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Highlights

1. Two weeks ago, the Assemblymember sent a letter to the NYC Board of Elections asking questions about the preparation the BOE is doing for this June's primary. Such questions included educating poll workers about ranked choice voting, mask mandates, as well as the procedures for lines at polling sites. Our office has not received a formal response yet, but it was announced that the city will be putting funds towards education on ranked choice voting for poll workers.
2. Last week the Assemblymember sent a letter to the Department of Labor regarding issues our office has been experiencing with helping constituents with unemployment insurance. Our office has been displeased on how the Department of Labor has been assisting constituents, from not detailing next steps clearly enough for those reaching the end of their benefit year, to relying on third party vendors to assist with completing unemployment claims. We hope that this letter will push the Department of Labor to make getting help with unemployment insurance a lot easier and more convenient for our constituents.
3. Our office is currently writing and planning to send a letter to the Mayor in support of re-opening senior centers in Manhattan. With guidelines being relaxed and capacity increasing this month, we believe that senior centers can safely re-open and become a safe haven once again for seniors in our district. We stand by the Manhattan Borough President and many other elected officials on calling on the Mayor to re-open these crucial centers.
4. As always if anyone who lives in the 73rd Assembly District needs assistance with their unemployment insurance claims, information about rental assistance, and anything else related to state and city government, please reach out to our office and we will do our best to assist you. We can be reached at quartd@nyassembly.gov and 212-605-0937.