

The Long Island Lobby Coalition is Working for a Better Future in our Region



We are a diverse coalition of over 90 organizations working together to advance meaningful improvements to Long Island's quality of life and our economy. Our agenda includes seven infrastructure projects & five critical issue areas with a mix of regulatory, budget and legislative actions which are practical and reasonable to achieve that Albany must take to help Long Island.

2020 Agenda:

1. Transportation

- a. Bus Funding for NICE and Suffolk County Transit
- b. Fair Share for Bike / Pedestrian Safety
- c. Commuter Benefit Tax

2. Small Business, Jobs, Economic Development

- a. Tax-Deferred IRA Accounts for Small Businesses
- b. Support for Local Manufacturing
- c. Small Business Tax Cuts and Funding for Downtowns

3. Water, Energy & Environment

- a. Clean Water Funding
- b. Off-Shore Wind
- d. Solar Energy

4. Housing & Human Services

- a. Affordable Housing
- b. Child Care
- c. Childhood Nutrition
- d. Veteran's Services
- e. Support for Family Caregivers

5. Ten Major Infrastructure Projects for Long Island Communities

Past Accomplishments:

The Smart Growth Public Infrastructure Policy Act
signed into law in August 2010

The Child Safe Playing Fields Act
signed into law in May 2010

Complete Streets Act
signed into law in August 2011

Sewage Pollution Right to Know Act
signed into law in August 2012

Funding for Northport Sewage Plant Upgrade
procured in February 2013

Sandy Tax Abatement Legislation
signed into law in October 2013

\$500 million Secured for Long Island Infrastructure Projects
part of the 2015 NYS Budget

NY Commuter Benefits Law
took effect in January 2016

The CARE Act
signed into law in June 2016

The Foreclosure Relief Act
(Zombie Homes Legislation)
signed into law in June 2016

\$40 million Secured for
Sewage Infrastructure in Kings Park & Smithtown
procured in 2017

South Fork Offshore Wind Farm Approved by LIPA
approved in 2017

Plan announced to address Bay Park Plant discharge
announced by Governor Cuomo in 2017

\$2.5 Billion each Secured for
Water Infrastructure & Affordable Housing
part of the 2018 NYS Budget

\$12.78 million in NYS Pedestrian Safety Action Plan funds
procured in 2018

Huntington Station land transfer
signed into law in 2018

Offshore Wind Master Plan launched
part of the 2019 NYS Budget

We're not done! As we move into 2020 it is more important than ever for Long Island and our local region to call for our fair share of infrastructure dollars to improve our health, our environment, and our way of life. If you are interested in helping us please join us on our next Long Island Lobby Day in Albany! Contact us at 631-261-0242 or info@visionlongisland.org for more information.