

# Rebecca Seawright



*Dear Friends and Neighbors,*

*Today we hosted the first in a series of COVID-19 booster and third shot clinics. A booster dose of the COVID-19 vaccine will help New Yorkers maximize their protection, prolong the vaccine's durability and protect those who are at higher risk of infection and severe disease. The next clinics are on Tuesday, October 12 and Tuesday, October 19 for those who are eligible and residing on the Upper East Side and Roosevelt Island.*

*As the proud sponsor of a bill to require mandated anti-hate training for offenders, I commend our Governor Kathy Hochul for making available \$25 million to help nonprofits improve security of their facilities to better protect those at risk of hate crimes or attacks because of their ideology, beliefs, or mission. Other legislation I cosponsored to establish a statewide Restaurant Meals Program as part of SNAP has also been signed by the Governor this week. This will allow homeless, elderly, and disabled SNAP recipients to use their benefits for prepared or hot food from participating restaurants.*

*Landlords can begin applying for rental assistance from the state – see below to learn more about eligibility or the application process.*

*Calling all civic-minded high school students! Our office is sponsoring a Youth Policy Cabinet for district students interested in government and politics. Interested high school students can apply [here](#).*

*Please join us for one of the events we are pleased to sponsor:*

- *Tuesday, October 12 from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm at the District Office of Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright, 1485 York Avenue (78/79 Streets) **COVID Booster Clinic with Drug Mart.***
- *Tuesday, October 12 at 2:00pm by telephone- **No-Cost Housing Legal Clinic.** [RSVP here.](#)*
- *Thursday, October 14 from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm at the District Office of Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright, 1485 York Avenue (78/79*

*Streets) - **No-Cost Face Covering Giveaway.** [RSVP here.](#)*

- *Thursday, October 14 from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm on Zoom - **Virtual Knitting Social.** [RSVP here.](#)*
- *Tuesday, October 19 from 9:30 am to 1:00 pm at the District Office of Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright, 1485 York Avenue (78/79 Streets) **COVID Booster Clinic with Drug Mart.***
- *Wednesday, October 20 from 10:00 am-12:00 pm - **Metrocard Sales Bus** stops in front of the District Office of Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright, 1485 York Avenue (78/79 Streets) **\*\*\*Cash sales only\*\*\****

*Please don't hesitate to reach out to our community office if we can be of assistance.*

**Phone:** 212.288.4607

**Email:** [SeawrightR@NYAssembly.gov](mailto:SeawrightR@NYAssembly.gov)

*Sincerely,*



## Seawright Hosts First Clinic In COVID-19 Booster Series

### Drug Mart Boosts Neighbors' Defense From the Delta Variant With Critical 3rd Doses



Drug Mart owner pharmacist Ilana Aminov.



Drug Mart pharmacist Rebecca Aminov.





Pharmacist Ilana, Jackie Mandel, volunteer Barbara Mandel and Helene Goldfarb.

**Make An Appointment Soon  
Space Is Limited!**



# COVID-19 PFIZER BOOSTER & MODERNA THIRD SHOT CLINICS

Provided By Drug Mart Pharmacy

**LOCATION: COMMUNITY OFFICE OF  
ASSEMBLY MEMBER REBECCA SEAWRIGHT  
1485 YORK AVENUE (78/79 STREETS)**



**DATES:**

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12 - 9:00 AM- 6:00 PM**

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19 - 9:30 AM- 1:00 PM**

**WHO CAN GET A SHOT? THOSE WHO RECEIVED...**

## PFIZER

Those aged 65+

Those aged 18-64 who live in a nursing home or LTC facility, have an underlying medical condition increasing their risk for COVID-19, or people at increased risk of COVID-19 exposure due to their job (ex. healthcare workers) or where they live or frequently visit (homeless shelter).

**Schedule your appointment:**

[drugmart.fullslate.com/services/1486?  
location=1436&start=5019](https://drugmart.fullslate.com/services/1486?location=1436&start=5019)

## MODERNA

Separate from booster shots, people who are moderately to severely immunocompromised (meaning they have a weakened immune system) are eligible for a third dose of the Pfizer or Moderna vaccine, as part of their initial vaccination series. They can get a third dose 28 days after their second shot.

**Schedule your appointment:**

[drugmart.fullslate.com/services/118  
7?location=1436&start=5019](https://drugmart.fullslate.com/services/1187?location=1436&start=5019)

Call the Office of Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright at 212-288-4607 with questions or for assistance.

The vaccination appointments are open to those who live in Assembly Member Seawright's district and, if you qualify, based on the flyer listed above.

To make an appointment for:

[Pfizer click here.](#)

[Moderna click here.](#)

Additional sites for vaccines and booster shots:

NYC COVID-19 and Flu Vaccine Finder: Call 877-829-4692 or [schedule here](#)

City-run vaccine sites: Call 877-829-4692 or [schedule here](#)

State-run vaccine sites: Call 833-697-4829 or [schedule here](#)

CVS Pharmacy: Call 800-746-7287 or [schedule here](#)

Rite Aid Pharmacy: Call 800-748-3243 or [schedule here](#)

Walgreens Pharmacy: Call 800-925-4733 or [schedule here](#)

## Seawright Co-signs Letter to President Biden Condemning Border Patrol Abuse of Haitian Migrants

The letter sent to our President said, *"We are writing to you out of extreme concern for the Haitian migrants attempting to enter the United States near the U.S. Mexico border, where video footage shows Border Patrol whipping their reins at them. This is a clear violation of human rights and domestic and international law. The actions on that video are not an example of how Americans, particularly those in power, should treat their fellow human beings."*

The letter further urges the revocation of the policy being carried out under Title 42 that allows United States Customs and Border Protection to prohibit the entry of these migrants on the grounds that they potentially pose a health risk.

[Read the full letter from Assembly Member Seawright and her colleagues here.](#)

## Health Advocates for Older People Celebrates 36 Years of Healthy Aging

### Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright Presents Award to Activist Jean Shafiroff



Supporters of Health Advocates for Older People (HAFOP) Ava Roosevelt, Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright, HAFOP Advisory Board's Chair Elizabeth Timberman, and Church of the Holy Trinity's Reverend John F. Beddingfield.



Chair of HAFOP Advisory Board Elizabeth Timberman, Honoree Jean Shafiroff, and Seawright who presented her with an award from HAFOP.



HAFOP Executive Director Nancy Houghton with Seawright.



Activist David Hochberg, Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright, and her spouse Queens College's Vice President for Communications and Marketing and Senior Advisor to the College President Jay Hershenson.



Joanna Cawley, Executive Director of Carnegie Hill Neighbors and Member of HAFOP Advisory Board speaking with Assembly Member Seawright about upcoming events for senior citizens in our community.

You can view the many offerings of HAFOP on its [\*monthly healthy aging calendar here!\*](#)



# **The Landlord Rental Assistance Program (LRAP)** is now accepting applications!

The program provides landlords with up to 12 months of rental arrears payments. Landlords may be eligible for this state funding if they have tenants who did not apply for the Emergency Rental Assistance Program (ERAP).



Landlords can begin applying for rental assistance from the state – to learn more about eligibility or the application process, visit the website [here](#) or call my office.

## **Governor Hochul Announces \$25 Million Available to Strengthen Security at Nonprofit Organizations**



Governor Kathy Hochul this week, at the Museum of Jewish Heritage in Battery Park City, announced the availability of an additional \$25 million to help nonprofit organizations improve the security of their facilities to better protect those at risk of hate crimes or attacks because of their ideology, beliefs, or mission. Available to those organizations that have not previously received state funding for this purpose, the allocation builds on nearly \$43 million awarded today to 362 nonprofit organizations to help boost security

infrastructure and enhance preparedness against potential hate crime attacks.

## Seawright Cosponsored Legislation Signed Into Law Expanding SNAP Benefits

Governor Kathy Hochul signed legislation (S.64/A.1524), cosponsored by Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright, establishing a statewide Restaurant Meals Program as part of the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, or SNAP. The legislation mandates the New York State Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance to apply for USDA approval to authorize the program, which would allow homeless, elderly and disabled SNAP recipients to use their benefits for prepared or hot food from participating restaurants. Governor Hochul signed this legislation at the Brownsville Recreation Center in Brooklyn, NY on October 4.

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Election Day

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IF YOU LIVE IN THE 76TH DISTRICT, YOU WILL BE ASSIGNED TO ONE OF THESE VOTING SITES:

- METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART- 1000 5TH AVENUE
- ROBERT WAGNER MIDDLE SCHOOL- 225 EAST 75 STREET
- ELEANOR ROOSEVELT HS- 411 EAST 76 STREET
- ROOSEVELT ISLAND SPORTSPARK (RIOC)- 250 MAIN STREET
- HUNTER COLLEGE BROOKDALE DORM- 440 EAST 26 STREET
- JACKIE ROBINSON COMPLEX- 1573 MADISON AVENUE

VOTERS ARE ASSIGNED TO THEIR EARLY VOTING AND ELECTION DAY POLL SITES. VISIT [NYC.POLLSITELOCATOR.COM](http://NYC.POLLSITELOCATOR.COM) TO FIND YOUR POLL SITE.

**Opportunity For Students In The 76th Assembly District**



**ASSEMBLY MEMBER  
REBECCA SEAWRIGHT**



# **FALL INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY**

**OUR OFFICE IS SEEKING STUDENTS  
INTERESTED IN LEARNING ABOUT  
GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC SERVICE FOR AN  
INTERNSHIP IN OUR DISTRICT OFFICE.**

**THE POSITION PROVIDES STUDENTS WITH AN  
EXCITING OPPORTUNITY FOR PERSONAL AND  
PROFESSIONAL GROWTH.**

**WE ACCEPT INTERNS ON A ROLLING BASIS  
UNTIL ALL POSITIONS ARE FILLED. PLEASE  
DON'T HESITATE TO CALL OUR OFFICE WITH  
ANY QUESTIONS.**

**SUBMIT YOUR RESUME AND COVER LETTER TO THE  
OFFICE OF ASSEMBLY MEMBER REBECCA SEAWRIGHT**

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**EMAIL: SEAWRIGHTR@NYASSEMBLY.GOV**

**SCAN TO APPLY**



Join AM Seawright's

# YOUTH POLICY CABINET

*Calling all students that live or attend school in New York's 76th Assembly District!* You're encouraged to join Assemblymember Rebecca Seawright's Youth Policy Cabinet (YPC)—there, you'll have the opportunity to learn the fundamentals of political participation and policymaking.

Simultaneously, you'll be addressing real issues in your community by crafting projects and legislation. **Apply today!**



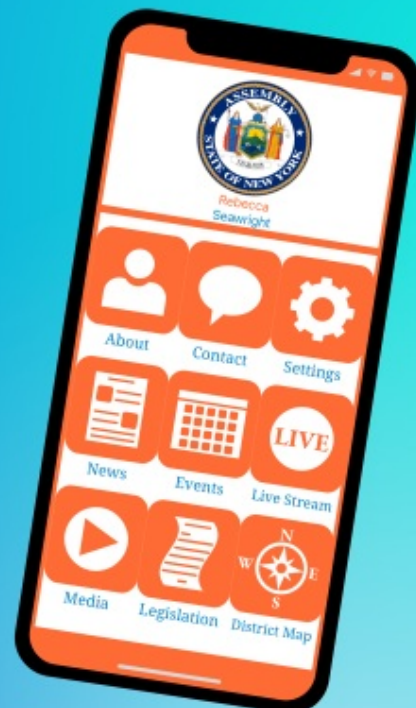
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## Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright App is Live!

Stay Up-To-Date with the latest:

- News
- Events
- Legislation
- Livestream
- Media

Available on iPhone and iPad



## Hispanic Heritage Month Resources for Educators and Parents from the National Women's History Museum



The National Women's History Museum has shared its *Hispanic Heritage Month Resource Toolkit*, presented in partnership with Telemundo's Unstoppable Women program. Designed for learners of all ages, this toolkit highlights and explores the diverse voices, contributions, and achievements of unstoppable Hispanic American women, *Mujeres Imparables*, like the two women featured above—trailblazing actress Rita Moreno and astronaut Ellen Ochoa. Hispanic Heritage Month is celebrated each year from September 15–October 15. Download this free toolkit (pdf) in [English](#) or [Spanish](#).

## Animal Care Center's Message to New Yorkers to Prepare Your Pets for Disasters

# Prepare Your Pets for Disasters

Pets are family members, so make sure you include them in any plans in the event of an emergency.

## HAVE A PLAN



If it's not safe for you to stay in the event of an emergency, then it's not safe for your pet to stay. Having a plan ready will make it much less stressful and difficult if the time comes to evacuate.

Building an emergency kit for your pet is a crucial step in emergency preparedness. Make sure you review your kit often and ensure the contents are fresh.



## BUILD A KIT

## STAY INFORMED



Staying informed is a crucial step in preparing your pets for disasters. Pay attention to upcoming weather conditions, listen to local officials, and always bring pets indoors at the first sign of a storm or disaster.

Learn more at  
[nycacc.org/DisasterPreparedness](https://nycacc.org/DisasterPreparedness)



## Upcoming Events

# Rat Academy Training

Sponsored by Community Board 8 Manhattan



## FREE TRAINING FOR:

- Building supers and staff
- Homeowners and tenants
- Managing companies

## LEARN

about rat prevention methods.

**Tuesday, November 16, 2021**

**4:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M**

**Please register for this virtual event  
[here.](#)**

For more information, visit [nyc.gov/rats](https://nyc.gov/rats).



Concerned about the number of rats and rodents you've seen lately in NYC? Join Community Board 8 on Tuesday, November 16th at 4pm for a virtual Rat Academy Training. Free and open to all. Register for this virtual event [here](#).

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# Liz Krueger

STATE SENATOR | 28th District



## Senator Liz Krueger's *Virtual Senior Resource Fair*

Our Senior Resource Fair will once again be virtual this year. On October 19th, 20th and 21st from 2 pm – 3:30 pm, we will have presentations about exercise, nutrition, and meditation, the benefits and challenges of pet ownership, and arts and continuing education programs online. Join us for one or more of these events.

### EXERCISE, NUTRITION, AND MEDITATION

Tuesday, October 19<sup>th</sup>, 2pm – 3:30pm

Put on some comfortable clothes to exercise, and learn about how stretching and moving your body, good nutrition, and meditation can contribute to your overall wellness.

Presentations by:

- Asphalt Green
- Mount Sinai Health
- 92Y
- Older Adult Technology Services (OATS)

### PETS ARE FAMILY

Wednesday, October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2 pm – 3:30 pm

Having a pet can help improve your overall physical and mental health. This event will help you to decide if getting a pet is right for you. If you have a pet, hear experts share information about how to keep your pet healthy, looking good, behaving well, and cared for in case of emergency.

Presentations by:

- Animal Haven
- Jorge Bendersky – Celebrity Dog Groomer
- Search and Care
- Instinct Dog Behavior & Training Hudson Valley
- PAWS NY
- Dr. Calle Harris – Veterinarian

### ARTS, CONTINUING EDUCATION, AND TECHNOLOGY

Thursday, October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2pm – 3:30pm

Increase your tech skills so that you can expand your mind and nourish your spirit. Learn about arts and continuing education programs that you can access online, and obtain the tech skills you need to access them.

Presentations by:

- DOROT
- Museum of Modern Art
- Older Adult Technology Services (OATS)
- Theater Development Fund
- Quest: A Lifetime of Learning, City College of New York

Please REGISTER to attend one, two, or three events at  
[www.tinyurl.com/SeniorFair2021](http://www.tinyurl.com/SeniorFair2021)



# NO-COST NOTARY

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