

Headlines: Cuomo and Sandy; Preparing for Future Storms

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Gov. Cuomo's response to Superstorm Sandy has earned him [high approval ratings](#), despite some mistakes -- such as his failure to reform the state-controlled Long Island Power Authority since he took office. But he has begun making up for another misstep, and will [meet today](#) with the state's Congressional delegation to discuss his request for federal recovery aid. He had been criticized for not coordinating with them. Meanwhile, the state will use a federal grant to [hire over 5,000 unemployed New Yorkers](#) in temporary positions to help clean up after the storm. Also, Cuomo has said he [won't raise taxes](#) to cover losses resulting from Sandy.

In the Press...

[Will NYC Act to Block Future Storm Surges?](#) (Associated Press)

[After Sandy, Lower Manhattan Limpes Back to Life](#) (Associated Press)

[How City Officials Faced Down Sandy and Learned Hard Lessons in the Process](#) (Daily News)

[Medical Marijuana Proponents Renew Push for Legalization](#) (Daily News)

[New 'Vito District' Unlikely](#) (NY Post)

[City Lags in Granting Relief to Some Illegal Immigrants](#) (WNYC)

[Council Considers Reducing Parking Space Requirements in Downtown Brooklyn](#) (NY Times)

[Development Near Gowanus Canal Moves Forward After Sandy](#) (WNYC)

[PATH Service to Resume in Lower Manhattan](#) (Wall Street Journal)

[Many Cemeteries Damaged, but Greenwood Bore the Brunt of the Storm](#) (City Room)

[Council Set For Pedicab Crackdown](#) (Wall Street Journal)

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