

### **2022 LEGISLATIVE SESSION UPDATE**

# FROM STATE REPRESENTATIVE BRANDON CHAFEE MIDDLETOWN'S VOICE AT THE STATE CAPITOL

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## STATE REPRESENTATIVE BRANDON CHAFEE

#### **COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS:**

- Environment Committee
- Finance, Revenue and Bonding Committee
- Transportation Committee



## YOUR VOICE AT THE STATE CAPITOL

As your state representative, I look forward to continuing to serve you in the CT General Assembly in Hartford. It is my goal to always work to move our state toward a more fair and just society.

Below is a brief list highlighting some of my priorities during this session. If you have any questions or need any assistance, do not hesitate to contact me.

#### **Real Tax Reform**

Despite calls for temporary solutions like suspending the gas tax, I'm fighting for permanent and systemic reform for workers and retirees:

- More tax breaks for retirees
- Childcare tax credits up to \$600 per child
- 1% capital gains tax on the wealthy
- Sustained tax breaks for our lowest income residents through Earned Income Tax Credit

#### **Protecting the Environment**

It's our shared responsibility to protect our natural treasures and ecosystems

- Lower emissions while investing in electric vehicles, public transit, and more efficient traffic signals
- Better regulate pesticides on golf courses and around our lakes and ponds
- Protect hawks and other wildlife by curbing use of rodenticides

#### Investing in Infrastructure

With \$5.4 billion in federal money over the next decade, we must:

- Promote economic growth
- Increase public transit efficiency
- Ensure sustainability and resiliency