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Neighborhoods Safe

## Responding to Our Community's Needs

Since 2013, Assemblyman William B. Magnarelli has secured more than \$1.5 million in state grant funding to further enhance the Syracuse City Police Department's COPS (Criminal Observation and Protection System) surveillance camera project. These funds have made a huge difference for residents living in our city neighborhoods, as well as for police officers in their efforts to keep our neighborhoods safe.

More than 100 cameras are purchased and installed with these grant funds located throughout our city, including but not limited to these areas: North Salina Street, Butternut Street, E. Fayette St., Hawley-Green Historic District, Washington Square, Park Street and West Genesee Street area.

12 cameras located in Schiller Park and 9 cameras in Upper Onondaga Park.

\$225,000 in grants have been secured to install additional cameras on the Northside, and 5 cameras on James Street in Eastwood.

"The newly installed cameras in Schiller Park provide families with the comfort of knowing there is enhanced security as they come to enjoy recreational activities and rediscover its wonderful amenities. We want to thank Assemblyman Magnarelli for sharing our vision for this Park to be a vibrant place for families to come."

 Katie Scott, Board Member of TNT and Butternut Community Police Center

- Ralph Bova, a member of Friends of Schiller Park

"The security cameras Assemblyman William Magnarelli championed have helped to improve the quality of life in the Northside. Crimes that impact our quality of life are down, especially in the Washington Square neighborhood."

- John Meyer, Facilitator of Washington Square Tomorrow's Neighborhoods Today Task Force

"We have seen criminal activity in our neighborhood and the addition of police cameras will help to ensure the safety of our residents and their homes."

 Marty Nave, Lifelong Northside Resident and Facilitator of the Dale Street Area Neighborhood Watch Group



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