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A FUND FOR FAMILIES OF FALLEN OFFICERS [PA 24-27]

This legislation was a House Republican initiative and passed both chambers due to our commitment to see it advance. It provides an immediate - and untaxed - benefit payment to a surviving family member or beneficiary, while allowing survivors who were covered by the police officer's health insurance to apply for, or keep, the coverage one year after the death and to renew annually for up to five years.

PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FOR DISABLED VETERANS [PA 24-46]

Establishes a municipal property tax exemption for veterans with a service-connected permanent and total disability rating from the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs. The exemption covers the entire value of either the veteran's primary residence or one motor vehicle garaged in the state.

PROTECTING SURVIVORS OF SEXUAL ASSAULT [PA 24-127]

Requires that law enforcement provide immediate and specific assistance to survivors of sexual assault and that these policies be reviewed and updated continuously. Additionally, this bill creates an advisory council to develop model policies and evaluate data related to sexual assault.

COMBATING STREET-TAKEOVERS [HB 5413]

Focused on Connecticut's surge in street takeovers, this bill would have granted municipalities the authority to penalize people who organize, participate in, or gather with the intent to observe a street takeover. It would have allowed law enforcement to confiscate, impound, and either sell or destroy the vehicles used in street takeovers. I put my support behind the bill and it passed in the House, but, unfortunately, the Democrat majority in the Senate did not take up this important legislation.

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JOINING THE 41 STATE NURSING COMPACT [PA 24-83]

Connecticut joined 41 other states as part of the Nursing Compact, which was allowed by this legislation. This will expand the number of nurses who can work in Connecticut, reducing the shortages experienced by our hospitals. As a mother of a nurse, I recognize the need to help our healthcare workers who care for us during critical times, which is why I cosponsored the legislation.

IMPROVING NUTRITION SERVICES FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES [PA 24-82]

Streamlines cross-enrollment for children covered by Husky A, providing easier access to vital nutrition programs such as WIC, SNAP, and the Farmers Market Nutrition Program. Additionally, this bill helps provide farmers’ markets with equipment to accept payments through nutrition programs.

HELPING SENIORS STAY IN THEIR HOMES [PA 24-39]

I proudly cosponsored legislation which expedites Medicaid enrollment authorization for seniors, making it easier to age in place and avoid unwanted nursing home stays. Simultaneously, this bill protects those who can not remain in their homes by creating a nursing home database that enhances transparency while incentivizing facilities to improve care.

FUNDING FOR TOWN ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

As part of a state bonding package, Willington will be receiving \$2 million in state funding for road improvements, directed to necessary projects on main roads.

Projects like these are investments that help improve safety and quality of life in our towns and reduce the tax burden on our residents.



RESTITUTION FOR POLICE K9s ‘BROKO’S BILL’ [PA 24- 65]

I will always have a soft spot for animals, which is why I proudly supported legislation known as Broko’s bill. This new law is focused on ensuring that, in the unfortunate event of injury or death to a police animal or a dog in a volunteer canine search and rescue team, restitution would be provided to municipalities that train K-9 officers, instead of the funds being directed to the courts.

OUR PLAN FOR A BALANCED BUDGET

This legislative session was supposed to be focused on adjusting the state’s budget, but the majority failed to put forward a plan, which is why House Republicans proposed a balanced spending package.

Instead of working with us, the majority directed funds to higher education and pet projects throughout the state, instead of funding special education costs for our towns, which would alleviate the tax burden on local taxpayers. Unfortunately, I could not support a spending package that shorted local residents.

REPRESENTATIVE NUCCIO IN THE COMMUNITY



Supporting our nonprofits is so important to me, which is why I’ve made it a priority to help local organizations, including the Cornerstone Foundation, which does so much for our communities. Along with Sen. Gordon, we hosted a successful food drive made possible by generous donations from residents.



I believe respect for our police officers and State Troopers is critical to safe communities. To help train police K9s, the Boy Scouts built an obstacle course at Troop C in Tolland for their community service project and it was a pleasure to provide remarks for the dedication ceremony.



I’m proud to support our military veterans who fought for our country and I’m always honored to be invited to ceremonies that recognize their sacrifices. We must show our gratitude for their commitment to our country by ensuring they have access to healthcare, tax benefits and the services they absolutely deserve.