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Recent advocacy efforts resulted in:

- Security funding for private schools increased to $11.2 M
- $1 M in state homeland security grants for non-profits
- Technology funds for private schools increased to $5.4 M
- New law providing religious
accommodations in issuing birth certificates

- Homeowners associations revised bylaws to allow a succah

- Lawsuit filed against Jackson Township for anti-Orthodox ordinances

AINJ Legislative Breakfast

Assembly speaker Craig Coughlin at AINJ Legislative breakfast
Agudath Israel Statement on Antisemitic Attacks in Ocean County, New Jersey

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We pray for the speedy recovery of all the victims and ask the public to keep Tzvi Aryeh ben Rivka Leah and Moshe Yigal ben Brunyah in their prayers.

During these difficult times, it is incumbent upon us all to turn in prayer to Avinu Shebashamayim, our Father in Heaven, the ultimate protector of the Jewish Nation, to keep us safe and secure.

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January 18th, 2022

This morning, New Jersey Governor Phil Murphy signed A-6132/S-4235, also known as the “Hatzolah Bill.” The bill allows for volunteer paramedics to respond to calls and start treatment on a patient before the arrival of a second paramedic. Additionally, these [...] Read More
NJ Office of Agudath Israel Announces Historic Educational Assistance Program for Lakewood Residents

January 11th, 2022

Earlier today, Rabbi Avi Schnall, director of Agudath Israel’s New Jersey office, unveiled a first-of-its-kind Educational Assistance Program for Lakewood, New Jersey, residents. The Educational Assistance Program
(EAP) is a grant for educational costs available to Lakewood residents who have […]