ENVIRONMENTAL BILLS THAT WERE SIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR - 2022 NYS LEGISLATIVE SESSION -

HISTORIC WETLANDS REFORMS BUDGET: PART QQ OF THE TED

Protects over 1 million acres of critically important freshwater wetlands that are currently unmapped and tens of thousands of smaller wetlands that are of 'unusual importance' and provide valuable ecological services

$4.2 BILLION ENVIRONMENTAL BOND ACT (BUDGET)

The historic "Clean Water, Clean Air, Green Jobs Environmental Bond Act" will finance projects that protect critical habitats, restore wetlands, prevent floods, and safeguard our drinking water

$400 MILLION ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION FUND (BUDGET)

Ensures that NY’s primary funding source for critical programs such as land acquisition, farmland and open space protection, drinking water infrastructure, and waste reduction will continue to support the health and prosperity of all NY’s communities

S.8830 (STEWART-COUSINS)/A.2103-D (PRETLOW)

Places environmental justice at the core of SEQRA and makes provisions to require environmental impact statements to state whether the siting of a facility will cause or increase a disproportionate burden on disadvantaged communities

S.6486-D (PARKER)/A.7389-C (KELLES)

Establishes a moratorium on cryptocurrency mining operations that use proof-of-work authentication methods to validate blockchain transactions and requires a comprehensive generic environmental impact statement review

S.9422 (PARKER)/A.10493 (JOYNER)

Establishes the "utility thermal energy network and jobs act" to promote the development of thermal energy networks throughout the state and to provide jobs to transitioning utility workers who have lost or are at risk of losing their employment

S.4104-A (BRESLIN)/A.7006-B (FAHY)

Requires equipment manufacturers to provide diagnostic and repair information for their products so that they can be fixed by third parties at a reasonable cost

S.8291A (BROUK)/A.8630A (REYES)

Bans the sale, both in-store and online, of cosmetics & other personal care products containing mercury
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<td>Sets a goal of the state to conserve at least 30% of New York's land by 2030 as part of an effort to combat the biodiversity and climate crises in the state's land acquisition policy</td>
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<td>A.7063-A (FAHY)/S.6291-A (HOYLMAN)</td>
<td>Prohibits the use of perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances in common apparel as an intentionally added chemical</td>
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<td>S.9419 (KAMINSKY)/A.7710-A (ENGLEBRIGHT)</td>
<td>Relates to the regulation of taking crabs, including minimum and maximum size limits, open and closed seasons including lunar closures, and a prohibition on the harvest of crabs in amplexus</td>
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<td>S.9382 (PARKER) /A.10450 (FAHY)</td>
<td>Requires a plan by which New York State owned vehicles are to be 100% all electric by 2040 with incremental goals leading up to the zero emissions mandate</td>
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<td>S.3897(KENNEDY)/A.8936-A (FAHY)</td>
<td>Increases state funding for construction and improvements by the department of transportation where the municipality agrees to fund a complete street design feature as a component of the project</td>
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<td>S.23-B (KAPLAN)/A.4386-D (O'DONNELL)</td>
<td>Requires that all new parking garages and lots in NY install EV charging infrastructure for at least 10% of the spaces, and 20% for lots with a 200 car capacity and larger</td>
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<td>S.5027-C (KAVANAGH)/A.9279-A (ENGELBRIGHT)</td>
<td>Establishes a NYS carpet collection program, making carpet producers responsible for making less toxic and easier to recycle products</td>
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<td>A.6678-E (WALKER)/S.1046-E (MYRIE)</td>
<td>Creates the John R. Lewis Voting Rights Act of New York, establishing rights of action for denying or abridging of the right of any member of a protected class to vote</td>
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<td>S.7582-B (MAYER)/A.9216-B (OTIS)</td>
<td>Requires the examination of current and the recommendation of future standardized building code requirements for flood mitigation</td>
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S.4371-D (BIAGGI)/A.6150-B (SEPTIMO)
Directs the department of environmental conservation to promulgate air quality standards for emissions of certain toxic air contaminants; establishes the community benefit fund

S.4162 (HARCKHAM)/A.6652 (ENGBRIGHT)
Adds protection to 41,000 linear miles of currently unprotected headwater streams in NY, guaranteeing protection for all the state’s headwater streams

S.3034-A (PARKER) /A.873-A CAHILL
Provides funding to members of the public engaged in various proceedings before the Public Service Commission (that are not otherwise covered) to give citizen advocates even footing with big energy interested when it comes to enacting policy or evaluating projects

S.139-A(THOMAS)/A.4117 (ENGBRIGHT)
Establishes the NYS goal to reduce, reuse, recycle, or compost no less than 85% of the solid waste generated by the year 2032

S.8050-A(CLEARE)A.5541-B (ENGBRIGHT)
Reduces the threshold for lead contamination levels for indoor environments, especially in the context of protecting children from lead exposure

A.340-B (ZEBROWSKI)/S.1829-B (SKOUFIS)
Directs NYSERDA to study and make recommendations regarding siting renewable energy resources at decommissioned or dormant electric generating sites and to issue a request for proposal in support of a renewable energy project at a dormant electric generating site
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S.7453-A (KRUEGER)/A.8327-A (ENGLEBRIGHT)
Requires that 100% of in-state sales of new lawn care equipment, including lawn mowers, leaf blowers and edgers, be zero emission by 2027

S.355 (HOYLMAN)/A.903 (O'DONNELL)
Prohibits the use of drilling fluids, brine and flowback water from wells, pools or fields on any highway

S.8378-C (HARCKHAM)/A.9079-B (BURDICK)
Prohibits the application of pesticides to certain local freshwater wetlands for local governments that have implemented a freshwater wetlands protection law