

ASSEMBLYMAN ROY FREIMAN REPORT

PROUDLY SERVING THE 16TH DISTRICT



(Pictured) My district office's 4th official art show. For this evening in particular, we exhibited the beautiful artwork of Manville High School's students. Other school districts whose art has hung on our office walls thus far include Hillsborough, Hunterdon Central, and Princeton.

Dear Friends,

At the end of the day, being an Assemblyman is not about politics or bureaucracy, but improving the lives of the people we represent. Whether this means expanding access to vital services, launching our government into the 21st century, or increasing the personal rights of our residents—it is all so that New Jersey may become safer, more affordable, and more convenient for everyone. This newsletter is my opportunity to share with you the progress that has been made over the year.

If you ever want to talk about ways we can improve our state together, please visit our district office, email us at asmfreiman@njleg.org, or call us at 908-829-4191.

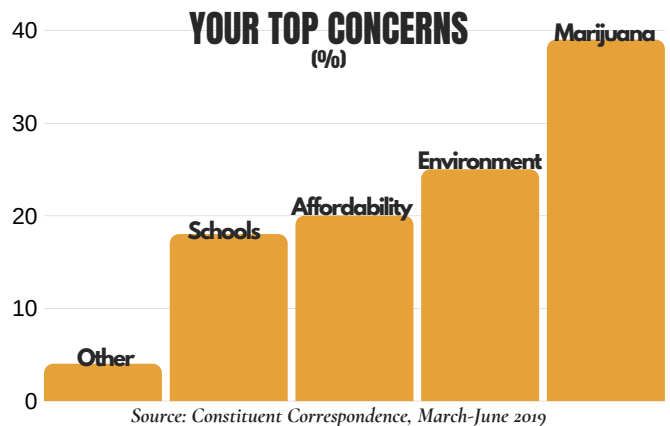
We look forward to hearing from you!

Serving you,

Making Life Easier

Safe, reliable transportation is an essential resource to any community, and I've made it a top concern to work as hard as possible to ensure that for every citizen in our state. Over the past several months, I've:

- Helped reopen the Dinky line
- Prioritized restoring the Raritan Valley one-seat line (5167)
- Authorized legislation issuing 10% discounts to all inconvenienced riders
- Ordered feasibility studies for restoring both the RV one-seat line (A5256) and the retired West Trenton Line (A5473), which would provide commuters a new mode of transportation that hasn't existed in years
- Increased transportation access for our most under-served and vulnerable populations—seniors, the disabled—and others in need (A5150, A5355, A5280)
- Presented a plan for upgrade of New Jersey's EZ Pass system (A4971)



BY THE NUMBERS

• RECENT LEGISLATION •

<p>8 Bills Cutting Red Tape</p>	<p>8 Bills Improving Transportation</p>
<p>13 Bills Saving Money, Reducing Costs</p>	<p>13 Bills Enabling Economic Growth</p>

DISTRICT 16 TRANSPORTATION FUNDING

• TYPES OF IMPROVEMENT •

ROADWAY IMPROVEMENT		\$2.3 MIL
PEDESTRIAN SAFETY		\$805K
QUALITY OF LIFE		\$610K

\$\$ GRANTS RECEIVED \$\$
(2019 YTD)

District Highlights & Community Events

Supported professional therapy dogs as part of Hunterdon Library's Paws to Read program

Hosted free eye screenings in partnership with the NJ Dept. of Human Services

Met with Vision and Pathways, a nonprofit devoted to helping at-risk youth

Awarded Assemblyman Freiman Art Scholarships at Manville awards ceremony

Cleaned up litter along the Raritan River

Called Bingo and served at Acorn Glen Assisted Living in Princeton

Took part in Community Options legislative panel on disability care and employment rights

Celebrated student art from Hunterdon Central High School

Enjoyed student science fair projects at Sunnymeade Elementary

Spoke at Princeton Battlefield flag raising

Volunteered at SAVE, a Friend to Homeless Animals in Skillman

Volunteered at South Brunswick's Bentley Community Services for food and financial insecurity

Discussed small business priorities at Lone Eagle Brewing in Flemington

UPDATE FROM THE CAPITOL

In the last year, state legislators have passed:

- Minimum wage
- Death with dignity
- Expansion of statute of limitations for sexual abuse
- Maternal health and infant mortality bill package
- Banning offshore drilling
- Increased access of medical marijuana

SECURE CHOICE A4134

In March, Governor Murphy signed my "Secure Choice Savings Program Act" into law, which facilitates a retirement plan for those who never had access to one before.

WHAT WE'RE WORKING ON

A4961

Offers tax relief to both seniors and first-time homebuyers, making it easier and more affordable to own a home in New Jersey.

A4463

Creates a building permit process online, making it easier for homeowners and businesses alike to file at their convenience and get fast results.

ANGIOPLASTY A3769

Recently passed in the Assembly, my bill gives patients increased access to cardiac care services by instituting quality and safety standards for more hospitals around the state.

OFFICE INTERNS

Our internship program is a great opportunity for any young person interested in politics or the legislative process, and we are so proud to already have interns for this year's summer session. If you have any questions or are curious about our program, you can email Rachel Frish at RFrish@njleg.org.

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