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GOV.-ELECT CUOMO APPOINTS GEORGE MIRANDA, GREG FLOYD TO TRANSITION **COMMITTEES**

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New York Gov.-elect Andrew Cuomo has appointed International Vice President George Miranda and Greg Floyd, President of Teamsters Local 237, to serve on two of his transition committees.

Miranda, who is Secretary-Treasurer of Local 210 and President of Joint Council 16, will serve on the Transportation and Infrastructure Transition Committee. The committee's role is to recruit, review and recommend candidates for top levels in New York state government.

"The 32 unions of the Teamsters Joint Council 16 represent tens of thousands of workers in New York's transportation industry—on waterfronts, on highways, and in airports—ranging from State Thruway employees to skilled construction workers," Miranda said. "We are honored to work with the Cuomo administration moving forward and continue to support the Governorelect's forward-looking platform of infrastructure development and innovation."

Floyd was appointed to the Coalition for New York's Future, a statewide project that will work to find solutions to grow the state's economy, create jobs and public-private partnerships.

"Creating good jobs is the number one priority of my members, and for the state of New York," Floyd said. "I'm honored to be part of this coalition and I look forward to seeing New York state's economy prosper in the near future."

Local 237 has approximately 23,000 members, making it the largest Teamsters local.

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