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**New York State Senator Ruth Hassell-Thompson Archived
Websites B2225**

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Overview of the Records

Repository:	New York State Archives
Summary:	This series consists of archival copies of the official website of Senator Ruth Hassell-Thompson.
Creator:	New York (State). Legislature. Senate. Senator (2001-2016 : Ruth Hassell-Thompson)
Title:	Senator Ruth Hassell-Thompson archived websites
Quantity:	2 website(s)
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Series:	B2225

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Administrative History

Senator Ruth Hassell-Thompson, a Democrat, was first elected to the Senate in 2000 after serving on the Mount Vernon City Council (1993-1999). She has represented the 33rd Senate District (2001-2002) and the 36th Senate District (2003-present), which consists of portions of the Bronx neighborhoods of Morrisania, West Farms, Williamsbridge, Co-op City, Wakefield, and Baychester, and the City of Mount Vernon in Westchester County. She has served as the Chair of the Standing Committee on Crime and Correction (2009-2010).

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Scope and Content Note

This series consists of archival copies of the publicly accessible website of Senator Ruth Hassell-Thompson. Researchers should note that in 2009, each Senator was allotted space on the main Senate Web site and the official sites of individual Senators were removed from the live Web.

B2225-06: This accretion consists of an archival copy of Senator Hassell-Thompson's official website produced on December 21, 2006, shortly before Governor George E. Pataki (1995-2006) left office. It contains biographical information, photographs, constituent brochures and mailers, and a New York City parking calendar (2006). Press releases (2005-2006)

concerning legislation that Senator Hassell-Thompson sponsored or supported, events taking place in the 36th Senate District, and other matters of interest to Senator Hassell-Thompson's constituents are also included.

B2225-08: This accretion consists of a copy of Senator Hassell-Thompson's official Website produced on June 12, 2008, shortly after the resignation of Governor Eliot L. Spitzer (2007-2008). It contains biographical information, press releases (2008), photographs, and brochures and mailers about Internet safety and other matters of interest to Senator Hassell-Thompson's constituents. Of note is a brochure of senior citizen crime prevention tips that was actually issued by the office of Senator David A. Paterson, who later became Governor (2008-2010).

Researchers should note that, owing to the structure of the live site and the limitations of Web archiving technology, most of the information contained within this site could not be captured properly. In addition, some of the navigational links do not work properly. However, identical sets of navigational links appear at the top and the bottom of each page. If the link in one set does not work correctly, click the Web browser's Back button and then click on the corresponding link in the other set.

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Related Information

Related Material

B2197Series B2197, New York State Senate Archived Websites, contains copies of the main Senate website.

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Use of Records

Access Restrictions

There are no restrictions regarding access to or use of this material.

Items Online

Senator Ruth Hassell-Thompson archived websites, 2006, 2008

[Senator Ruth Hassell-Thompson site \(December 21, 2006\)](#)

[Senator Ruth Hassell-Thompson site \(June 13, 2008\)](#)

Administrative Information

Custodial History

The New York State Archives used Web archiving software to copy these Websites in order to preserve the information they contained.

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Access Terms

- Mount Vernon (Westchester County, N.Y.)
- Publicizing state government
- Documenting public policy
- Web sites
- Legislators--New York (State)
- Bronx (New York, N.Y.)
- New York (State)
- New York (State)--Politics and government
- Hassell-Thompson, Ruth.
- New York (State). Legislature. Senate. Senator (1985-2006 : David A. Paterson)