

Dear Governor:

I have read 2008-09 executive budget call letter it is clear what must be done; the eliminations of costly consultants program that strains the budget. The two major agencies that are plague with this burden is the New York State Department of Transportation and Environmental of Conservation. These agencies already have the recourses they need but delivery continues to be a problem due to inter agencies turf wars and foolish pride.

The uses of agencies staff expertise combine will creates a model for other states to follow. For example, you have staff located in the transportation that could help the environmental department cut consultant cost almost to zero and save the state millions of dollars. Yes, title and location will change but the benefits the state will receives will defiantly out way all.