Over 2,370 residents and 1,300 businesses to be evicted, and over 40 historic buildings to be demolished for Gov. Hochul's/Empire State Development Corp's plan to "revitalize" 9 blocks around Penn Station and let Vornado Realty Trust billionaires build (and profit from) 10 supertall glass office towers.

ACTION PLAN! To protect the Penn neighborhood

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What do I say? A few Talking points you can use New York City doesn't need 18 million square feet of new office space. There haven't been any clear answers about who is going to pay for this and how, and I don't want to get stuck with the bill. Why should I subsidize billionaire developers with my taxes? This plan doesn't address the real transit issues that make Penn Station so dysfunctional. You can fix Penn Station without demolishing over 40 historic buildings, some from the 1870s You can fix Penn Station without evicting thousands of residents, including a vibrant music community on 30th St, and demolishing their affordable housing and studios. The amount of pollution this demolition and construction will create is an unforgivable attack on the health of all New Yorkers and the global environment.
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