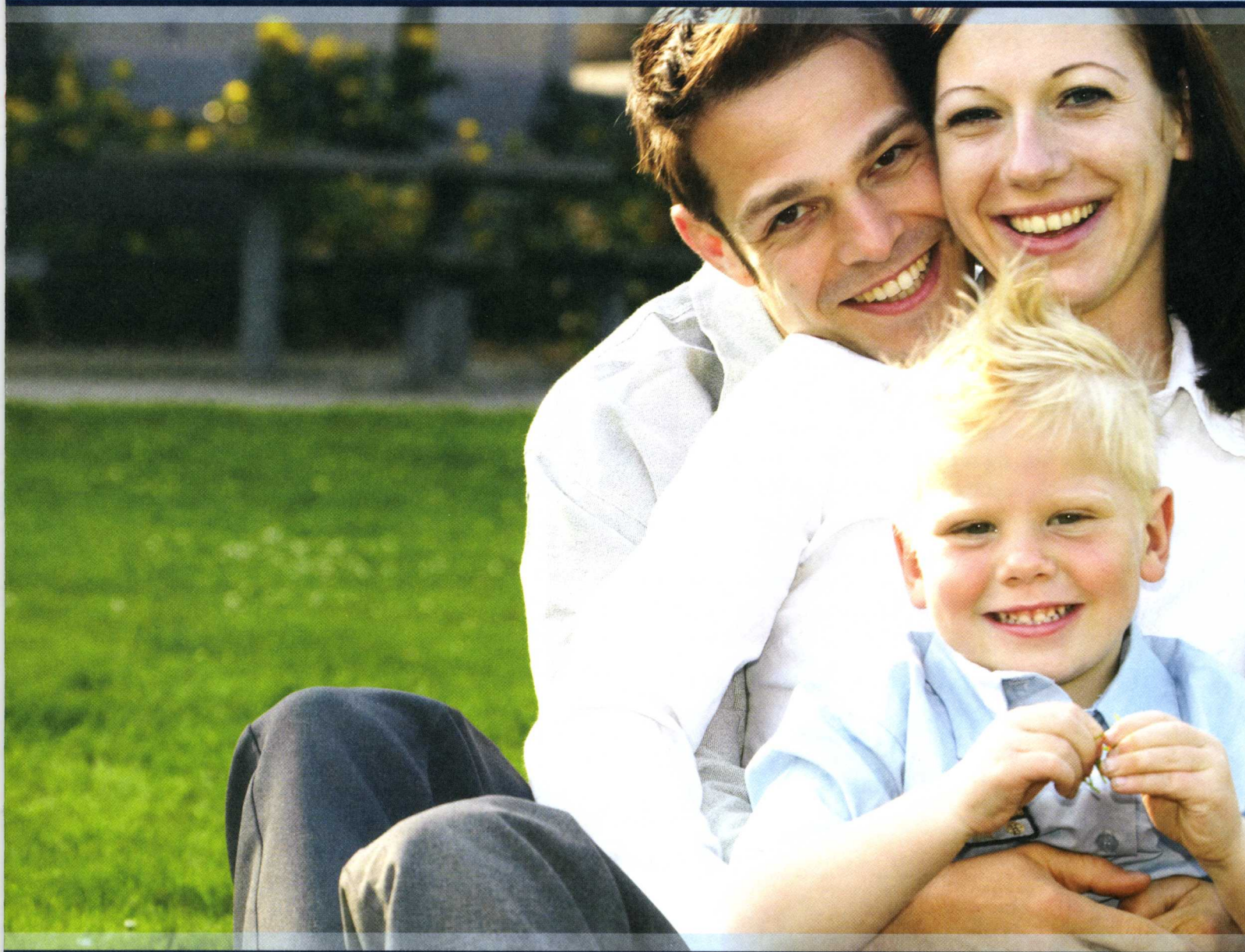


Addressing Monroe County priorities

A report from Congressman Randy Kuhl



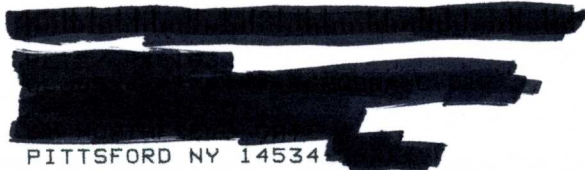
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Progress for Monroe County

From the desk of
Randy Kuhl

Dear Friends:

It has been ten months since I was sworn in to the 110th Congress for my second term as your U.S. Representative. This newsletter's purpose is to keep you informed on what I've been doing in Congress and how you can contact me.

Congress is facing several big issues this year—from reauthorizing No Child Left Behind and protecting our troops overseas to containing our growing budget deficit and improving education.

As your Representative, I need to hear from you with your thoughts and ideas about how to tackle these issues. Constituent service is my top priority as your congressman. If there is ever anything I can do to be helpful, please don't hesitate to contact me or stop by one of my offices or a town meeting in your area.

I look forward to hearing from you and serving you better in Congress!

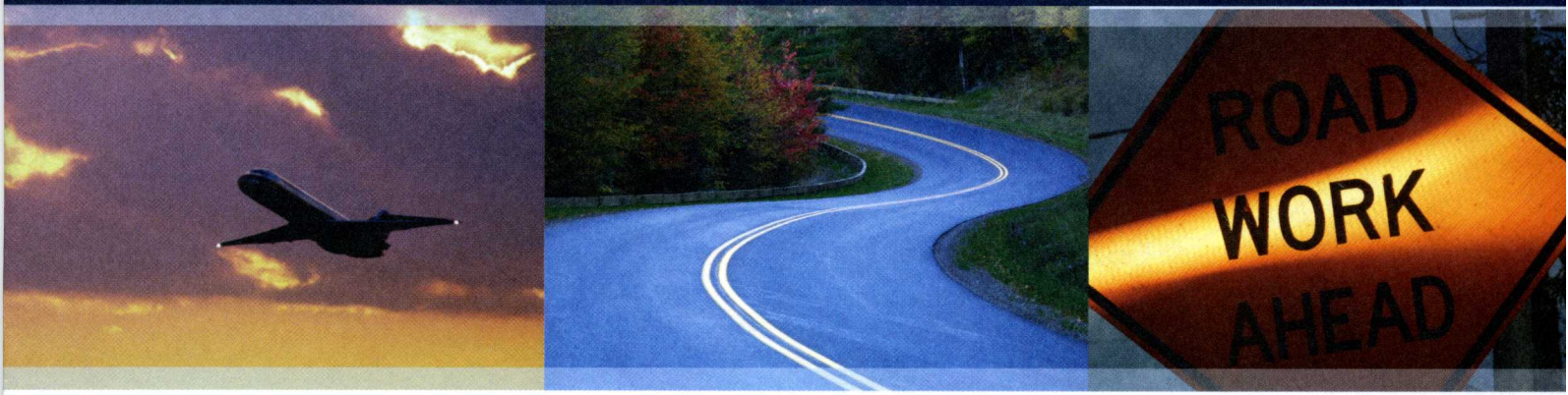
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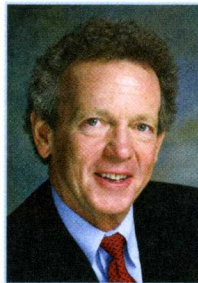
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P.S. It has been an honor and privilege working for you in Congress and speaking to you about your concerns and priorities. If you need more information on anything referenced in this newsletter, please send a letter or give my Bath office a call at (607) 776-9142.

Improving Transportation



The 29th District of New York has a strong transportation infrastructure that is critical to the economic development of the entire state. Because of this, I have made transportation one of his top priorities as your Congressman.



Federal Aviation Administration Reauthorization Act of 2007

Federal Aviation Administration Reauthorization Act of 2007 authorizes funding for the FAA for 2008 through 2011. The act will improve aviation safety and capacity, and provide stable funding for the national aviation system. And it provides valuable funding for various local airport improvements in the 29th District including runway repairs, taxiway rehabilitations, congestion relief, and increased lighting at airports.

Water Resources Development Act

The Water Resources Development Act, passed by the House this fall, includes funding for high-priority water projects at six locations around the 29th District. These projects will help eliminate the threat of flooding, and will also bolster economic development by extending and upgrading water supply systems. The inclusion of these projects in this bill will ensure that further money will not be taken from the already strained local tax base.

Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 2007

I voted for this bill to provide \$463 million for the Appalachian Regional Commission through fiscal 2011. The ARC works with many states, including New York, to create opportunities for self-sustaining economic development and improved quality of life by running a highway program in isolated areas.

“Better roads and schools will help attract good paying jobs to Monroe County, and keep it a great place to live and raise a family.”

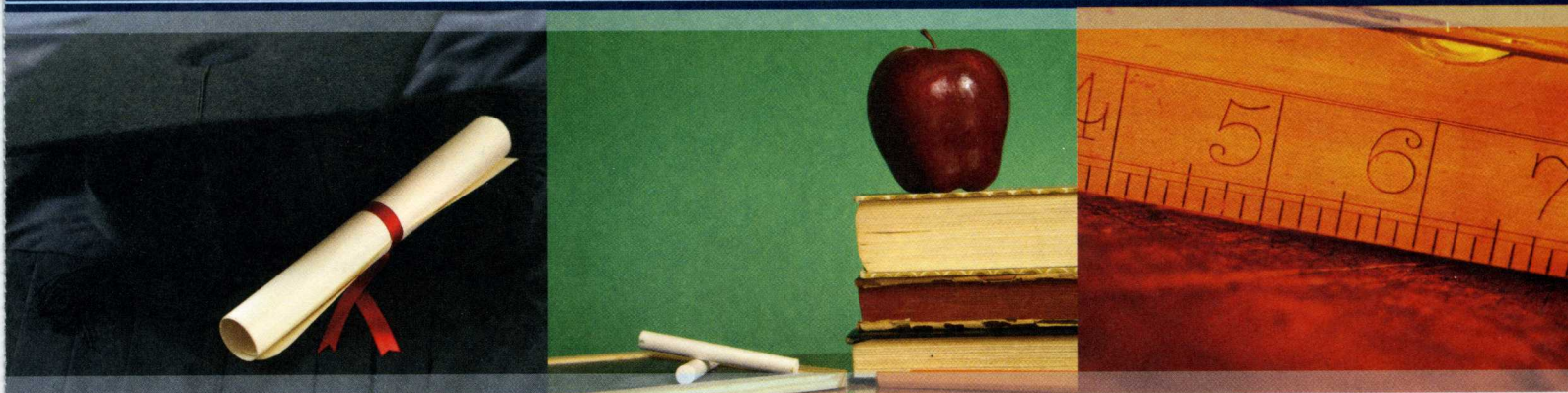
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I want to hear from you.

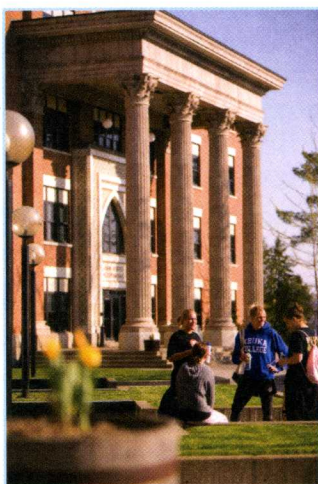
In order to better represent you, Randy Kuhl needs to know your opinion on the issues that affect our communities. Please take a moment to complete this survey and mail it to me.



Congressman Randy Kuhl: Addressing our Priorities Improving Access to Quality Education



The 29th District of New York is home to many of the best schools, colleges, and universities in the nation. As a member of the Committee on Education and Labor and former Chair of the New York State Senate's Committee on Education, I am working on several pieces of legislation to strengthen the education system in the United States.



College Affordability Tax Relief Act of 2007

Having put three children through college, I know how challenging it is to pay for higher education. That's why I introduced the College Affordability Tax Relief Act of 2007. It makes permanent the deduction for tuition and related expenses.

College Cost Reduction and Access Act

More Americans from all walks of life are pursuing a college education, so it was important for me to vote for the College Cost Reduction and Access Act. The legislation will boost college aid by roughly \$20 billion over the next five years. It also increases the Pell Grant Scholarships and significantly cuts interest rates.

No Child Left Behind (NCLB)

The reauthorization of the No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act of 2001 is scheduled for this fall. As a member of the Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary and Secondary Education, I am playing a substantial role in this process. I believe it is vital that we improve student achievement, and plan to support efforts to expand state and local flexibility and enhance competitiveness initiatives to ensure a strong workforce.

Rural Education Achievement Program (REAP)

REAP, created as part of the No Child Left Behind Act, helps rural school districts that lack the resources to apply for federal competitive grants and do not have access to large amounts of funding due to small populations. On September 17, I introduced legislation to reauthorize and improve this program.

Contact Congressman Randy Kuhl

Congressman Kuhl has 4 offices to serve you. Please contact him with your questions, concerns and ideas.

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Attention Congressman Kuhl:

1. Overall, how would you rate the quality of the public school in your district?

- Above average Average Below average

2. Do you support increased federal investment in math and science education?

- Yes No

3. Do you support school vouchers?

- Yes No

4. What do you think should be the proper course of action in Iraq, should conditions fail to improve over the next six months?

- An immediate pullout of all forces
 A gradual reduction of forces, leaving behind few units to train Iraqi forces
 No change to the level of troops
 An increase in the number of troops
 An international conference to determine the next course of action
 Cut funding now. Don't wait
 Other

5. How satisfied are you with the quality of roads, highways, and the general infrastructure of New York's 29th District?

- Very satisfied Satisfied Not satisfied.

6. Do you support further rail safety measures to ensure the well-being of our regional railroad industry?

- Yes No

7. Do you think Amtrak should be privatized?

- Yes No

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

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