

Family Partnership Center's Task Force on Jobs and Economic Security,
Dutchess Outreach, and the Dutchess County Interfaith Council

Invite you to a briefing and community forum on

Governor Spitzer's 2007-08 Executive Budget and its Implications for New York Families

Presented by:

The Fiscal Policy Institute, New Yorkers for Fiscal Fairness and
Hunger Action Network of NYS

Thursday, February 15, 2007

1:30 pm to 3:00 pm

at the

Family Partnership Center, 29 North Hamilton, Poughkeepsie, NY

- **An Overview of Governor Spitzer's Budget Proposals.** What are the major elements of Governor Spitzer's first Executive Budget (currently scheduled for release on January 31, 2007)?
- **Changes in the State Budget Process and their Implications for Budget Advocacy.** How will the changes in the state budget process that Governor Spitzer and the legislative leaders announced on January 16th affect the Legislature's review, revision and adoption of a budget for 2007-08? What are the implications of these changes for budget advocacy by nonprofit organizations?
- **Key Budget and Tax Issues.** A more detailed look at the Governor's budget proposals affecting education, property taxes, health and human services, and economic development. What are the implications of these proposals for New York Families and the Upstate Economy? What are the major alternatives to the Governor's proposals in these key areas?

Please, if you plan to attend, register for this briefing by completing this reply form and faxing it to 845-485-1712; or by sending an e-mail message to Sbusselle@familypartnershipcenter.org. For more information call *New Yorkers for Fiscal Fairness* at 518-452-2130

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We are encouraging all to register since seating is limited – but please come even at the last minute!