

Report

on the Federal Budget

from Congresswoman Carolyn Maloney

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Dear Neighbor:

As your Representative in Congress, I've fought to increase funding for vital programs affecting our city and its citizens. The budget fight is not always pretty, but the New York delegation—along with the City and State government and the various institutions and organizations receiving funding—was able to increase Federal funding for critical programs in our neighborhoods.

This continues a trend of increased funding to New York City. From 1996 to 1998—the most recent years for which data are available—Federal funds granted to the city increased by \$3.4 billion (for total of \$46.7 billion). Hospitals, universities, senior centers and community organizations have used these funds to improve the programs and services they provide to New Yorkers.

On the map inside I've listed the organizations and institutions which receive significant amounts of federal support. It's only a partial list—it's just not possible to list every recipient of Federal aid on two pages—but I hope this map will help both in locating services and understanding where our tax dollars are used. Some examples of funding categories include:

- **Health care:** This continues to be a top priority to many New Yorkers. The Federal government provided over \$16 billion dollars for health care services to New York City in 1998.
- **Small businesses:** They add significantly to our economic development and job growth. During Fiscal Year 1999 the Small Business Administration granted over \$16.1 million dollars to 132 businesses.
- **Education and research:** Federal funds to New York City schools, universities, and research institutes grew by \$100 million from 1996 for a total of over \$2.5 billion.
- **Transportation:** The addition of buses and railcars to better serve patrons of public transportation continues. Repair and maintenance of bridges, tunnels, signal lights, and other aspects of city transit are included in the \$770 million in Federal aid.
- **Crime and Justice:** Over \$150 million of Federal funding to help make our streets even safer and help take drugs out of our schools.
- **Seniors:** Programs such as Meals on Wheels and foster grandparents received over \$219.1 million for Fiscal 1999.

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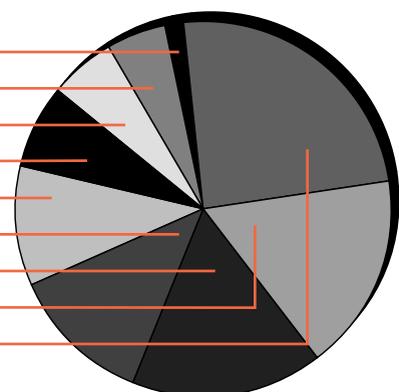
As always, I look forward to hearing from you about what you think should be the top priorities for our city and our nation.

Sincerely,

Carolyn B. Maloney

AID TO NEW YORK CITY, by category (in millions) (by %)

Category	(in millions)	(by %)
Transportation	\$772	1.7
Education and Scientific Research	2,512	5.4
Crime, Arts, Miscellaneous	242	6.0
Child Welfare and Food Assistance	3,584	7.6
Procurement and Gov't Operations	5,114	10.9
Housing and Urban Development	6,031	12.9
Medicare	8,141	17.4
Medicaid	8,391	17.9
Retirement and Disability	11,977	25.6
Total	\$46,764	



**Arts,
Humanities
and Sciences**

- 1 American Museum of Natural History
- 2 American Composers Orchestra
- 3 American Council of Learned Societies
- 4 Architectural League of N.Y.

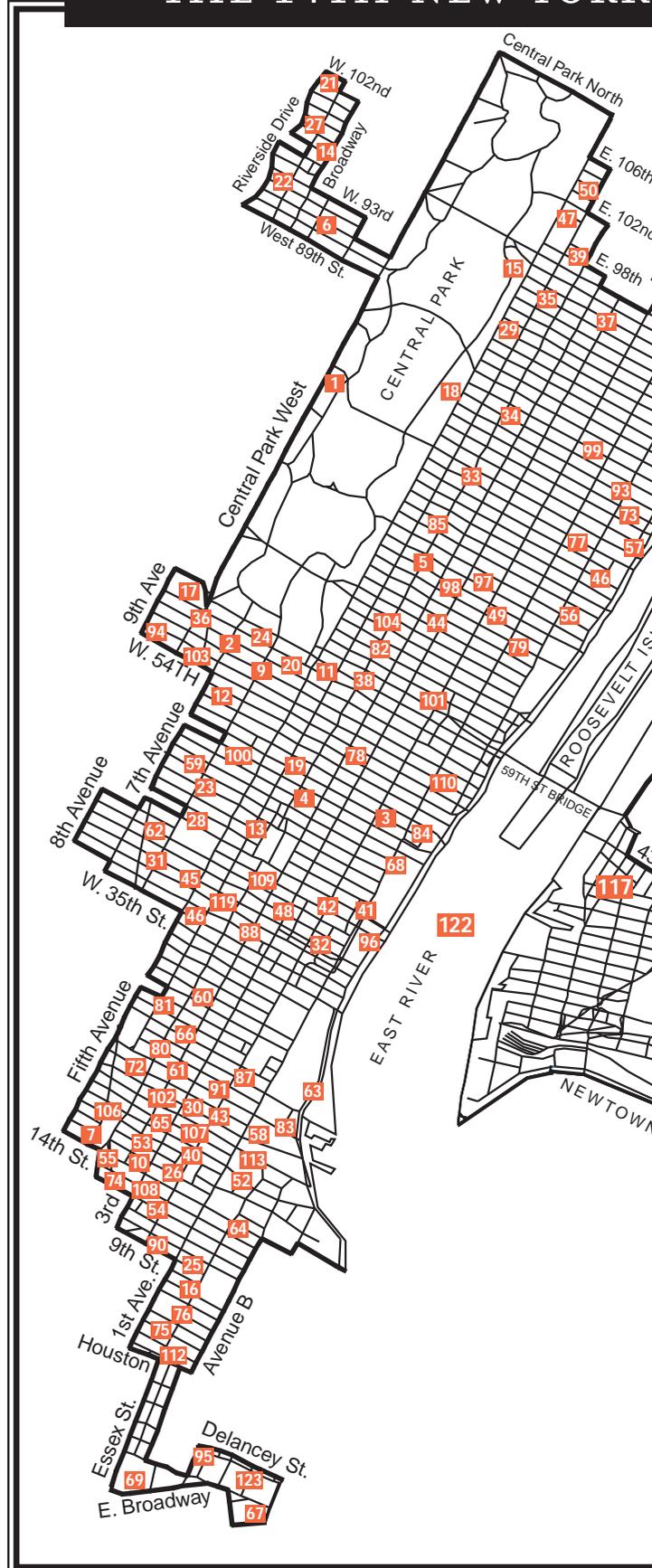
- 5 Asia Society
- 6 Ballet Hispanico of New York
- 7 Ballet Tech Foundation, Inc.
- 8 Blackberry Productions, Inc.
- 9 Carnegie Hall
- 10 Cineaste Publishers
- 11 City Center 55th Street Theater Foundation
- 12 Concert Artists Guild, Inc.
- 13 Drama League of New York, Inc.
- 14 Frederick Douglass Creative Arts Center
- 15 International Center of Photography
- 16 Mabou Mines Development Foundation
- 17 Media Alliance, Inc.
- 18 Metropolitan Museum of Art
- 19 Museum of Modern Art
- 20 New York Chamber Symphony, Inc.
- 21 New York Baroque Dance Co. Inc
- 22 New York Gilbert & Sullivan Players, Inc.
- 23 Non-Traditional Casting Project, Inc.
- 24 Parsons Dance Foundation
- 25 Performance Space 122, Inc.
- 26 Poetry Society of America
- 27 Riverside Symphony Inc.
- 28 Roundabout Theater Co. Inc
- 29 Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum
- 30 Spanish Theatre Repertory Co. ltd
- 31 St. Luke's Chamber Ensemble Inc.
- 32 Theatre Communications Group. Inc.
- 33 Whitney Museum of American Art
- 34 World Monuments Fund, Inc.
- 35 Young Audiences, Inc.
- 36 Young Concert Artists, Inc.
- 37 Young Men's & Women's Hebrew Association

**Education
and Labor**

- 37 American Academy in Rome
- 39 Central Park Historical Society
- 40 Children's Aid Society
- 41 Council on International Educational Exchange
- 42 CUNY Graduate School and University Center

- 43 Goodwill Industries of Greater New York, Inc.
- 44 Hunter College
- 45 Interracial Council for Business Opportunity
- 46 Memorial Sloan-Kettering Institute
- 47 Mount Sinai School of Medicine
- 48 National Bureau of Economic Research
- 49 National Urban Technology Center
- 50 New York Academy of Medicine

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- 51 New York Public Library Astor, Lenox, and Tilden Foundations
- 52 New York City Board of Education
- 53 Non-traditional Employment for Women
- 54 Osbourne Association Inc.
- 55 Research Foundation of City College of New York
- 56 Rockefeller University
- 57 Weill Medical College of Cornell University

Sources for federal funding information:
 U.S. Dept. of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.
 U.S. House of Representatives, House Information Resources.
 U.S. General Services Administration.
 Federal Procurement Data Center.
 New York City Housing Authority.
 National Institutes of Health.
 City of New York Dept. for the Aging.



- 73 Hospital For Special Surgery
- 74 Institute for Urban Family Health
- 75 John Paul II Friendship Center
- 76 Krakus Manhattan Extended Services
- 77 Lenox Hill Senior Center
- 78 Lutheran Immigration & Refugee Service
- 79 Montefiore Medical Center
- 80 Murray Hill SRO Senior Center
- 81 National Kidney Foundation
- 82 New York Academy of Sciences
- 83 New York University Medical Center
- 84 Population Council
- 85 Profile Diagnostic Sciences
- 86 Proteometrics, Inc.
- 87 Public Health Research Institute
- 88 Public Agenda Foundation, Inc
- 89 St. Mary's Senior Center
- 90 Sirovich Senior Center
- 91 Stein Senior Center
- 92 Steinway Senior Center
- 93 Strang Cancer Prevention Center
- 94 Tri Center Inc.
- 95 United Jewish Council Adult Luncheon Club
- 96 United Neighbors E Midtown
- 97 VNS Home Care
- 98 VNSUNY
- 99 Yorkville Luncheon Club

Housing, Transportation and Environment

- 100 Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi Trust Community Development
- 101 Central Park Conservancy
- 102 Citibank Community Development
- 103 City of New York
- 104 City Parks Foundation

Health and Human Services

- 58 Aaron Diamond AIDS Research Center
- 59 Acorda Therapeutics Inc.
- 60 African Services Committee
- 61 American Lung Ass'n
- 62 Balm in Gilead, Inc.
- 63 Bellevue Medical Center
- 64 Beth Israel Medical Center
- 65 Black Leadership Commission on AIDS, Inc.
- 66 Christian Herald Association, Inc.
- 67 Clinical Decision Analytics Inc.
- 68 Domestic & Foreign Missionary Society
- 69 Education Alliance Senior Center
- 70 HANAC Archbishop Lakovos Senior Center
- 71 HANAC Lindsay Senior Center
- 72 Hispanic AIDS Forum, Inc.
- 105 City of New York Parks and Recreation
- 106 Community Lounge Senior Center
- 107 Earth Day New York, Inc.
- 108 Environmental Defense Fund
- 109 Fleet Bank- Community Development
- 110 Local Initiatives Support Corporation
- 111 MTA LIRR East Side Access
- 112 Meltzer Towers
- 113 New York City Housing Authority
- 114 New York DOT—Paratransit Buses
- 115 New York DOT—Purchase of Railcars
- 116 New York DOT—Signals
- 117 Queensboro Bridge—repairs
- 118 Republic National Bank Community Development
- 119 Stanley M. Isaacs Neighborhood Center
- 120 Triboro Bridge—repairs
- 121 Vera Institute of Justice
- 122 Whitehall Ferry—reconstruction
- 123 Williamsburg Bridge

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New Funding, New Trees, Renewed battle against Asian Longhorned Beetles

The Asian Longhorned Beetle was discovered in Ruppert Park last summer, just blocks from Central Park. Ruppert Park lost 23 trees to this voracious insect which has killed more than 4,400 trees in Queens,

Brooklyn, and the New York region.

The beetle burrows into the centers of elm, maple, and other hardwood trees, has no known predators, and is not susceptible to pesticides. In the Fiscal Year 2000 budget, Congress earmarked two separate appropriations to fight the beetle. The Animal & Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) at the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture (USDA) will receive \$2.1 million for research, surveys and tree removal. New York State will receive almost a million dollars of that money.

In addition, I am pleased to announce that the Forestry Department will receive \$300,000 for education, tree removal, and restoration. Some of this money will be available as grants for local groups to train people to identify the beetle and to notify appropriate agencies. Recognizing the seriousness of the beetle threat, in the FY2001 budget the President has requested \$4.6 million for APHIS and \$2.5 million for the Forestry Department.

Last year, the USDA allocated more than \$5 million from the Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) towards research on ways to combat the beetle. Recently, I wrote to USDA Secretary Dan Glickman and asked him to increase the amount of CCC funds by 25% and to use the money to pay for tree recovery



During a forum to educate the public on how to identify the Asian Longhorn Beetle, Rep. Maloney plants a tree to replace one of the 23 trees in Ruppert Park that were destroyed by the beetle. New York State will receive almost a million dollars from the USDA for research, surveys, and tree removal.

NY Hospitals Receive \$312 Million in NIH Grants

and replacement.