



TASK FORCE MISSION STATEMENTS

Action Long Island (ALI) is a volunteer organization of concerned leaders from the business, labor, government, educational and civic communities who had originally joined together for the mutual benefit of the business climate and the quality of the residential life surrounding the Route 110 corridor.

Over the years, while the Route 110 area has become a base of Long Island's business community, in addition to being the central point from which business emanated to Suffolk, Nassau and Queens, Route 110 has a surrounding population of one and a half million within a ten-mile radius. Over time ALI increased its mission to address the issues across all Long Island. Our goals include improvements in transportation, energy, economic development, healthcare, housing, education, labor and the environment.

AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Focuses on encouraging, assisting and monitoring our community airports on Long Island. Encouraging the growth and development of the airports and thereby increasing employment opportunities. Always seeking the full cooperation of the community and Airport Management. Working closely with our local, state and federal governments agencies in developing their master plans for the total utilization of these airports in the industrial structure and the economic development of Long Island.

ENERGY

Energy identifies and advocates for solutions to the energy challenges as a means of providing Long Islanders with safe, affordable and competitive forms of energy. Emphasizing the need for additional reliable alternative sources of power reasonably priced power generating resources for Long Island and support the rapid resolution of sighting issues. Encouraging the development of statutes to allow smaller Long Island companies to take advantage of lower cost power from the New York State Power Authority. And to initiate conversation about the Long Island Power Grid, to ensure the availability of enough power to support future development.



ENVIRONMENTAL

Assist employers, building owners and the local government representatives to implement the programs already underway, in order to collect, process and sell the Solid Waste generated in their course of doing business. Encouraging all municipalities, School Districts and Long Island businesses to use recycled materials. Supporting a drinking water protection program ensuring safe clean and reliable drinking water.

LABOR

Work to develop a closer working relationship between labor and developers, with an emphasis on monitoring prevailing wage enforcement as well as working to avoid and identify potential tax and insurance fraud.

MEMBERSHIP

Assesses, develops and maintains constant communication with our existing membership for the express purpose of expanding the current base. Actively communicating the mission statement of ALI to all businesses to identify the needs for business growth of our new and existing membership, as well as encouraging other concerned people to become active participants in their future and the future of Long Island.

TRANSPORTATION

Identifies the local transportation issues with employers, developers, building owners, local government representatives and other interested parties to establish policies, programs and services that will improve the transportation system on Long Island. The Task Force works to make every effort to ensure that Long Island receives its fair share of the money from Albany and the Federal government. Also working in concert with Housing and Development to create transit-oriented development



SMALL BUSINESS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Serves the overall business community as a forum for issues affecting our economy and requiring action and as a voice to the government and its agencies as well as a forum for our small businesses. The Task Force hopes to achieve greater recognition and help increase sensitivity to the specific problems and concerns affecting small business and give broader recognition to their contributions and the effects on Long Island's economic and social climate.

HEALTHCARE

To help ensure the highest quality of healthcare and reduce healthcare costs for the people of Long Island. They will reach out the healthcare providers, insurance companies, legislators and the people of Long Island to aid in achieving our goals. Create programs that will work to make Long Islanders healthier.

HOUSING AND DEVELOPMENT

It's the realization of optimal land use on Long Island. Optimal land use is the process of achieving the highest and best use of real property in the most effective and efficient manner possible, subject to rational environmental concerns and the general welfare, health and safety of the community. And to create opportunities for workforce housing, and housing for young adults and seniors.

LAND USE AND ZONING

Ensuring that the Free Market should be the dominant driver, in concert with government planning, to be the dominant influence of land use. The Task Force's primary goal is to help affect the evolution of Land Use and Zoning on Long Island, through educating the public and government working in concert with the civic community.