




NEW YORK STATE SENATOR

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## Community Connection for Week Ending Sunday April 28th, 2013

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<p>occurred in Boston last week.</p> <p>Bill S1018, which I was a sponsor of, would increase penalties for criminals who attempt robberies with devices appearing to be bombs or explosives. The bill would elevate the criminal charge from third degree to first or second degree robbery.</p> <p>This was just one of the bills in this comprehensive anti-crime legislation package. Other highlights included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Full prison time for terrorists</li><li>• Protect Our Children Act</li><li>• Expanding Ages for Aggravated Assault of a Child</li><li>• Tougher Penalties for Assaulting a Police Officer</li></ul>	<p>Also Monday, Rochester Labor Council, in conjunction with the AFL-CIO, will hold a Workers' Memorial Day ceremony from 5:00 until 6:00 p.m. at the Workers Memorial site at Highland Park.</p> <p>Wednesday, May 1st, at Noon, Eastman Commons will hold a ribbon-cutting ceremony and an open house. Eastman Commons is located at 1630 Dewey Avenue.</p>
<p><b>Funding Secured for Summer of Opportunity</b></p>	 <p>The Teen Empowerment/10th Annual Community Luncheon will be held on Thursday, May 2nd, at the Rochester Riverside Convention Center</p>

In this week's Community Connection: highlights of anti-crime legislation passed by the New York State Senate earlier this week, funding for the City of Rochester's Summer of Opportunity Program, and upcoming events around the area in the week ahead. Click the link below to download a full-screen version of this week's Community Connection.