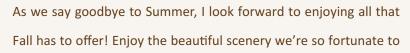


# News from Assemblymember Pamela J. Hunter



# 128 Assembly District

#### **Dear Friend:**





have here in Central New York; pick some apples and pumpkins; and make the most of the autumn season!

Although we're still navigating through restrictions due to COVID-19, I was happy to spend some time out in the district this Summer. I enjoy seeing the community and constituents I represent in person. My team and I have also been spending time conducting research, drafting bills and preparing for the 2022 Legislative Session.

As always, we are available to answer questions and advocate on your behalf. If you have questions or concerns, please reach out to my office. I want to hear from my you about what you would like to see accomplished in Albany. I urge you to remain vigilant, get vaccinated, wear a mask and follow health, safety and social distancing guidelines. I wish everyone safety and health.

Warm Regards,

Assemblymember Pamela J. Hunter

Assemblymember Hunter in the Community...

On Point for College - National Day of Service Event



# Transforming lives, transforming communities.

#### September 2, 2021

I spoke to students at On Point for College on how working to promote education access has ripple effects on the community in terms of economic development, keeping talent local, etc.

# 174th Attack Wing Headquarters Visit



#### September 8, 2021

I had the pleasure of touring the <u>174th Attack Wing Headquarters</u> facility and spending some time with Col. Tom Burke, the 174th ATKW Commander. One highlight during the visit was being able to see the process of how drones are made.

# **Christian Brothers Academy High School Scholar Athlete Presentation**



**September 10, 2021** 

It was my pleasure to join in honoring CBA's recognized Spectrum Scholar Athlete, Mike McMahon.

During half-time of the football game, Mike was honored and received a \$1,000 scholarship. He has maintained a grade point average of more than 100 while competing in track and cross country. Mike aspires to attend Cornell University and become an Urban Planner.

## 2021 Town of DeWitt 9/11 Ceremony



September 11, 2021

It was an honor to speak at the <u>Town of Dewitt 9/11 Ceremony</u> memorializing 20 years since the 9/11 attacks. While much has changed since then, we will never forget those we lost that day or later, as a result of injury or illness incurred. (My remarks begin around the 11:30 mark.)

# **University United Methodist Church 150th Anniversary Celebration**



#### **September 12, 2021**

In honor of their 150th Anniversary Celebration, I presented University United Methodist Church with an Assembly Citation commemorating this milestone.

<u>University United Methodist Church</u> is dedicated to continuing work--individually and in partnership with the city, neighbors, and others--to address need in their urban corridor and to growing as a faith community dedicated to feeding God's people--body, mind and spirit. University Church has a long history as a visible and vocal advocate for social justice and for putting faith into action in service to its urban neighborhood, to the city and more.

#### **Upstate Cord Blood Bank Tour**



#### September 16, 2021

I toured the Upstate Cord Bank and learned more about the importance of cord blood donation.

#### **Upstate Cord Blood Bank is the Region's Only Public Cord Blood Donation Center!**

The Upstate Cord Blood Bank is dedicated to saving and improving lives through the use of donated cord blood. They are a local, not-for-profit, public donation center for women who choose to give the life-saving gift of cord blood. Umbilical cord blood is rich in stem cells and has been shown to have a beneficial value in fighting against blood cancers such as leukemia or lymphoma, and as many as 80 other life-threatening diseases. A cord blood transplant might just be the only hope of a cure for those suffering from cancer and other diseases.

#### **Save America's Treasures Celebration**



#### September 20, 2021

I joined in the unveiling of National Parks Service signage that declares the Gustav Stickley House a recipient of the Save America's Treasures grant. For over two decades this grant program has been used to preserve our nation's rich heritage for future generations. I am happy to support this restoration project so we may continue to celebrate our historical contributions and heritage right here in Syracuse.

# **Maxwell Speaking - Veterans in Politics Program**



#### **September 23, 2021**

It was great to speak to Syracuse University students with a possible interest in pursuing elective office, and share my experiences as a Veteran in politics.

The <u>Veterans Program for Politics and Civic Engagement</u> is a selective, rigorous and intense educational initiative. It is offered with the initial support of JPMorgan Chase & Co. through a collaborative effort by Syracuse University's <u>Institute for Veterans and Military Families</u> and the <u>Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs at Syracuse University</u>. The program is tailored to meet the specific needs of veterans and military-connected individuals who have an interest in pursuing careers in politics.

#### **Westcott Street Cultural Fair**



**September 26, 2021** 

The Westcott Street Cultural Fair is one of my favorite events of the year!

The Fair is a highlight for residents of Westcott neighborhood and beyond. A 29-year Syracuse tradition, the Fair's mission is to celebrate the culture and diversity of the Westcott neighborhood. This year's Fair featured six music and dance stages and over 115 booths with local artists, crafters, and community organizations.

# Community News...

# **Syracuse Crunch Vaccination Clinic**

The Syracuse Crunch have partnered with Wegmans to hold a COVID-19 vaccination clinic at the Upstate Medical University Arena on Monday, Oct. 4 from 4 to 6 p.m.

The vaccination clinic will be open to anyone who would like to receive a first or second dose of the Pfizer vaccine. Appointments are not necessary. The vaccination clinic will be held in Memorial Hall.



Everyone attending the vaccination clinic should come prepared with a photo ID and insurance card. Those without insurance will still be eligible for vaccination. Attendees coming for their second dose must bring their physical vaccination card.

Attendees receiving their first dose at the vaccination clinic will be referred to Wegmans for their second dose 21 days later.



Wegmans
VACCINATION CLINIC

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UPSTATE MEDICAL UNIVERSITY ARENA

# **Rental Relief Funds Available**

Onondaga County has received funds to assist with the payment of back rent, utilities owed, and in some cases, future rent.

We are welcoming all residents that meet the following criteria to apply:

An individual in your household has had a reduction of income or other financial hardship due to COVID-19.

An individual within your household can demonstrate a risk of experiencing homelessness or housing instability.

You have an obligation to pay rental arrears and rent.

Your household income is at or below 80 percent of the area's median income.

Chick here to apply!

# IF YOU ARE WITHOUT INTERNET ACCESS PLEASE CALL 1-844-245-1922 OR 211



THANK YOU ESSENTIAL WORKERS!
YOU ARE APPRECIATED

#### **COVID VACCINE INFO:**

**CLICK HERE** 

for a list of New York State-operated vaccination locations with open availability!

WALK IN NOW AVAILABLE

#### **CLICK HERE TO MAKE APPOINTMENT**

## Visit my website for more news and updates!

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