are the tabulated responses from the 1,095 surveys received, representing about a 8% return. The results are also tabulated to reflect the overall responses received from constituents residing in the City of Syracuse, the Town of Geddes and the Town of Van Buren. The percentages may not add up to 100% because some respondents did not answer every question. For those who took the time to return your survey – Thank you. As always, if you have any questions or concerns about this or any other issue, please call my office.



1. Would you support legislation that would increase the use of speed cameras, both locally and on State highways including the Thruway?

Y%	N%
46%	52%

2. Should the State determine how long a tenant can stay in a private apartment or rental home and how much the landlord may charge for rent?

Y%	N%
15%	81%

3. There is an affordable housing crisis in New York. Do you support efforts to use State funds to increase the number of housing units available to our citizens?

Y%	N%
56%	41%

4. Do you want any of your taxes to fund political campaigns?

Y%	N%
10%	88%

5. Do you support the NY HEAT Act ([A.4592-A](#))? This bill would require the NYS Public Service Commission to adopt policies to winddown the use of natural gas in buildings. It does this by removing the requirement in law that natural gas hookups be provided to every building that requests it and removes subsidies currently provided to cover the cost of new natural gas hookups.

Y%	N%
31%	65%

6. The Bigger Better Bottle Bill, [A.6353](#), would raise the deposit amount from 5 to 10 cents in New York and expand the types of containers, including sports drinks, wine, and liquor bottles, that fall under the deposit as a way to keep these containers out of landfills. Do you support this legislation?

Y%	N%
68%	31%

7. Do you support the creation of a permanent “excluded workers” fund ([A.4821](#))? This bill would create a permanent fund to provide unemployment assistance to undocumented workers and other workers (e.g. freelancers, gig workers) not eligible for unemployment benefits.

Y%	N%
25%	69%