



# County Legislature

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## **TOWNSEND CALLS ON COACH USA/SHORTLINE TO ENSURE SAFETY**

Monroe – In a letter to Coach USA/Shortline today Orange County Legislator Greg Townsend, RCI Monroe called upon Shortline to ensure adequate seating for all commuters using their line.

Legislator Townsend expressed his displeasure when he was informed by a constituent that commuters are being confronted with a shortage of seats and one woman had to stand all the way to New York City. Townsend is calling for Coach USA/Shortline to ensure adequate seating for all commuters, especially in his district of Monroe and Harriman.

“It is important that Coach USA/Shortline move quickly to resolve this apparent seating shortage and I have requested they develop a plan of action to resolve this issue,” stated Townsend. “I will also be inspecting the lots, talking to my constituents personally to hear whatever solutions the company presents are being fulfilled.”

Constituents who wish to contact Mr. Townsend on this issue are encouraged to contact him at 845-291-4800 or [legislature@co.orange.ny.us](mailto:legislature@co.orange.ny.us).

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