



Dear Neighbors,

It is my honor to serve as your State Senator. I am committed to representing everyone faithfully, regardless of party or background, across our diverse district.

I hope that this mailer, as well as my social media posts and email blasts, are informative about our state government and my efforts in the Senate.

Most importantly, I want to hear from you regarding any ideas or questions. Please always feel free to reach out using the contact information below.

Thank you for the honor of representing you in Hartford.

Sincerely,

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If you have questions or opinions about state issues, or if I can be of service in any way, please feel free to contact me directly.

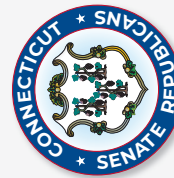
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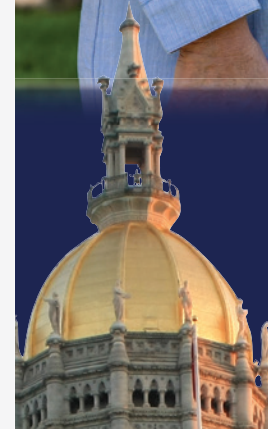


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Remembering Broko



Sen. Somers authored “Broko’s Bill” (**S.B. 339**) to provide restitution to municipalities for police canines injured or killed in the line of duty, honoring the sacrifice of Police K-9 Broko who was killed late last year.

Supporting Local Employment



Sen. Somers introduced policy, later passed into law in **S.B. 385**, which supports the hiring of Connecticut fishermen for offshore wind contracts—boosting local employment.

Supporting the 18th District

Promoting Local Tourism

Sen. Somers supported **H.B. 5432**, enhancing opportunities for small businesses and attracting tourists, showcasing the unique charm of the district.



Advocating for the Environment



Based on her service as a member the Eelgrass Working Group, Sen. Somers championed **H.B. 5229**, which implemented key recommendations to preserve and restore eelgrass ecosystems.

Reducing Tax Burdens for Veterans

Co-authoring **H.B. 5491**, Sen. Somers worked to provide property tax exemptions for fully disabled Veterans, alleviating financial burdens.



Public Health

SEN. SOMERS WORKED COLLABORATIVELY WITH MEMBERS FROM BOTH SIDES OF THE AISLE TO PASS S.B. 1.



Insurance Coverage of Coronary Calcium Scans

Ensures access to preventative care by requiring insurance coverage for life-saving Coronary Calcium Scans to combat heart disease.



Home Health Safety Related Client Intake

Mandates the sharing of relevant patient history information before home visits to protect home healthcare workers.



Opioid Deactivation and Disposal Systems

Allows pharmacists to provide information on opioid disposal systems, helping to remove unused medications from the streets.



Fairness in Nursing Home Applications

Prohibits nursing homes from denying admissions solely based on an applicant’s history of receiving mental health services.