"As your voice in the state Legislature, it's important I know what issues matter most to you. Hearing from constituents ensures that I can better advocate on behalf of our community."

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## - Assemblymember **Karen McMahon**

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Tell Assemblymember Karen McMahon

#### Dear Friend.

I'm committed to improving the quality of life and affordability of our region and across New York State. During this legislative session, I will fight for laws that protect and support our communities, businesses, families and environment.



Hearing from constituents is the best way for me to be the voice of our community in Albany. Please take the time to fill out my survey so that I can more effectively work for Western New York families during the 2024 legislative session.

Sincerely,

Karen M. Mrc Mahn



Take the survey online by scanning this **QR** code!



### My office can help you:

- Obtain benefits, government forms and applications
- Connect with state agencies, local services and resources
  - Replace lost medals or awards for veterans
  - Answer questions about state government
- Get information on programs such as STAR, HEAP or EPIC

If you have any questions about community issues, please contact my office: Assemblymember Karen McMahon 5500 Main St., Suite 224, Williamsville, NY 14221 716-634-1895 | McMahonK@nyassembly.gov

#### **ASSEMBLYMEMBER KAREN MCMAHON'S CONSTITUENT SURVEY**

Please take a moment to fill out this survey so I can ensure your voice is heard in Albany. This survey can also be completed online at nyassembly.gov/McMahon.

#### NAME:

**EMAIL:** 

#### **PHONE:**

Should insurance companies be allowed to offer discounts to drivers of ambulances, police cars and firetrucks who have had specialized training in emergency vehicle operation?

○ Yes ○ No ○ Not Sure

2. Do you think a college or university should be required to notify a 10. Would you support raising taxes on New Yorkers earning \$5 parent or emergency contact when a student experiences a drugmillion or more per year? or alcohol-related emergency?

○ Yes ○ No ○ Not Sure

3. Do you support raising the income eligibility for the Tuition Assistance Program (TAP) to \$125,000?

○ Yes ○ No ○ Not Sure

The New York Medical Aid in Dying Act (A.995) would allow a mentally competent, terminally ill patient to choose to selfadminister medication to end their life with additional protective measures in place. Do you support the passage of the Medical to Aid in Dving Act into law? mail

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and Are you in favor of a proposal that would prevent medical debt from being used as a reason to deny a hospital admission? clip

○ Yes ○ No ○ Not Sure

To address our statewide housing crisis and protect tenants, some lawmakers have proposed legislation that would limit the amount of a rent increase and strictly define the circumstances under which a tenant could be evicted (A.4454). Would you support this legislation?

○ Yes ○ No ○ Not Sure

To meet New York's ambitious climate goals, some lawmakers have proposed legislation that would phase out fossil fuel infrastructure and cap home heating costs at 6% of monthly income (A.4592-B). Do you support this legislation?

○ Yes ○ No ○ Not Sure

8. Across upstate New York, nursing homes have been forced to close or reduce their capacity due to labor shortages. These shutdowns are impacting the quality of care for older adults and leaving the industry in crisis. Would you support raising Medicaid reimbursement rates to help hospitals and nursing homes remain financially viable?

#### **ADDRESS:**

9. Would you support a law allowing the sale of wine in grocery stores but not in convenience stores, gas stations, drug stores or big box stores like Walmart or Target (A.6989)?

#### ○ Yes ○ No ○ Not Sure

○ Yes ○ No ○ Not Sure

11. Do you support allocating \$100 million per year in public money to finance political campaigns?

○ Yes ○ No ○ Not Sure

12. Some workers, such as restaurant servers, earn less than minimum wage but can make up the difference in tips. Would you support a proposal that would eliminate the practice of tipping while requiring that workers be paid the same minimum wage as other workers?

○ Yes ○ No ○ Not Sure

- 13. As the chair of the Assembly Task Force on Women's Issues, I am interested in hearing feedback on issues most important to women in the district. Please choose up to three (3):
  - Maternal mortality and health
  - Reproductive health care access and rights
  - Child tax credits
- Women's safety i.e. sexual harassment. domestic violence
- Child care assistance
- I am not a woman/ not applicable
- Other: -

4. Are there any other statewide or community issues that concern you? Please choose up to three (3):

- Public safety
- O Taxes
- Election integrity
- Public school funding
- Higher education funding
- Economic development/ job creation
- Mental health/ substance abuse
- Reproductive freedom

- Protecting the environment/addressing climate change
- Infrastructure
- Access to/affordability of health care
- Funding universal child care and pre-k
- Affordable housing
- Other: