Dear Neighbor,

As your state representative, I want to thank you for your support and look forward to serving you at the State Capitol for the next two years. This past year proved that Connecticut is still on the road to economic recovery.

I am committed to working to bring a leaner, more efficient government while ensuring the protection of essential services. I am convinced that with your input and support, we can address the most pressing needs of our community.

Please fill out and return this survey, or go online to submit your feedback. I remain committed to working to bring a leaner, more efficient government while ensuring the protection of essential services.

Thank you for the honor of serving you.

Danny Rovero
State Representative
Representing Putnam, Killingly and Thompson
51st Assembly District
Survey 2011

Your Opinion Counts!

1. Fill out the survey
2. Fold with return address facing out
3. Place stamp where indicated
4. Tape survey shut
5. Mail to my office

Your Opinion: Q. What is the most serious problem facing our community? Please check all that apply.

- Lack of affordable housing
- Lack of access to public transportation
- Traffic / lack of public transportation
- Drug abuse
- Property taxes
- Quality education
- Quality of life
- Crime
- Open space and highways
- Homelessness
- Affordable housing
- Police
- Roads, bridges and highways
- Rent control
- Prosecution for traffic violations
- Prescription drugs for employees
- Prescription drugs for seniors
- Prison reform
- Property tax reform
- Job creation
- Job loss
- State unemployment
- Open space land purchases
- Pension reform
- Public schools
- Drug abuse prevention education
- Drug abuse rehabilitation
- Health care assistance for seniors
- Health care assistance for families
- Aid to municipalities
- Aid to the elderly
- Aid to the disabled
- Aid to the mentally ill
- Aid to the developmentally disabled
- Aid to businesses
- Aid to families with children
- Crime victim services

Comments

Please check all that apply.

Q. What is the most serious problem facing our community? Please check all that apply.

Q. Our state is facing a budget deficit of historic proportions and unlike the federal government, our state Constitution requires us to balance the budget. In order to do this, we must be creative, bold, and self-sacrificing. If you were voting on the state budget, which of these programs would you cut a lot, cut a little, or try to protect. Please check one box for each program.

- Open space land purchases
- Prescription drugs for seniors
- Prescription drugs for families
- Protecting the environment
- Prisons
- Rental assistance for families
- Rental assistance for seniors
- Roads, bridges and highways
- State courts
- State universities
- State police
- Veterans' services
- Grants to towns
- Aid to municipalities
- Aid to the disabled
- Aid to the mentally ill
- Aid to the developmentally disabled
- Aid to businesses
- Aid to families with children
- Aid to children
- Aid to seniors
- Aid to the elderly
- Aid to the mentally ill
- Aid to the developmentally disabled
- Aid to town's
- Aid to municipalities

Q. Balancing the Budget: the spending side

Q. Balancing the Budget: the revenue side

- Yes
- No

Q. Increase the income tax on individuals who earn $250,000 or higher a year

- Yes
- No

Q. Allow municipalities to increase the sales tax on meals by 1% to use for property tax relief

- Yes
- No

Q. Allow municipalities to increase the hotel room occupancy tax by 1% to use for property tax relief

- Yes
- No

Q. Expand the sales tax to more items

- Yes
- No

Q. Apply the sales tax to items bought on the Internet

- Yes
- No

Q. Increase taxes on businesses and corporations

- Yes
- No

Q. Increase the tax on alcohol and tobacco

- Yes
- No

Q. Allow the sale of alcohol on Sundays

- Yes
- No

Q. Increase the gas tax on gas-guzzling motor vehicles

- Yes
- No

Q. Create a tax on junk foods

- Yes
- No

Q. Put tolls on Connecticut highways at the borders

- Yes
- No