

# CSA ENDORSEMENTS

November 2, 2010 General Election

## Our Choices: From President Ernest Logan

It's our responsibility to engage and educate legislators about the issues and problems we face as individuals, as community members, and as school leaders in the city.

CSA has always maintained relationships with legislators in an effort to make them understand what really goes on in schools and what we need to do our jobs. It's not enough to say, "I support schools." We need lawmakers who provide us with the resources and tools, i.e. policies, to support the entire school community: students, administrators and teachers. We also need to have a process that allows parents to be involved and feel supported.

Our endorsements this year were difficult in no small part due to the turmoil in Albany, the fiscal crisis facing our nation and education reform. Each of our endorsed candidates will be held to a high standard and will be expected to involve us in the development of policies that affect us.

Government should not be a top-down operation, nor should it operate in a vacuum. It is our job as a union and as individuals to maintain open lines of communication and let them know when they're doing a good job as well as when we're disappointed.

I urge you all to vote on Nov. 2.



## FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL



### ERIC SCHNEIDERMAN

After graduating from Harvard Law School, Mr. Schneiderman clerked in the US District Court for NY's Southern District and then entered private practice. He served as the counsel to the West Side Crime Prevention Program and he helped found the Attorney General's Anti-Crime Advocates program. His work included campaign finance reform. Mr. Schneiderman was elected to the NYS Senate in 1998 and was instrumental in passing the clinic access bill, hate crimes legislation, the Women's Health and Wellness Act, legislation to increase the minimum wage, and a host of anti-illegal gun, environmental and civil rights laws. He has been recognized for his work protecting freedom of choice, fair funding for schools, ethics reform, and the expansion of affordable health care. He also serves as national co-chair of Legislators Against Illegal Guns.

## AFL-CIO Political Convention



■ CSA's delegation at the NYS AFL-CIO biennial political convention, held in August in Albany, included Executive Vice President Peter McNally, second from left. More than 400 delegates, representing local unions, labor councils and area labor federations throughout the state were in attendance.

## FOR GOVERNOR

ANDREW CUOMO

## FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

ROBERT DUFFY

## FOR COMPTROLLER

THOMAS DINAPOLI

## FOR US SENATE

KIRSTEN GILLIBRAND

CHARLES SCHUMER

For candidate biographies, see September CSA News.

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## FOR UNITED STATES CONGRESS

**TIMOTHY H. BISHOP** 1, SUFFOLK COUNTY (D, WF)  
**STEVE J. ISRAEL** 2, SUFFOLK COUNTY (D, I, WF)  
**CAROLYN MCCARTHY** 4, NASSAU COUNTY (D, I, WF)  
**GARY L. ACKERMAN** 5, QUEENS, NASSAU (D, I, WF)  
**JOSEPH CROWLEY** 7, QUEENS, BRONX (D, WF)  
**JERROLD L. NADLER** 8, BORO (D, WF)

**ANTHONY D. WEINER** 9, BROOKLYN, QUEENS (D, WF) WF  
**EDOLPHUS TOWNS** 10, BROOKLYN (D)  
**YVETTE CLARK** 11, BROOKLYN (D, WF)  
**NYDIA M. VELAZQUEZ** 12, BROOKLYN (D, WF)  
**MIKE MCMAHON** 13, STATEN ISLAND (D)  
**CAROLYN B. MALONEY** 14, QUEENS, MANHATTAN (D,

WF)  
**CHARLES B. RANGEL** 15, MANHATTAN (D, WF)  
**JOSE E. SERRANO** 16, BRONX (D, WF)  
**ELIOT L. ENGEL** 17, BRONX (D, L, WF)  
**NITA M. LOWEY** 18, W'CHESTER, ROCKLAND (D, WF)  
**PAUL D. TONKO** 21, ALBANY (D)

## NEW YORK STATE SENATE

**SHIRLEY L. HUNTLEY** 10, QUEENS (D, WF)  
**FRANK PADAVAN** 11, QUEENS (R)  
**MICHAEL GIANARIS** 12, QUEENS (D)  
**JOSE PERALTA** 13, QUEENS (D)  
**JOSEPH ADDABBO** 15, QUEENS (D, WF)  
**TOBY ANN STAVISKY** 16, QUEENS (D, WF)  
**MARTIN MALAVE DILAN** 17, BRONX (D)  
**VELMANETTE MONTGOMERY** 18, BROOKLYN (D)  
**JOHN L. SAMPSON** 19, BROOKLYN (D, WF)  
**ERIC L. ADAMS** 20, BROOKLYN (D, WF)

**KEVIN S. PARKER** 21, BROOKLYN (D, WF)  
**MARTIN GOLDEN** 22, BROOKLYN (R, C)  
**DIANE M. SAVINO** 23, STATEN ISLAND (D, WF)  
**ANDREW J. LANZA** 24, STATEN ISLAND (R, I)  
**DANIEL SQUADRON** 25, BROOKLYN (D, WF)  
**LIZ KRUEGER** 26, MANHATTAN (D, WF)  
**CARL KRUGER** 27, BROOKLYN (D)  
**THOMAS DUANE** 29, MANHATTAN (D, L, WF)  
**BILL PERKINS** 30, MANHATTAN (D, WF)  
**ADRIANO ESPAILLAT** 31, BRONX (D)

**GUSTAVO RIVERA** 33, BRONX (D)  
**JEFFREY KLEIN** 34, BRONX, W'CHESTER (D)  
**ANDREA STEWART-COUSINS** 35, W'CHESTER (D, WF)  
**RUTH HASSEL-THOMPSON** 36, BRONX (D, WF)  
**SUZY OPPENHEIMER** 37, W'CHESTER (D, WF)  
**DAVID CARLUCCI** 38, ORANGE, ROCKLAND (D)  
**STEPHEN M. SALAND** 41, POUGHKEEPSIE (R, C)  
**DAVID J. VALESKY** 49, ONEIDA (D)

## NEW YORK STATE ASSEMBLY

**MARC S. ALESSI** 1, SUFFOLK (D, I, WF)  
**EARLENE HILL HOOPER** 18, NASSAU (D)  
**DAN O'DONNELL** 21, MANHATTAN (D)  
**GRACE MENG** 22, QUEENS (D)  
**AUDREY PHEFFER** 23, QUEENS (D, WF)  
**DAVID WEPRIN** 24, QUEENS (D)  
**RORY I. LANCMAN** 25, QUEENS, (D)  
**ED BRAUNSTEIN** 26, QUEENS (D)  
**NETTIE MAYERSOHN** 27, QUEENS (D)  
**ANDREW HEVESI** 28, QUEENS (D, WF)  
**WILLIAM SCARBOROUGH** 29, QUEENS (D)  
**MARGARET M. MARKEY** 30, QUEENS (D)  
**MICHELE TITUS** 31, QUEENS (D, WF)  
**BARBARA M. CLARK** 33, QUEENS (D, WF)  
**MICHAEL DENDEKKER** 34, QUEENS (D)  
**JEFFRION L. AUBRY** 35, QUEENS (D)  
**ARAVELLA SIMOTAS** 36, QUEENS (D)  
**CATHERINE T. NOLAN** 37, QUEENS (D)  
**MICHAEL MILLER** 38, QUEENS (D)  
**FRANCISCO MOYA** 39, QUEENS (D)  
**INEZ BARRON** 40, BROOKLYN (D)  
**HELENE WEINSTEIN** 41, BROOKLYN (D)

**RHODA JACOBS** 42, BROOKLYN (D)  
**KARIM CAMARA** 43, BROOKLYN (D, WF)  
**JAMES F. BRENNAN** 44, BROOKLYN (D, L, WF)  
**STEVEN CYMBROWTIZ** 45, BROOKLYN (D)  
**ALEC BROOK-KRASNY** 46, BROOKLYN (D)  
**WILLIAM COLTON** 47, BROOKLYN (D, WF)  
**PETER J. ABBATE, JR.** 49, BROOKLYN (D)  
**JOSEPH R. LENTOL** 50, BROOKLYN (D)  
**FELIX W. ORTIZ** 51, BROOKLYN (D)  
**JOAN MILLMAN** 52, BROOKLYN (D, WF)  
**DARRYL C. TOWNS** 54, BROOKLYN (D, WF)  
**WILLIAM BOYLAND, JR.** 55, BROOKLYN (D)  
**ANNETTE ROBINSON** 56, BROOKLYN (D)  
**HAKHEEM JEFFRIES** 57, BROOKLYN (D)  
**NICK PERRY** 58, BROOKLYN (D, WF)  
**ALAN MAISEL** 59, BROOKLYN (D)  
**D. JANELE HYER-SPENCER** 60, BROOKLYN (D)  
**MATTHEW TITONE** 61, STATEN ISLAND (D, WF)  
**LOUIS TOBACCO** 62, STATEN ISLAND (R)  
**MICHAEL CUSICK** 63, STATEN ISLAND (D)  
**SHELDON SILVER** 64, MANHATTAN (D, WF)  
**MICAH KELLNER** 65, MANHATTAN (D, WF)

**DEBORAH J. GLICK** 66, MANHATTAN (D)  
**LINDA ROSENTHAL** 67, MANHATTAN (D, WF)  
**ROBERT RODRIGUEZ** 68, MANHATTAN (D)  
**KEITH L. WRIGHT** 70, MANHATTAN (D)  
**HERMAN D. FARRELL, JR.** 71, MANHATTAN (D)  
**GUILLERMO LINARES** 72, MANHATTAN (D)  
**BRIAN KAVANAGH** 74, MANHATTAN (D)  
**RICHARD GOTTFRIED** 75, MANHATTAN (D, WF)  
**PETER M. RIVERA** 76, BRONX (D)  
**VANESSA GIBSON** 77, BRONX (D)  
**JOSE RIVERA** 78, BRONX (D)  
**ERIC STEVENSON** 79, BRONX (D)  
**JEFFREY DINOWITZ** 81, BRONX (D)  
**MICHAEL BENEDETTO** 82, BRONX (D)  
**CARL E. HEASTIE** 83, BRONX (D)  
**GARY PRETLOW** 87, BRONX (D)  
**AMY PAULIN** 88, WESTCHESTER (D)  
**JOHN J. MCENENY** 104, ALBANY (D, I, WF)  
**RONALD J. CANESTRARI** 106, ALBANY (D)  
**ROBERT REILLY** 109, ALBANY (D)  
**BARBARA LIFTON** 125, CORTLAND (D, WF)  
**CRYSTAL PEOPLES-STOKES** 141, BUFFALO (D)