New York State Primary Day
September 13, 2018

• ONLY state level positions are on the ballot
  • These include:
    • Governor
    • Lieutenant Governor
    • State Attorney General
    • Some state Assembly and Senate seats
New York State House             Governor’s Mansion
Assembly Districts (150 seats)

Senate Districts (63 seats)
Your Assembly District and Assemblyman

Charles Lavine
Your State Senate District and Senator

Elaine Phillips
Your Governor -- Andrew Cuomo
What is a primary election?

• When the members of a political party vote to choose who will represent their party in the General Election

• Why would members of a political party NOT want more than one person from their party to run in a general election?

• Often times, only one candidate from a party decides to run or has so much support within the party that there is no primary. Charles Lavine (Democrat) and Elaine Phillips (Republican) are not running in a primary. They already have their respective party’s support.

• General Election is held in November (first Tuesday after first Monday)
Primary Elections on Thursday

Democratic Primary for Governor
Andrew Cuomo  Cynthia Nixon

Democratic Primary for Lieutenant Governor
Kathy Hochul  Jumaane D. Williams
New York State Attorney General
Democratic Party Candidates

Tish James

Sean Maloney

Leecia Eve

Zephyr Teachout
Republican Candidate For Governor (no primary)

- Marcus Molinaro