

HELP PREVENT DELAYS IN TAXPAYERS GETTING THEIR STATE TAX REFUNDS!

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Dear Neighbor,

You may have heard that the Governor has said he wants to delay mailing state income tax refunds to taxpayers. I can't think of worse idea. It's your money, not the government's.

You should know that **I am a co-sponsor of legislation that would require New York State to mail out tax refunds within 30 days** of a person filing his or her taxes so that this can never happen again in the future.

You can take action to get the Governor to change his mind this year.

I have an on-line "it's our money" petition on my website to get the tax refunds mailed out to taxpayers as soon as possible. I will deliver the petition to the Governor in the next few weeks to let him know directly how we feel.

Sign the petition by going to www.golden.nysenate.gov.

Hardworking Brooklynites and taxpayers throughout the state are counting on their money. Many have made plans for that money and need their refunds.

Having the state grab and hold onto tax refunds is wrong. It's not the government's money - **it's YOUR money.** It should be sent back to you as soon as possible.

If we have to make tough choices reducing state spending, let's make the tough choices. We need to get taxes reduced and state spending under control. The state must not engage in games and gimmicks, like withholding tax refunds, that are not going to solve our long-term problems.

Be sure to sign my on-line petition and also ask your friends and neighbors to do so!


Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Martin J. Golden".

Martin J. Golden, State Senator

IT'S YOUR MONEY: SIGN SENATOR MARTY GOLDEN'S ON-LINE PETITION TO STOP THE TAX REFUND DELAY. GO TO: WWW.GOLDEN.NYSENATE.GOV

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**The Governor wants
the state to delay
sending you
your tax refund!**

He's wrong. It's our money
not the government's
to grab and hold.

**Join Senator Marty Golden in
telling the Governor "No."**