

GOVERNOR CHRISTIE'S TOOL KIT

Governor Chris Christie has made 33 legislative proposals that will affect us. Notice that I underlined the word, proposals, for changes because each one of the proposals must be put into a piece of legislation and so far only 8 of them have appeared in the form of bills sponsored by Legislators. To understand those proposals and their impact, please go to CWA Local 1033's website under Home page click on Gov. Christie's Tool Kit, and read the analysis of the tool kit.

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Only 8 pieces of 33 proposed Legislation has been submitted as of June 4, 2010 :

1. SCR-104 (sponsored by Senator Kryillos, R, District 13): Proposes a constitutional amendment to impose a strict 2.5% cap on tax levy increases by local units of government. *This is what the Governor's speaking about all over the State at Town Hall Meetings.*
2. SCR-103 (sponsored by Senator Oroho, R, District 24): Proposes a constitutional amendment to establish a 2.5% cap on annual appropriations increases for certain state government spending.
3. S-2027 (sponsored by Senator Tom Kean, R, District 21): Concerns collective negotiations for public institutions of higher education.
4. S-2024 (sponsored by Senator Kryillos, R, District 13): Permits layoff plan as substitute for employment reconciliation plans for joint meetings or shared service agreements under certain circumstances.
5. S-2026 (sponsored by Senator Tom Kean, R, District 21): Amends state college law to remove certain employees from civil service system and allows boards of trustees to conduct collective bargaining.
6. S-2011 (sponsored by Senator Oroho, R, District 24): Eliminates seniority in civil service and other jurisdictions for reductions in force in certain circumstances and expands the authority of the Chair of the Civil Service Commission.
7. S-2025 (sponsored by Kryillos, R, District 13): Authorizes executive county superintendent of schools to require implementation of shared services arrangements and to approve school district collective negotiations agreements prior to execution of the agreement.
8. S-2043 (sponsored by Kryillos, R, District 13): Concerns negotiations for school employees and repeals law prohibiting school boards from imposing terms and conditions of employment