

THE INVEST IN OUR NEW YORK ACT

would raise more than \$50 billion in much-needed revenue per year by

Taxing High Incomes:

- **Progressive Income Tax [S2622/A4604](#):** Creates a tax system where New Yorkers pay a higher rate if they earn significantly more money. **RAISES \$12-18 BILLION**

Right now, individuals with incomes between \$21,400 and \$1,077,550 are all taxed at roughly the same rate of 6.5%. Higher earners should pay a higher rate. This bill would raise the tax rates on the top 5% of income-earners (\$300,000 and above).

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- **Capital Gains Tax [S2522/A3352](#):** Taxes income from investments like stocks same as wages. **RAISES \$7 BILLION**

Rich people make much of their income from investments like stocks, not from their jobs. The federal government taxes investment income at a much lower rate than wages. New York can fix this by adding a tax to investment income that's equal to the tax break the rich are getting from the federal government.

Sponsored by Senator Gustavo Rivera and Assemblymember Ron Kim

Taxing Wealth:

- **Heirs' Tax [S3462/A4643](#) :** A progressive tax on large sums of inherited wealth. **RAISES \$8 BILLION**

Many rich people also make their money from inheriting enormous sums. They can make up to \$5 million in a year through inheritance and pay no tax on it. Inheritances of less than \$250,000, family homes up to \$2 million, money from pensions or retirement funds, and family farms will not be affected.

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- **Billionaires' Tax [S4482/A5092](#):** An additional tax on billionaires; additionally, a constitutional amendment to allow a true wealth tax. **RAISES \$23 BILLION IN THE FIRST YEAR, \$1.3 BILLION PER YEAR THEREAFTER**

New York already has a wealth tax: it's called a property tax. Homeowners pay it every year. But if you own a massive stock portfolio, it is not taxed. This tax would treat billionaires' gains in wealth as income, and these increases would be taxed at income tax rates. Additionally, a constitutional amendment would allow the state to tax large sums of intangible wealth—i.e., stocks, bonds and company ownership— in the future.

Sponsored by Senator Jessica Ramos and Assemblymember Carmen De La Rosa

Taxing Corporations and the Financial Sector:

- **Wall Street Tax [S3980/A5215](#):** A small tax on Wall St. financial transactions. **RAISES \$12-29 BILLION**

Unlike other major financial centers like London and Hong Kong, New York doesn't place any tax on financial transactions. The financial industry is the state's largest industry: it makes up 30% of our economy. This bill places small taxes on trades of stocks, bonds and derivatives; a similar tax on stocks existed in NY until 1981.

Sponsored by Senator Julia Salazar and Assemblymember Yuh-line Niou

- **Corporate Tax [S2833/A4595](#):** A bill to repeal the Trump tax cuts, by restoring taxes on the profit a corporation makes each year. **RAISES \$9 BILLION**

In 2017, Trump's tax cuts reduced the federal corporate profit tax rate from 35% to 21%, and cut taxes on real estate businesses by 20%. New York can end these tax breaks in our state so that businesses pay the same tax as they did three years ago.

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