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# **STAY CONNECTED**

I would like to hear from you. Please send me an email to Persaud@NYSenate.gov or complete the form below and return to district office. Friend me on Facebook: Senator Roxanne J. Persaud

#### Or

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# Holiday Blessing

May the peace of the season Bring gladness to our hearts, May it be that perfect guiding light That directs us on life's paths. And when dark and dismal seems the way, And no hope nor comfort can be found, May the beams of love, joy and hope Be our turnaround May the sweet taste of laughter, Fill our hearts and souls, May we find life's greatest treasures In the hearts of young and old. May our prayers always be answered, For our soldiers to return safely home, And though we cannot hold them close, May they never feel alone. May we welcome new beginnings With the dawning of the day. And be ever mindful Of the things we do and words we say. May we live our lives with purpose, Without doubt and pain and fear May our season of bountiful blessings Last throughout the coming year. ~Michelle Edwin

### You deserve to be served!



### **CONSTITUENT SERVICE OFFICE HOURS SCHEDULE**

| MON        | TUES     | WED          | THUR     | FRI          |
|------------|----------|--------------|----------|--------------|
| 12pm - 7pm | 2:30pm - | Reserved for | 2:30pm - | Reserved for |
|            | 4:30pm   | Appointment  | 4:30pm   | Appointments |

Call our office at 718-6497653 or email us @ Persaud@NYSenate.gov

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PLEASE RESPOND TO

SENATOR ROXANNE J. PERSAUD 19<sup>TH</sup> SENATE DISTRICT

Dear Neighbor/Friend:

Please allow me to introduce myself as your newly elected State Senator for the 19th Senatorial District.

My name is Roxanne J. Persaud and on November 3rd, 2015 your votes selected me to represent you and be your voice in Albany. I am grateful for the opportunity to speak on your behalf and provide quality assistance in every way possible.

My priority is always to fight for the issues that matter most to you. In the Assembly, I helped lead the charge on key issues affecting healthcare facilities, libraries and education among others. I will continue this work to ensure that the 19th Senatorial District has access to quality medical facilities; libraries are funded, and our children receive the best education possible. In addition, affordable housing, safety and security in our community will be a high priority.

Every constituent of the 19th Senatorial District deserves to be served, because our voice is valuable. Every concern merits immediate and complete attention. In order to know and better understand your needs, the District Office will be opened longer hours two days a week and Saturday hours will be provided once per month. Meeting you is of utmost importance and I would like to have the opportunity to join you in the community and establish relationships, share your experiences and participate in your discussions.

As always, my staff and I appreciate your feedback and suggestions for ways in which we can better serve you. This newsletter contains a tear away form which you can complete and return to the office. This will help us provide better assistance and support to you in your future endeavors. Your response can also be sent via facsimile or email. When we work together we can build stronger, safer and more supportive communities. continue to work together can we build stronger, safer and more caring communities. Remember, you deserve to be served!

Thank you for allowing me the opportunity to serve you.

Very truly yours,

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Roxanne J. Persaud

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Roxanne line dancing with volunteers at a holiday event.

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#### **STRONGER COMMUNITIES**

An asset is item that is obtained with the expectation that it will produce returns or increase in value in the future. When people make an investment, they expect the proceeds to be in abundance. I am asking you to join me with our INVEST IN THE 19th SENATORIAL DISTRICT INITIATIVE. I am asking you to join me in investing in the 19<sup>th</sup> Senatorial District. Let us work together to lower the crime rate, increase educational initiatives and achieve pay equality. With a combined effort we can ensure our communities are affordable, a great place to live and raise our children. Whether you are a block association president, leader in the community,

member of clergy or a concerned citizen I would like to hear from you. It is my aim that as we move forward you would be a distinctive part of our team of investors in the District. Your input will help us to continue building and celebrating the culture of Senate District 19. There is strength in numbers and together we can build stronger communities. My office and I are looking forward to hearing from you.

### BLOCK ASSOCIATION PRESIDENTS & CLERGY MEMBERS

Are you a Block Association president or a member of Clergy who has not had the opportunity to be part of the monthly meetings? Your input is vital to the continued growth of our communities. Please call the District Office as soon as possible or send us an email so we can add you to our contact list for our upcoming meetings.



Senator presenting a Thanksgiving care package to a constituent.



#### **DISTINGUISHED RECOGNITIONS**

Let us celebrate with you. If you, your organization or someone in the community is celebrating a milestone please let us know. We would love to acknowledge the honoree with either a resolution, citation or proclamation. There are time constraints in producing the celebratory documents. Please make all attempts to contact the office at least three weeks before the due date so that your request could be honored.



Senator Persaud meeting with constituent.



Senator Persaud was happy to share a moment and meals with seniors at Abe Stark Senior Center.

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## You Deserve to be Served!



Senator Persaud on Thanksgivng Day with seniors at Our Lady of Miracles.



Senator Persaud, Ms. Guyana Universe (middle) and Sandra Chapman (left) during the grand opening of the Guyana Arts & Cultural Center



Local commands of the 19th Senate District and Senator Persaud "Invested in keeping our streets safe"