



Dear Friends and Neighbors,

For those observing this Rosh Hashanah, may this New Year bring you countless blessings, sweet moments, and cherished memories. May you and your family be inscribed in the Book of Life for a year filled with health, happiness, and peace. Shana Toya!

New York State is sending supplemental payments to more than one million New Yorkers who get the New York State Child Credit. <u>Click here to learn more.</u>

I am proud to have received a 100% rating by the New York League of Conservation Voters for cosponsoring and strongly supporting environmental legislation including \$500 million for the Clean Water Infrastructure Act.



Eligible voters can register until October 26 to vote in the November 5 general election. You can check your voter registration status here. As the Assembly Sponsor of the Equal Rights

Amendment to the New York State Constitution, now known as ballot "Proposal 1," remember to flip your ballot and mark it appropriately. More information on the registration deadlines for the November election is enclosed in this report.

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

- Tuesday, October 15 from 10am-5pm- **No-Cost Flu Shot Clinic** by appointment at the Community Office of Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright, 1485 York Avenue (78/79 Streets)
- Saturday, October 19 from 1pm-4pm- Live Music! Free Ice Cream! Fun For Kids! at the Andrew Haswell Green Park, 60th Street and the East River Waterfront
- Wednesday, October 23 from 1pm-3:30pm- Senior Resource Fair at the Lenox Hill Neighborhood House, 331 East 70 Street (First/Second Avenues)
- Friday, October 25 from 10am-5pm- No-Cost COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic by appointment at the Community Office of Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright, 1485 York Avenue (78/79 Streets)
- Tuesday, October 29 from 9am-12pm- No-Cost Community Shredding at York Avenue and East 91st Street

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Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright's Statement on the Missile Attack on Israel:

Our deepest thoughts and prayers are with the people of Israel as its 10 million citizens have faced repeated assaults since October 7.

Today, as the eve of the Jewish New Year Rosh Hashanah nears, almost 200 ballistic missiles were fired at Israel by Iran.

The United States must firmly support Israel and oppose any threat to its well-being and existence.

Governor Hochul Speaks to the National Organization for Women Members on Ballot Proposal 1: The New York Equal Rights Amendment



Governor Kathy C. Hochul held an extraordinary session to achieve the second passage of the Equal Rights Amendment legislation for which Assembly Member Seawright is the lead sponsor.

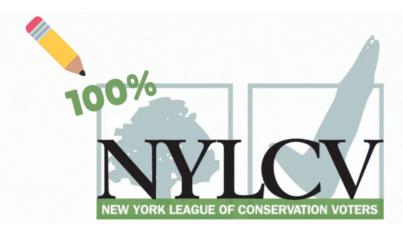


Dr. Barbara Rosen, Sonia Ossorio, National Organization for Women New York City President, Pat Martone, and Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright at the Tribeca Rooftop.



Patricia Martone, Governor Kathy Hochul, and Dr. Barbara Rosen.

Seawright Earns 100% on New York League of Conservation Voters Environmental Scorecard



NYLCV-supported budget measures included:

- \$400M for the Environmental Protection Fund, without raiding the fund to pay for agency staff;
- \$500 million for the Clean Water Infrastructure Act;
- RAPID Act to expand clean-energy transmission capacity;
- Sammy's Law, which allows NYC to lower speed limit to 20 mph on certain streets;
- Authorization for the MTA to waive penalties for fare evasion if the offender instead enrolls in the Fair Fares program;
- Stronger enforcement of illegal license plate covers to help ensure effective implementation of the congestion pricing program in New York City;
- A needs evaluation for highway and depot electric vehicle charging infrastructure;
- Clarification that Bond Act grant funding for electric school buses will not impact a school district's transportation aid; and
- The creation of a Zero-Emission School Bus Resource Center within NYSERDA.

Consider Our Office Your Resource

Voter Registration Deadlines

| Last Day to Register to Vote | October 26 |
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| First Day of Early Voting | October 26 |
| Last Day of Early Voting | November 3 |

| Election Day | November 5 (Polls are open from 6am to 9pm) |
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| Deadline to request an absentee or early mail ballot (online) | October 26 |
| Deadline to request an absentee or early mail ballot (in person) | November 4 |
| Deadline to return an absentee or early mail ballot | November 5 (by mail) November 5 at 9pm (in person) |

Have questions about voting in New York State?

Visit the State Board of Elections website to learn about eligibility requirements: elections.ny.gov

Check your registration status: voterlookup.elections.ny.gov

Request a ballot: elections.ny.gov/request-ballot

Find your polling place: voterlookup.elections.ny.gov



No- Cost Flu Shot Clinic

Tuesday, October 15 - 10 am - 5 pm

Thursday, November 14 - 10 am - 5 pm

Community Office, 1485 York Avenue (78/79 Streets) Appointment required: Call 212-288-4607 or email SeawrightR@NYAssembly.gov to reserve your flu shot.

Please bring insurance card and identification.

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Senior Resource Fair

In Partnership with:



LENOX HILL Neighborhood House SINCE 1894

> Wednesday, October 23 1:00pm-3:30pm

Lenox Hill Neighborhood House 331 East 70th Street (First/Second Ave.) Gymnasium

Resources provided by:

NYC Department of Finance
Lenox Hill Hospital

New York State Comptroller
Drug Mart

Metropolitan Transportation Authority
The Carter Burden Network
GrowNYC
Search and Care

New York City Police Department
and more!

Office of Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright

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Monday - Friday 10am-12pm 1485 York Avenue (78/79 Streets)



ASSEMBLY MEMBER REBECCA A. SEAWRIGHT



HOUSING LEGAL CLINIC

Get help navigating the housing court process, responding to notices, dealing with threat of eviction, getting repairs from negligent landlords, and advocating for your rights as a tenant in New York City!



SCAN ME TO RSVP!

EVERY OTHER TUESDAY

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AT 3:30 PM ATTORNEYS FROM
THE LAW OFFICES OF GRIMBLE
& LOGUIDICE, LLC WILL
PROVIDE ADVICE ON HOUSINGRELATED MATTERS AT NOCOST FOR CONSTITUENTS OF
THE 76TH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT

A VOLUNTEER ATTORNEY WILL HOST A ONE -ON-ONE SESSION WITH ATTENDEES.

RSVP REQUIRED:

CALL: 212-288-4607

EMAIL: SEAWRIGHTR@NYASSEMBLY.GOV

The legal clinic is solely to provide guidance and advice from attorney's experienced in landlord- tenant law. The clinic does not guarantee a desired outcome and does not establish an attorney- client relationship. Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright does not represent or advise constituents in any legal matters.



COVID-19 TESTS

As of late September 2024, residential households in the U.S. are eligible for another order of #4 free at-home tests from USPS.com.

https://special.usps.com/testkits

Here's what you need to know about your order:

- Each order includes #4 individual rapid antigen COVID-19 tests (COVIDTests.gov has more details about at-home tests, including extended shelf life and updated expiration dates)
- Orders will ship free, starting September 30, 2024

FAQ: https://www.fda.gov/medical-devices/coronavirus-covid-19-and-medical-devices/home-otc-covid-19-diagnostic-tests#list



Upcoming Events



FREE FLU SHOTS

At Lenox Hill Hospital

When:

- · Tuesday, October 15 12:00 - 3:00pm
- Thursday, October 17 4:00 - 7:00pm

Where:

Marcus Hearth Room 1086 Lexington Avenue New York, NY 10075

This event is funded by Lenox Hill Hospital and co-hosted by the following:

- Manhattan Borough President Mark
- City Council Member Julie Menin
- Senator Liz Krueger
- Congressman Jerry Nadler
- City Council Member Keith Powers
- Assemblymember Alex Bores Assemblymember Rebecca Seawright

For more information, please contact Katie Greer at cgreer1@northwell.edu or 212-434-2751

Must be 18+ years old.

High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine available for individuals 65+.





Panel Discussion

Tuesday, Oct. 8 @ 7pm

RIVAA Gallery

Amanda Matthews, Sculptor, The Girl Puzzle Gina Pollara, ED, Four Freedoms Park Susan Rosenthal, Fmr. Roosevelt Island CEO Chris Vail, Photographer



Register today!

Program is free of charge.

Medicare 2025: Know Your Rights

Tuesday October 8, 2024 10:30 am-12:00 pm (ET)



An Online Event

Register online at: bit.ly/hss-ceo-medicare2025
For more information: call 212.774.7622 or email us at communityed@hss.edu

Learn about important changes in Medicare for 2025 including:

- How to choose the coverage that's right for you
- How to protect yourself from Medicare fraud
- Opportunity for questions

SPEAKER

Eric Hausman, MBA

HIICAP Outreach Volunteer Manager Health Insurance Information Counseling & Assistant Program NYC Department for the Aging Join our print mailing list to be notified of future programming by calling **212.774.7622**.

Or sign up for our email list at hss.edu/registration.

Scan QR code for more information



HSS Education Institute

Register Online

Transportation Update



A Message from the Roosevelt Island Operating Corporation (RIOC) Transportation
Department

Dear Roosevelt Island Community:

The Roosevelt Island Tram is the preeminent transportation option for islanders traveling to and from Manhattan. We are proud to have such a unique mode of transportation serving our community and are always looking for ways to improve overall service, safety, and ride quality, particularly for our senior and disabled passengers.

Working in collaboration with our Tram operator, Leitner-POMA, we have decided to implement the following changes to the Tram schedule starting next Monday, October 7th. These changes are designed to create a smoother ride by moderately slowing the cabins, which in turn should reduce jostling and overall instances of heavy cabin swaying:

- Trams will run every 10.5 minutes during morning and evening rush hour, and every 21 minutes during non-rush hour.
- Rush hour service will be extended a half-hour later for mornings (7AM-10:30AM).
- Rush hour service will begin a half-hour earlier for afternoons/evenings (2:30PM-8PM).

By adding extra rush hour service, we hope to provide island travelers with an easier daily commute, particularly students who are returning to the island from school. These adjustments should also help preserve the Tram long-term by reducing stress on components.

We appreciate your continued support as we strive to enhance our Tram service. Your feedback is invaluable, so please feel free to reach out with any thoughts or questions about these changes to info@rioc.ny.gov.

Thank you,

RIOC Transportation

In Case You Missed It:
Past Editions Of Our Community Update

Community Update: September 27, 2024

Community Update: September 20, 2024



Community Update: September 6, 2024











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