

REPRESENTATIVE HOCHUL'S RECORD OF CUTTING SPENDING AND FIGHTING TO BALANCE TO BUDGET THE RIGHT WAY

Rep. Hochul has voted to cut billions of dollars from wasteful government programs and is fighting to balance the budget the right way by ending out of control Washington spending:

Balance the Budget

Every day, families, farmers, and businesses in Western New York must make hard choices to cut spending and balance their checkbooks, and it is long past time that Washington play by the same rules with our hard-earned tax dollars. That is why Rep. Hochul **voted for a Balanced Budget Amendment to the Constitution** that requires Congress to balance its budget in the same manner that Western New Yorkers are required to.

End Needless Overseas Spending

We cannot afford to continue funding countries that do not support American interests, which is why Rep. Hochul voted to **cut over \$1.6 billion in funding for Pakistan**. She also **supported \$850 million in cuts from Afghanistan infrastructure projects**—spending that cannot be justified when roads and bridges in Western New York are in critical need of repair.

Right-Size Government

Rep. Hochul **voted for a bipartisan plan to cut deficit spending by \$2.4 trillion**. She also voted to cut millions of dollars in administrative spending by bloated federal agencies, including the Government Printing Office, Environmental Protection Agency, U.S. Botanic Garden, and Department of Commerce.

Cut Congressional Budgets

To lead by example, Rep. Hochul voted to save \$39 million for taxpayers by **cutting the budget for all House of Representatives offices, including her own**, by 6.4 percent. This is just one component of legislation she helped pass to cut over \$232 million from legislative branch spending.

Close Tax Loopholes for Big Oil

Rep. Hochul believes we must **close wasteful tax loopholes** that benefit oil companies making record profits, and authored an amendment to save taxpayers millions of dollars by ending these corporate giveaways. In total, she has voted to **cut over \$70 million in unnecessary subsidies for Big Oil**.