

THE PROGRESSIVE NEW YORK STATE AGENDA

We the People

... of New York have elected a true blue state government. For the first time since 2010, Democrats now control the Assembly, Senate and Governorship. In 2019 we have the potential to pass progressive legislation that has been stuck in limbo due to a Republican-controlled Senate. New York has the power to strengthen women's reproductive rights, establish a universal health care system, reform voting rights, fix our broken criminal justice system and pass immigration rights. 2019 is a year for progressive empowerment to grow our communities. Please take the time to understand the issues progressive groups are mobilizing for and help advocate for a New York we can be proud of.

WOMEN'S REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS

By passing the Reproductive Health Act and Comprehensive Contraception Coverage Act, New York would decriminalize abortion, protecting a women's rights regardless of potential challenges. ... Wade at Federal level. If we pass the RHA in 2019, New York State would treat abortion as health care, not a criminal. ... abortion would be regulated under public health law rather than the criminal code. For more information visit www.rha.org

VOTER EMPOWERMENT

Democracy only works when everyone has an equal voice. In 2018 elections we saw long lines at polls, and some voters were purged. We need to update New York's voting laws to provide more opportunities for all individuals. ... We are the only state that does not. By consolidating the state's elections, we can save millions of dollars ... years. First steps include early voting, automatic voter registration, and the ability to change parties and ... rights for people on parole. We empower everyone to vote. We can continue to work towards rank ... fair redistricting to ensure every New Yorker's vote is heard. Join us in New York on February 19, 2019 in ... for a day of action. www.fairvote.org

FULLY FUNDED EDUCATION

To date, Governor Cuomo has refused to address inequality in public education ... in New York, leaving the second highest funding inequality ... wealthy and poor school districts across the nation. ... time for our elected state senators and assembly members to hold ... accountable to ensure schools are fully funded, ... the persistently shorted Syracuse City School District. ... need to provide equal opportunity to all children and stop the school-to-prison pipeline. Visit www.aqeny.org to join the fight for education.

CLIMATE JUSTICE

Scientists have concluded that climate change is impacting us now. New York needs to take action in 2019 to ensure New York's land, water and air are clean for us and the next generation. We need the Governor to commit to 100% renewable energy usage, pass the Climate and Community Protection Act in tandem with stopping all new development of fossil fuel infrastructure and holding polluters accountable will create new markets and invigorate tourism. www.allianceforagreeneconomy.org

CRIMINAL JUSTICE REFORM

Twenty-five thousand New Yorkers are held in county jail, many before trial. In 2019 we need to ... cash bail and provide transparent, prompt trials to all individuals. We need to call our representatives to support the ... Less Is More Community Supervision Revocation Reform Act which can ... jail and prison ... support people in the reentry process, and promote safety and justice for families and communities. Join ... #LessIsMore campaign to get this bill passed!

GUN SAFETY

New Yorkers need strong gun safety laws to ensure ... places of education, worship and business and ... Outlawing weapons assembled from 3D printers or ... obtained online, ... enforcing a 10-day waiting period, ... passing Red Flag laws will enable New Yorkers to exercise their 2nd amendment rights ... providing safety to our communities. www.momsdemandaction.org

UNIVERSAL HEALTHCARE

Healthcare should and can be a universal right. The New York Health Act would establish universal coverage with a single-payer health insurance. Passing the NYHA will take the first steps to providing every New Yorker with access to healthcare with no co-pays or deductibles. 89% of New Yorkers can reduce their health care costs, and ... provide access to the over one million New Yorkers currently uninsured. Visit www.nyhcampaign.org to sign their ... to share your healthcare story.

IMMIGRATION RIGHTS & PROTECTION

In New York, one in five people are immigrants. ... that everyone in our communities is protected from tyranny we need to stop anti-immigration policies ... justice system ... for all by taking legal action to keep ICE out of courthouses. The Liberty Act ... to be passed ... make New York a sanctuary ... prohibiting state and local agencies from passing New York's ... to ICE agents. ... DREAM Act and ... a Light New York Act need to be passed to allow access to higher education and ... employment opportunities in our communities. To advocate for immigrant rights visit www.workersnyc.org ... www.nyic.org for information.

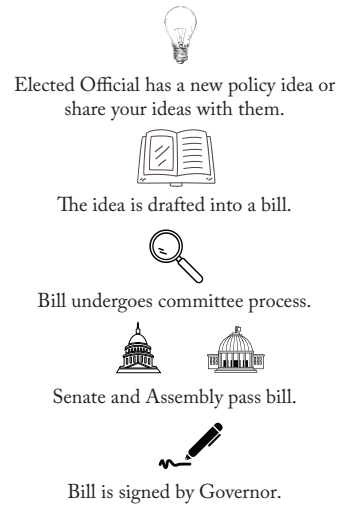
ENDING CORRUPTION

The power of government needs to be ... to all New Yorkers, not influenced ... controlled by ... donations with money. Empower the Attorney General to investigate public corruption at all levels. Ban " ... Play" donations ... and from political appointees. New York ... form including greater ... for transparency ... to our income, closing the LLC loophole and ... advanced state elections.

AWAKENING DEMOCRACY

The New York State Legislative Session runs from January 9th through June 19th. Over this period there are 60 days when the assembly and senate are in session. In 2019 we turned NY blue ... calls for continued action to ensure our elected state representatives act to pass progressive legislation. ... your state representatives ... need to hear from you as much as possible. Call their offices, schedule appointments with them and their staff, write letters ... the editor of your local papers on bills and issues you want to see passed and why they benefit you, your community and all New Yorkers.

How a Bill Becomes a Law



Your Role

- Find your state representatives at:
- SENATOR
<https://www.nysenate.gov/find-my-senator>
- ASSEMBLY MEMBER
<https://www.nyassembly.gov/mem/search/>
- Call your representatives and schedule meetings to advocate for the bills and issues you support.
- Example: Hi, I'm calling to voice my support the NY Health Act because I believe health care is a human right. My zip code is ... Thank you.
- Call ... :
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