



## The Bores Brief

Only have minutes to spare? Here's what you need to know:

- **There was a big election this week.**  
As a reminder, this is a government-side newsletter, so we cannot comment on campaigns in general, and won't reference it here aside from this note.
- **Last week the New York State Assembly session ended with a flurry of bills**, including six of mine described to the right. I'm excited to be back in the district.
- **I'm proud to have secured \$300,000 in funding for local organizations providing vital services** — that includes neighborhood associations from the south of the district (Murray Hill) to the north (Carnegie Hill), museum programming for students (Guggenheim) and services for seniors (Search and Care), as well as funding for both physical and mental health care.
- **If you'd like a read-only Microsoft Word version of the newsletter**, just reach out. We are happy to send it your way!

My office is here to serve you. If we can ever be of assistance, write to us at [BoresA@contactme.nyassembly.gov](mailto:BoresA@contactme.nyassembly.gov).

Sincerely,

Alex Bores  
Your Assemblymember

## LEGISLATIVE WINS



### **RAISE Act (A6453)**

With an overwhelming bipartisan majority, Alex passed the strongest AI safety legislation in the country. The Responsible AI Safety and Education (RAISE) Act ensures that companies making the most powerful models take adequate precautions and adhere to safety plans before releasing their products.

### **Cracking Down on Unregulated Entities (A8804)**

Shockingly, unlicensed banks and financial service providers (e.g. check cashing stores, money changes, even cryptocurrency firms) that ignore licensing requirements face no penalties, giving bad actors an unfair advantage. Assemblymember Bores passed a bill to close this loophole—protecting New Yorkers from abuse and supporting rule-abiding small businesses.

### **Modernizing Business Law – UCC Reform (A3307)**

Businesses and consumers rely on consistent laws, but New York had not updated its contractual law to match the Uniform Commercial Code since 2014. The Assemblymember passed a bipartisan bill aligning the state with national best practices, reducing barriers to local commerce and providing greater clarity for all.

### **Protecting Passover Participation (A1223)**

No one should have to choose between observing a sacred holiday and engaging in democracy. Alex passed the Protect Passover 2026 Act which moves the deadline for petition filing to avoid a conflict with Passover—building on a similar 2023 law. He also mapped out religious holiday conflicts through 2057 so the legislature can fix adjust future schedules; the next conflict with petitioning will be Eid al-Adha in 2031.

*The next two bills passed the Assembly but did not advance in the Senate. Alex will be fighting hard to pass them again next year.*

### **AI Transparency – Know What You're Using (A6578)**

Just as we know the ingredients in our food, we should know the data that goes into training AI. Assemblymember Bores passed a bill that requires AI companies to disclose basic details about their training data. Modeled off a California law, it creates no new compliance burden for companies but gives New Yorkers insight into the algorithms they use.

### **Exit Interviews for Civil Servants (A5912)**

New York State's civil service is facing a staffing crisis, made worse by the loss of top talent. The Assemblymember passed a bill to implement exit interviews—an approach used by nearly all Fortune 500 companies—to help government learn why employees leave and improve public services.

## IN THE COMMUNITY



Summer brings back street fairs, rain or shine! Alex attended the Turtle Bay Association Street Fair, where he connected with neighbors who braved the weather to come together and enjoy the day.



Assemblymember Bores joined graduation celebrations at Wagner Middle School (his alma mater) and PS 59. He congratulates the Class of 2025 and wishes the students, teachers, and staff a wonderful summer.

## AAPI SUMMIT

Assemblymember Bores was proud to honor 73rd District resident, Sarah Chu at an AAPI month celebration in Albany. Sarah co-chairs the Social Justice Committee of Manhattan Community Board 8 and serves as the Director of Policy and Reform at the Perlmutter Center for Legal Justice at Cardozo Law (PCLJ). Her leadership and dedication to justice continue to drive meaningful change across New York.



## STAY COOL COOLING CENTERS IN DISTRICT 73



**Stavros Niarchos Foundation Library**  
455 Fifth Ave

**POPS - 120 Park Ave** **POPS - 550 Madison Ave**

**POPS - 805 Third Ave** **POPS - 590 Madison Ave**

**Petco Turtle Bay**  
991 Second Ave

**POPS - 875 Third Ave**

**POPS - 575 Fifth Ave**

**Senior Center at St Peter's Church**  
Older Adults Only  
619 Lexington Ave

**POPS - 645 Fifth Ave**

**POPS - 55 East 52 St**

**POPS**  
Privately Owned  
Public Space

**Fifty Eighth Street Library**  
127 East 58 St

[Click here for locations and hours: bit.ly/Cooling25](https://bit.ly/Cooling25)

**353 LEXINGTON AVENUE, SUITE 704**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### CHN and HAFOB: Summer Tai Chi Series

The Church of the Holy Trinity, 316 E 88 St  
Wednesdays at 2:00 PM, Thursdays at 11:00 AM  
For more information, email:  
[Caroline@CHNeighbors.org](mailto:Caroline@CHNeighbors.org)

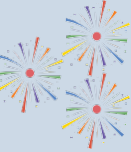
### Murray Hill Farmers Market

Every Sunday, 5:00 AM – 3:00 PM  
Second Ave between E 32 St and E 33 St



### NYC Pride Parade

Sunday, June 29, 11:00 AM  
Starting at 26 St and Fifth Ave  
March with Alex and his team!  
To register: [bit.ly/TeamBores](https://bit.ly/TeamBores)



### Tour the Building with a Docent

Sunday, July 6, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, and 3:30 PM  
The NY Society Library, 53 E 79 St



### OMG! Origami at SNFL

Tuesday, July 8, 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM  
Stavros Niarchos Foundation, 455 Fifth Ave



### Grand Central Food Block Party Series

Thursday, July 10, 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM  
E 45 St between Third Ave and Lexington Ave



### Bastille Day Festival

Sunday, July 13, 12:00 PM – 5:00 PM  
Madison Ave between E 59 St and E 63 St



### Tuesday Movie Matinée: Spider-Man

Tuesday, July 15, 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM  
58th Street Library, 127 E 58 St



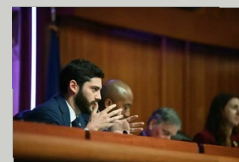
## IN CASE YOU MISSED IT: ASSEMBLYMEMBER BORES IN THE PRESS



**amNY: [bit.ly/BoresAI1](https://bit.ly/BoresAI1)**  
AI's promise must not come at the cost of human livelihoods



**NYT: [bit.ly/NYSAl](https://bit.ly/NYSAl)**  
N.Y. Lawmakers Target Prison Reform and A.I. in Frantic End of Session



**Times Union: [bit.ly/TUAI1](https://bit.ly/TUAI1)**  
New York takes first steps to regulate large AI developers



**Gothamist:**  
NY lawmakers want to avoid 'critical harm' by AI