

Weekly Highlights for  
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**ACTIVITIES:**

Met with Columbia County Commissioner of Mental Hygiene. Attended Capitol District Public Employees Federation legislative reception. Attended New Yorkers for Constitutional Freedom Annual Prayer Breakfast. Met with local representatives from the New York State United Teachers. Attended National Agriculture Day Breakfast in Millbrook. Introduced West Point Cadet Matt Schiller and attended NYS Senate reception honoring New Yorkers attending the US Military Academy. Discussed property tax and school funding issues with Arlington School District Superintendent Frank Peppe and representatives from the Arlington School District. Held open house at East Fishkill Town Hall, met with Town Supervisor John Hickman and visited local businesses in East Fishkill and Hopewell Junction. Attended Columbia County Arts Council Grant Awards reception in Ancram and was keynote speaker at the Columbia County Youth Awards Annual Dinner. Attended senior housing forum. Met with Millbrook Schools Superintendent Lloyd Jaeger and Hudson City Schools Superintendent Fern Aefsky. Toured Kaz, Inc. in Hudson. Visited Twin County Recovery Service and group home in Hudson. Officiated "celebrity" dodgeball fundraiser at Taconic Hills High School. Attended Columbia County Land Conservancy Annual Breakfast. Attended an Eagle Scout ceremony and pancake breakfast in Copake. Attended Red Church restoration fundraiser in Tivoli.

**BILLS INTRODUCED:**

A05377 Provides for a study on the feasibility of implementing a statewide "foster care passport" program. A06592 Authorizes BOCES to contract with public libraries for high-speed telecommunications and community relations services. A06448 Increases lump sum death benefit for volunteer firefighters and associated funeral expenses.