

EAST HARTFORD BUDGET UPDATE 2022-2023



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DEMOCRATIC BUDGET WITH NO TAX INCREASES

BUDGET UPDATE FROM STATE REPRESENTATIVE HENRY GENGA

Dear Neighbor,

While crafting the 2022-2023 biennium budget, we had the unique opportunity to learn from the pandemic crisis by looking at what we do well, what we can improve, and what initiatives we can advance, while also meeting the important task of caring for our neighbors and communities.

We balanced the state budget without underfunding the safety net and without raising taxes. We were also able to fully fund our obligations, maintain our strong reserves, and not push additional costs or burdens to our municipalities.

I am proud to highlight that this budget shielded East Hartford from any decrease in municipal aid and went a step further by actually increasing the total amount of dollars returned to our community.

Please know that I will continue to work with my colleagues and legislative leadership to advocate for East Hartford to ensure our community receives all we deserve.

Kindly,



Henry Genga

Democrats wrote and led passage of a bipartisan budget that invests in education, municipal aid, nonprofits, nursing homes, civil and social justice and health care – all without raising taxes.

- Filled Rainy Day Fund to \$3.1 billion, the legal maximum
- Increased local education spending
- Increased the Earned Income Tax Credit for working poor people, providing \$40 million in income to nearly 195,00 households
- Debt-free community college
- Supported nonprofits with \$50 million
- Invested in tourism
- Extra \$1.6 billion payment on long-term debt



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