

# STATE OF NEW YORK EXECUTIVE CHAMBER ALBANY 12224

## Governor's Office of Public Safety

The Governor's Office of Public Safety coordinates the State's eight criminal justice agencies with issues on budget, press, legislation and major policy initiatives.

These agencies are the State Police, Office for Prevention for Domestic Violence, Division of Military and Naval Affairs, State Commission of Corrections, Office of Crime Victims, Division of Criminal Justice Services, Department of Corrections and Community Supervision, and the Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services.

#### Mission

Our office works to promote public safety by ensuring we are funding evidenced based programming and ensuring proper operations of our public safety agencies.

## **Legislation**

An intern in the office will be assigned to tracking all important public safety legislation and assist in the negotiations with the legislature on these bills.

#### Re-Entry

The office is focused on making offenders more successful in the community by targeting programming that works to reduce recidivism.

#### Gun Violence

We are strategizing on reducing gun violence by focuses on data available, new initiatives with recently released parolees and crime analysis.

## Civil Confinement

MHL Article 10 provides for a select few sex offenders possessing a mental abnormality to be screened for civil confinement. Our office seems to ensure that this law is implemented to ensure public safety.

The intern working in our office will help us to prepare for all meetings associated with these initiatives, and complete research and writing associated with these projects.