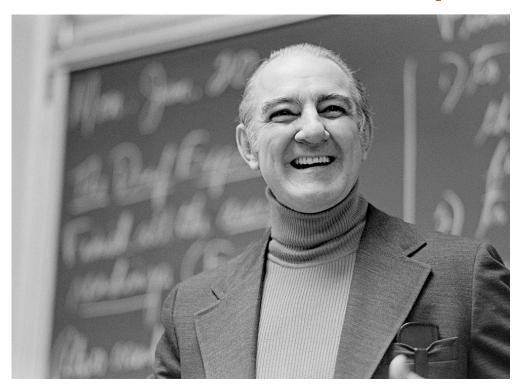


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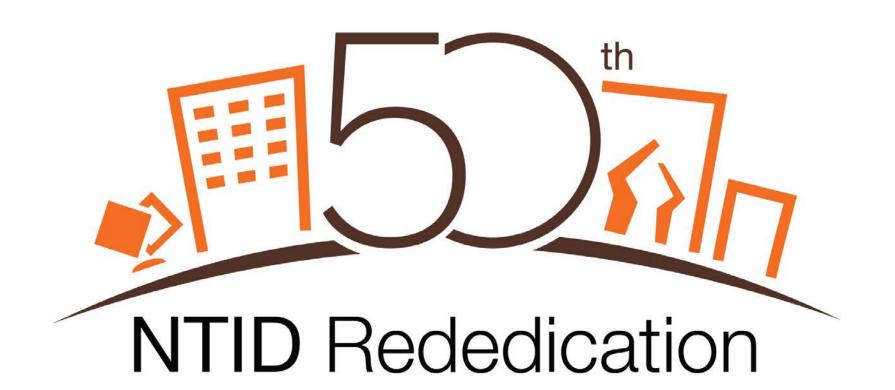


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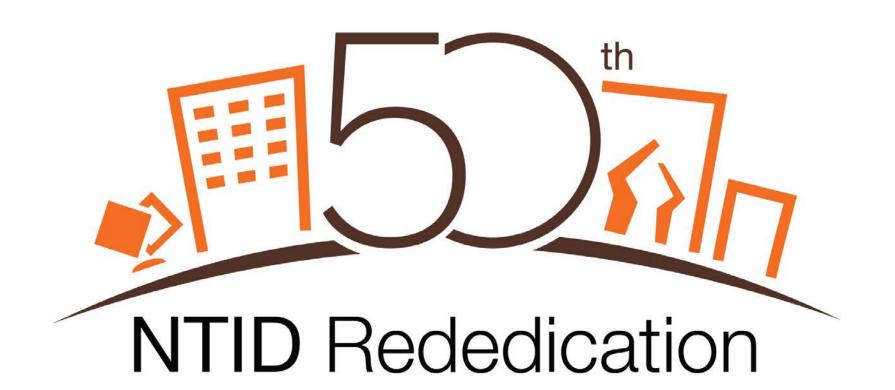
- NYS Senator Rich Funke
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- NYS Senator Patrick M. Gallivan
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- NYS Senator Joseph E. Robach

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- Monroe County Legislator Steve Brew
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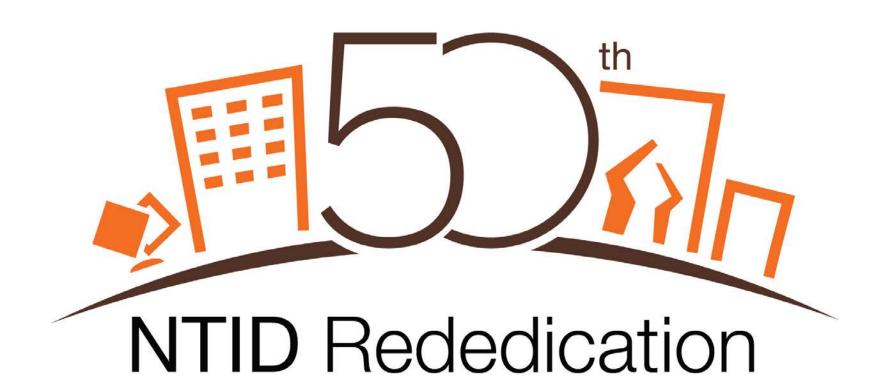
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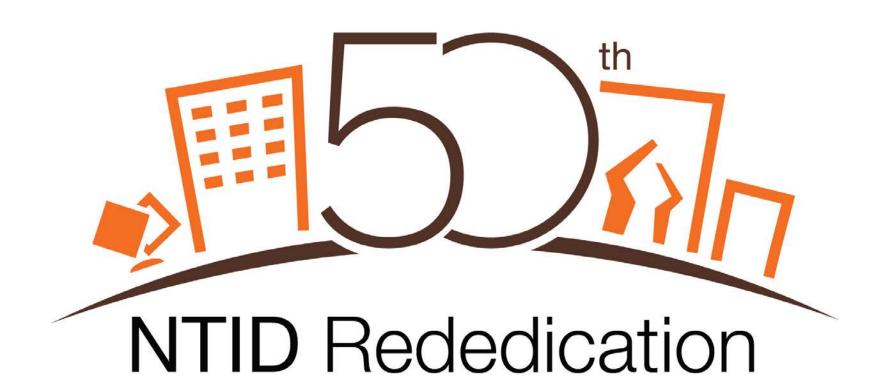
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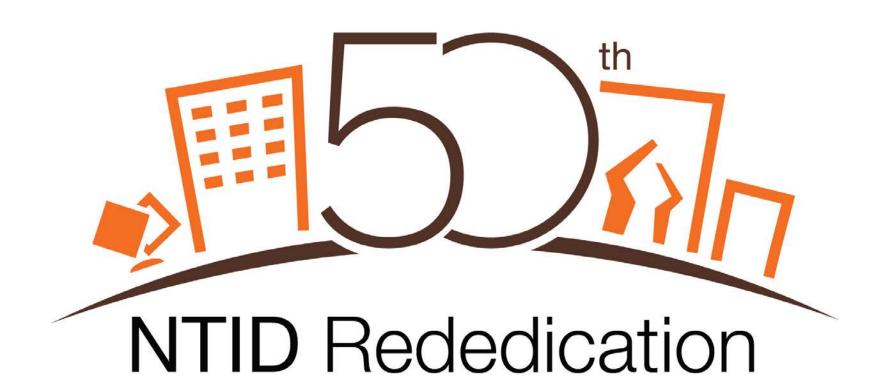




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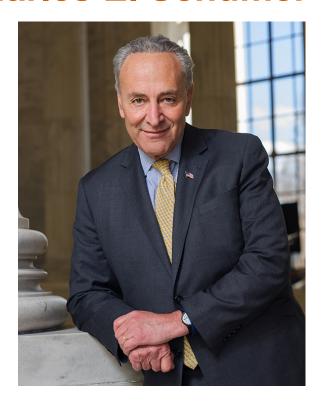
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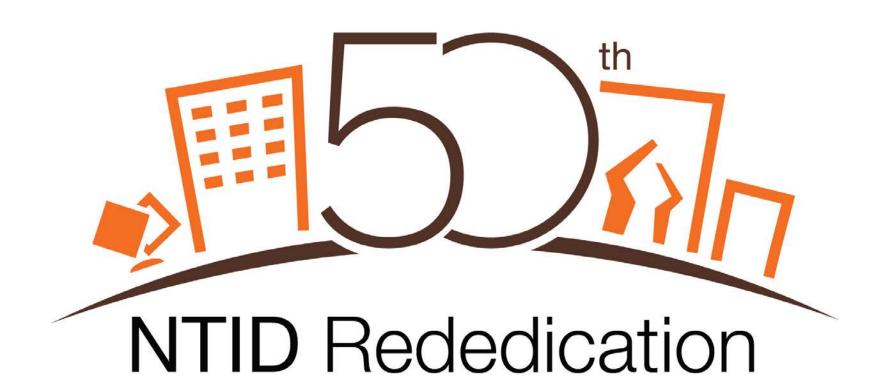


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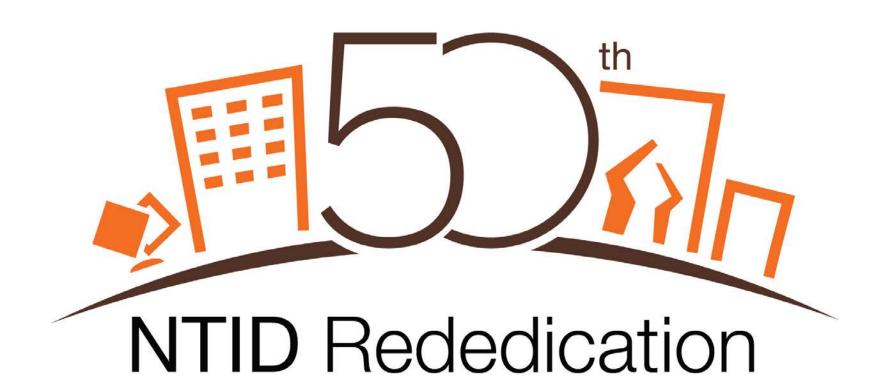


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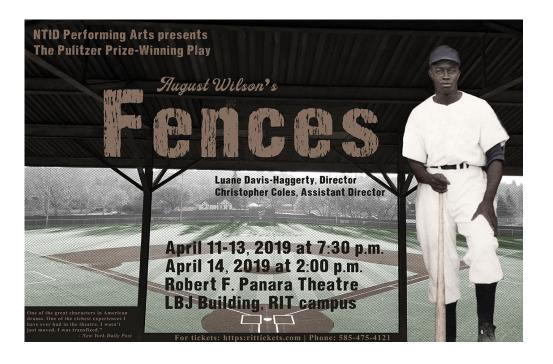
"WHEREAS, It is in the sense of the citizens of the 55th District to recognize and pay tribute to organizations and individuals in our community who offer programs and advocacy of great significance, and whose excellent services and commitment have far reaching effects that can be felt by individuals and families throughout our region; and

WHEREAS, The National Technical Institute for the Deaf is one such organization, that has provided deaf and hard-of-hearing students with tools to advance their education;...and now, therefore, be it

PROCLAIMED, That I, New York State Senator Rich Funke, hereby recognize the remarkable and commendable work of the National Technical Institute for the Deaf and their fiftieth anniversary..."



## "Fences" by August Wilson, April 11-14

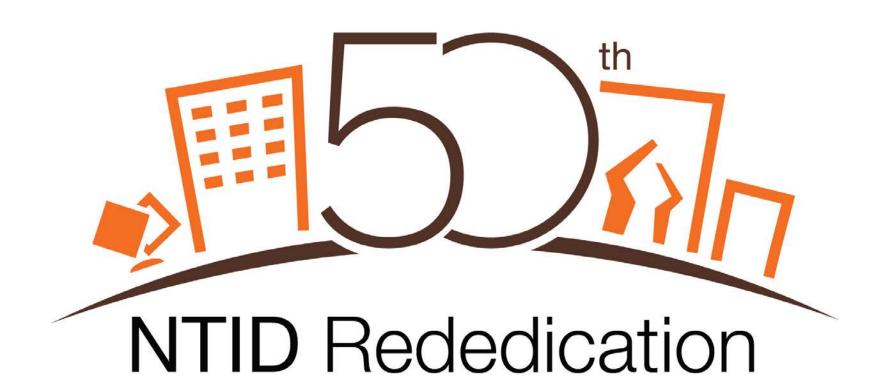


#### **Sunshine Too, 1980-1981**



#### **Sunshine 2.0, 2018-2019**





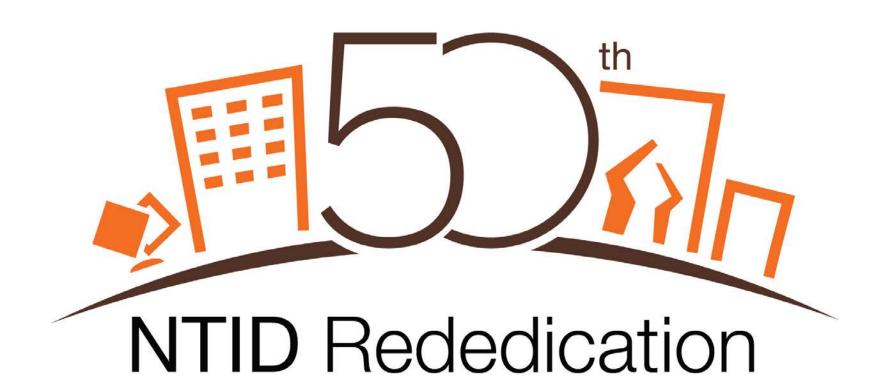
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