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<u>Citizens Union</u> - This century-old civic organization monitors the City Council, has provided a voters guide to every Primary and Election in New York since 1910. Its research and education arm, Citizens Union Foundation, founded in 1948, publishes Gotham Gazette.

<u>City Project</u> - City budgets. CP's Big Apple Budget School runs workshops on major NYC budget and policy issues. CP's advocacy arm -- Alterbudget -- targets specific policy proposals.

<u>Industrial Technology Assistance Corporation</u> - A non-profit that helps small manufacturing firms stay competitive in the digital age.

**NY Democrats** - All the info on elected Dems.

<u>NY Historical Society</u> - The regularly updated homepage of New York Historical Society includes a daily "This Day in New York History," as well as illustrated descriptions of past, present and future exhibitions. Also available is information about the group programs and an online store.

**NY League of Conservation Voters** - This statewide nonprofit endorses candidates for local, state and federal offices; lobbies elected officials on environmental issues, and keeps the environment in the public dialogue.

**NYC League of Women Voters** - Elections and voter info.

<u>NYCivic</u> - Founded in 2002 by former Parks Commissioner Henry Stern, this one-man good-government group offers regular opinion pieces about an eclectic mix of public policy issues, and invites reader response.

**SoHo Alliance** - The SoHo alliance is run by the umbrella group for all SoHo block

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associations, and reports on news and development in SoHo.

<u>The American Institute of Architects, NY Chapter</u> - NYC architects weigh in on NYC planning, building and preservation issues.

The Independence Party of New York - All the info on the state's third largest party.

<u>The Political itCH</u> - The political itCH (the CH is for City Hall), is a report on what's being written about NYC politics in the city's papers. Bob Hardt of NY1 squeezes it all into a narrative and throws in a bit of his own color each weekday.

<u>United Way of New York City</u> - A non-profit that works to pinpoint and help solve problems for the city's neediest residents by collaborating with other NYC organizations and agencies and doing plenty of community outreach.