



Dear Neighbor,

The 2022 legislative session delivered more real results for the people of Manchester than any budget in my lifetime.

Among the results is \$5.5 million for a brand new library we really need, \$25 million more coming to fix crumbling concrete foundations, and \$3 million to transform Center Springs Park that all of Manchester will be proud of and soon see. Major investments were made in Manchester nonprofits, including \$50,000 for MARC, Inc. to help individuals with developmental disabilities, \$100,000 for Pathfinders to help people recovering from addiction and substance use disorder, \$75,000 for Manchester Youth Services, and the largest state-wide investment in children's mental health services and support in modern history to help the youth of Manchester.

After renovating and modernizing Waddell School, now major state investments in Bowers Elementary School and Buckley Elementary School are underway so that all the elementary schools in our district will soon be modern, safe, energy-efficient and a source of success and pride.

Manchester seniors will no longer be taxed on their social security, pensions and annuities, and hard-working Manchester families can apply for the first ever Child Tax Payment to help them deal with the crushing blow of inflation. Even the most dangerous traffic intersection at Woodbridge and Oakland is finally being fixed.

All of this means a better quality of life for you, and a reduction in our local property tax burden, at a time when inflation is making everyday living expenses brutal for all of us. If there is anything I can do to provide help specifically to you, please contact me anytime. Let's work together to make Manchester all it can be.

All my best,

Geoff Luxenberg
State Representative



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2022 SESSION HIGHLIGHTS

- Addressing Children’s Mental Health Needs
- Cutting Taxes to Combat Inflation
- Making CT Affordable for Families and Seniors
- Delivering Millions For Manchester Schools and Parks
- Investing Millions in the New Manchester Library

APPLY FOR THE CHILD TAX PAYMENT!

Applications for the Child Tax Payments, included as part of more than \$650 million in tax cuts in our state budget, are open until July 31, 2022.

If you claimed at least one dependent child under the age of 18 on your 2021 federal income tax return, you may be eligible to receive a maximum payment of \$250 per child (up to three children) with the following income guidelines (higher incomes may be eligible for a reduced rebate):

FILER STATUS	INCOME THRESHOLD
Single or married filing separately	\$100,000 or less
Head of household	\$169,000 or less
Married filing jointly	\$200,000 or less

You can access the form for the Child Tax Rebate at:
egov.ct.gov/drschildrebateform/

I VOTED TO CUT YOUR TAXES

OUR STATE BUDGET INCLUDES

\$650 MILLION IN TAX RELIEF

- ✔ Created a Child Tax Payment
- ✔ Cut property taxes for retirees
- ✔ Extended the gas tax cut
- ✔ Invested in Health Care Workers
- ✔ Ended Pension and Annuity Taxes



MILLIONS FOR MANCHESTER

Means lower property taxes for you!

- **\$5.5 million** for building a **new library for Manchester**
- **\$3 million** for upgrading and transforming **Center Springs Park**
- **\$500,000** in funding for **Laurel Marsh**
- **\$390,000** for the **Manchester High School Manufacturing Program**
- **\$100,000** for the **Pathfinders Association**
- **\$75,000** for the **Manchester Youth Service Bureau**
- **\$50,000** for **MARC, Inc.**
- **\$25 million** for fixing **crumbling concrete foundations**
- **\$1.3 million** for repairing the dangerous **Woodbridge St. and Oakland St. intersection**