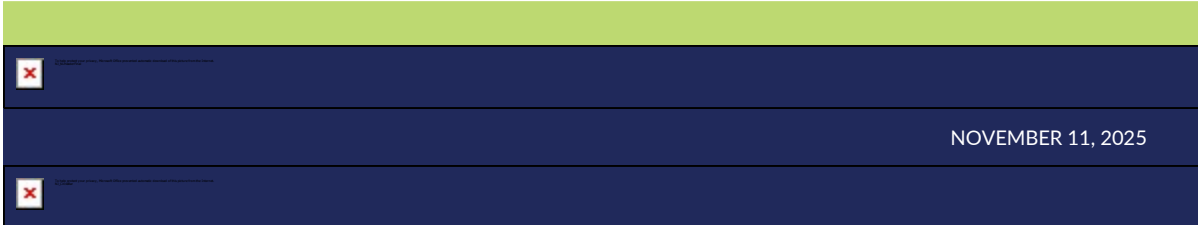


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REMINDER: Post-Election Legislative Lunch Today

Today at noon, government affairs rep Frank Jones will talk with members about the outcome of last week's gubernatorial election and what it means moving forward for New Jersey's insurance industry.

Make sure your agency has a representative on this call.

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2025 Insurance Award Winners

On October 27th, Chairwoman Kristin Ryan announced the 2025 Insurance Awards Winners. The following members join the elite ranks of those before them, honored for their tireless dedication to their agencies and their industry. Please join us in congratulating Matthew Hill and Timothy Byrne.

- Howard A Kutcher Award Winner - Matthew Hill of R. Bruce Hill Agency
 - Henry Franz Insurance Person of the Year - Timothy Byrne Sr. of Great Bay Insurance Agency
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Nov. 17 Webinar - Agency Compensation

Join Catalyit for a free webinar to dive into the analytics from the Agency Compensation 360 survey. They'll walk through the interactive dashboard, highlight key findings, and share insights. If you haven't completed your survey yet, it will reopen on December 1.

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Pre-Holiday Stress Relief!

Just in time to blow off a little steam before the end-of-the-year rush, Big I NJ's Young Agents Council are hosting their Fall Social Networking Event on November 20th at Bury the Hatchet in Freehold. They'll supply the food, drinks, and hatchets, you bring your staff and the fun.

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3 Questions to Confirm Who Owns Your Agency's Data

When independent agencies adopt new technology, few things are as critical as understanding who controls their data. Contracts with agency management systems, customer relationship management systems and other InsurTech vendors often hold subtle language that can affect ownership, portability and integration of agency data.

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Upcoming Events

November 11 - Legislative Lunch

November 20 - YAC Fall Social

December 2 - Legislative Lunch

December 11 - IIANJ Holiday Party



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