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2015 Legislative Preview

Dear neighbors,

I want to thank you for your support and for allowing me the privilege of representing you in the Connecticut General Assembly. I consider it an honor and will work hard to validate the trust that you have placed in me.

We all face difficult times as Connecticut turns the corner to economic recovery. I am committed to working towards a leaner, more efficient government while ensuring that we maintain essential services.

The 2015 Legislative Session is now underway. For this term, I have been appointed to the Judiciary, Finance, and Environment Committees. I am also serving on the MORE Municipal Efficiencies Sub-Committee to look for ways to reduce costs for our city and government.

Please keep in touch and contact me with issues, concerns, or suggestions as to how I can more effectively serve you. Your input will help make our community an even better place to live and work.

Thank you for allowing me the honor of serving you.

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JOB GROWTH IS PARAMOUNT

To keep Connecticut economically competitive with neighboring states, we must support business growth and job creation by attracting businesses, training workers, and providing incentives for them to remain in the state. Improving tax credits for new hires, investing in emerging technologies, and providing more jobs for our veterans have been successful, but more can be done. All these measures and more will grow our local economy and provide better job opportunities for our residents.

TACKLING STATE PROPERTY TAX REFORM

Bridgeport families understand all too well the burden our property tax structure places upon them. As your newly elected state legislator, I am committed to making property tax reform a top priority and to fighting for State funding for Bridgeport to stabilize local property taxes. I have been appointed as a member of Speaker Sharkey's MORE Commission, where we are working to save Bridgeport taxpayers money through regionalization and collaborations between municipalities across the state.

TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENTS

Connecticut's transportation system is the engine that powers the state's economy. The Governor has proposed a long-term comprehensive plan to update and improve our roadways, bridges and rail services. The goal is to improve travel safety, reduce congestion and to offer travel alternatives enhancing our quality of life with more livable, walkable and bikeable communities. Making investments in high-speed and commuter rail along the I-91/95 corridor as well as our commitment to light rail and other mass transit options across the state will help get vehicles off our crowded roads and keep commerce moving.

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