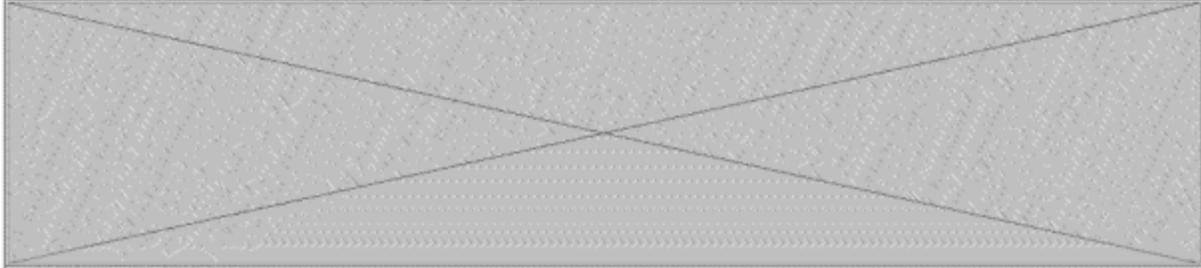


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Campaign update. 2:00PM

The **Catsimatidis 2013** campaign for Mayor is gaining speed. On Sunday, the candidate was asked to issue a statement regarding the New York City School bus strike which follows. Staff hiring, media decisions, scheduling events and news conferences were all on the agenda this week.

Your support and counsel is always valued, please contact the campaign with any of your thoughts and ideas. [REDACTED]

**Statement of Mayoral Candidate John Catsimatidis  
Sunday February 10, 2013**

**Calls for cooling off period School Bus Strike and restoration of services**

New York City: Regarding the school bus strike I have to stop and say, 'who is getting hurt here while this goes on?' The obvious answer is the children, the special education children, who cannot get to their schools. The disruption this causes in a small child's life and the havoc it causes a family who relies on the public bus service is unconscionable.

Everyone needs to go back to work and cool off. In situations like this where tensions are high, and both sides saying things they will likely regret, it is time for everyone to cool off. City Council members and some members of the court are also calling for this action.

I said when I announced for Mayor of New York last week, my style is more keeping everyone in a room until a solution is found, but in the meantime I could not...would not allow the children of this City to suffer.

In summary, I support my good friend Justice Milton Mollen, who settled the last strike in 1979. With all his experience and wisdom, the Judge has called for a cooling off period in the bus strike, and I support restoring full service until a settlement has been reached.

[GOP's John Catsimatidis: "Save" Kids From Low-Wage Future With Vocational ...](#)

New York Daily News (blog)

Billionaire mayoral candidate John **Catsimatidis** today rolled out part of his plan to fix the city's education system by offering vocational training programs for failing students. catsi presser 212.jpg Our Jonathan Lemire reports

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**Catsimatidis** supports a new minimum wage for older workers

Capital New York

Republican mayoral candidate John **Catsimatidis** said he supports raising the state's minimum wage for older workers. At a press conference in Manhattan this morning where he unveiled a proposal to teach trade skills to high school students, the ...

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