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Senator Edward Rath III



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Senator Edward Rath III was elected to the Senate in 2020. He is a Republican – Conservative – Independence – SAM,. Prior to being elected to the Senate, Senator Rath was an Erie County Legislator for 13 years. He has built a reputation for being a fierce advocate for the community, putting taxpayers first. He has advocated for a stronger economy, government transparency and accountability and more affordable, safer communities.



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As a Legislator, Senator Rath’s leadership led to the creation of the County’s Silver Alert Local Law, an Amber Alert for seniors that has since become a model program statewide. Mr. Rath was a longtime member of the Legislature’s Public Safety Committee, where he was a champion for the first responders and led efforts against cyberbullying. Mr. Rath has fought to make Erie County more affordable for families and authored legislation to create a Property Tax Stabilization Fund to protect homeowners and hold the line on property taxes



In addition to his public service, Senator Rath has remained active in the community. He continues to volunteer for organizations that provide assistance throughout the community including the Salvation Army, Meals on Wheels, Rotary International and the Alzheimer’s Foundation.



He is a lifelong Amherst resident, where he currently resides with his wife, Amy and their three daughters. He received his degree from Syracuse University, with a major in Political Science and a minor in History. In 2005, he completed the Executive MBA program at Canisius College – Magna Cum Laude.

