



NEW YORK STATE SENATOR

Malcolm Smith

## State Senate President Malcolm A. Smith Honors Community Activist as Constituent of the Month

MALCOLM A. SMITH March 9, 2010



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**(ST. ALBANS, NY)-** Senate President Pro Tempore Malcolm A. Smith honored Liz Bishop-Goldsmith as his March constituent of the month. Ms. Bishop-Goldsmith is the founder of Mothers Against Guns, Inc. (MAG).

“Liz continues to lobby and advocate for guns laws. She does a lot of positive work in our community and for that she deserves to be honored,” said Senator Smith.

The organization was formed in March of 1994, after Ms. Bishop-Goldsmith lost her godson to the hands of senseless gun violence.

The New York City Council approved legislation (Intro-144-A) that Ms. Bishop-Goldsmith proposed placing restrictions on the purchase of ammunition.

“MAG is proud of the “bullet bill” and firmly believes that making the purchase of ammunition difficult for youth and those with criminal intent will have a positive impact on the reduction of gun related crimes in our society,” said Senator Smith.

Ms. Bishop-Goldsmith is the proud mother of three loving sons and six grandsons. She attends St. Matthews AME Church in Hollis. Ms. Goldsmith and her husband reside in Rosedale.