



## Brooklyn Community Board 14

*Serving the Communities of Flatbush, Midwood & Parts of Kensington*

**Happy 4th of July!** The Board is on recess during July and August 2023. Meetings will resume in September. Board meeting dates for the 2023-2024 year are [here](#). For updates visit [CB14's website](#). Need assistance? The District Office is [here to help!](#)

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## Help Shape Our Community! Share Your Insights and Participate in the Budget Process

**Fill out CB14's District Needs Survey  
before September 7, 2023**

Share your insights in the District Needs Survey and help shape the future of our community.

As per the New York City Charter, all 59 NYC Community Boards submit recommendations for the capital and expense budgets of the upcoming fiscal year. Your input in this survey will play a crucial role in identifying and prioritizing our district's critical needs.

Participating is easy! Complete the survey online or submit it via mail or email using the provided instructions. Submit the survey by **Thursday, September 7, 2023**, to make your voice heard. Feedback will be considered during the public hearing on community budget recommendations for fiscal year 2025, scheduled for Monday, September 11, 2023, right before our Board Meeting.

Join us in shaping a stronger community. Your contribution matters!

[Take the District Needs Survey Now](#)

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## Local Updates, Events & Opportunities



## **service alert** for Tuesday, 7/4 Independence Day



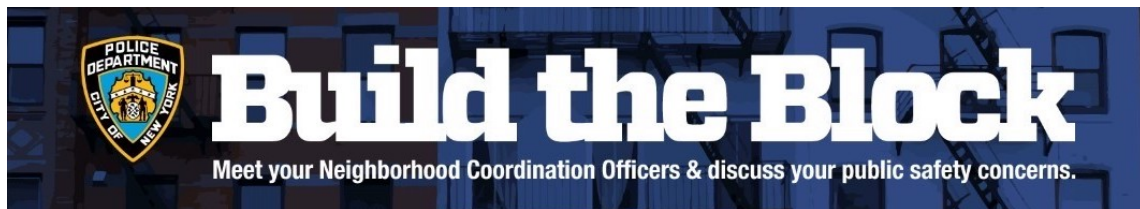
### **Trash, Recycling or Compost Service Update for Independence Day, Tuesday, July 4, 2023**

There's no collection on Tuesday, July 4, Independence Day.

If Tuesday is your normal collection day:

- Set out trash/compost Tuesday night for pickup starting Wednesday
- Hold recycling, and set at curb Monday, July 10 for pick up Tuesday, July 11

[More information](#)



### **70th Precinct Sector D Build the Block Meeting**

Thursday July 20, 2023 at 6:30 PM

25-35 Tennis Court, Brooklyn, NY 11226

[Look up your sector](#)



## Free Summer Meals Starts June 28

Wednesday, June 28, 2023 – Friday, September 1, 2023

Anyone under 18 can receive free summer meals at locations throughout the city. More info on Summer Meals, menu & schedule at [schools.nyc.gov](https://schools.nyc.gov)

[Find a location near you.](#)



Animal Care Centers of NYC

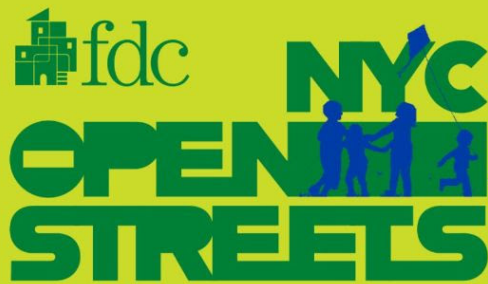
# **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AT ALL CARE CENTERS**

**HIGHLY EXPERIENCED DOG HANDLERS ONLY!**

Animal Care Centers of NYC (ACC) is currently seeking highly experienced large dog handlers at all Care Center locations. If you have a history of successfully handling dogs and a passion for making a positive impact in the lives of shelter pets, we invite you to join our team of amazing volunteers!



**Sign up now at [nycacc.org/volunteer/](https://nycacc.org/volunteer/)**  
**Wednesday, July 5 @ 5:30 pm**



# NYC OPEN STREETS

Enjoy a Car-free Newkirk Avenue  
from Coney Island Avenue to E17th Street

**SUNDAYS FROM 12-8 PM**

Live music, Children's activities,  
movement & more!



## 2023 - 2024 TEACHING ARTISTS

Applications Now Open  
Deadline: July 17

**BAC is now accepting applications for school program  
Teaching Artists (TA) for the 2023-2024 school year!**

Application Deadline: July 17, 2023 [Apply!](#)

Interested in learning more?

Join a virtual Prospective TA Info Session on July 6 from 12pm-1:30pm [Sign up](#)





**ANTONIO REYNOSO**  
BROOKLYN BOROUGH PRESIDENT

**BROOKLYN  
FOR ALL**

# HEALTHY MOTHERS, HEALTHY BABIES

## A Maternal Health Expo to Support Your Pregnancy Journey

**SATURDAY  
JULY 15, 2023  
1:00PM – 4:00PM**

**BROOKLYN  
BOROUGH HALL**  
209 Joralemon Street  
(enter through Adams Street)

### EVENT ACTIVITIES WILL INCLUDE:

- Know Your Rights workshop on paid leave, health insurance, and more;
- Prenatal nutrition workshop;
- Safe sleep and breastfeeding workshops;
- Exercise activities for mothers; and
- Community resources, and more.

RSVP at  
[www.brooklynbp.nyc.gov/maternal-health-expo-2023/](http://www.brooklynbp.nyc.gov/maternal-health-expo-2023/)

Interpretation available  
during event

Raffle of a limited supply of Pack-n-Plays, made possible by the NYC Health Department  
In partnership with:



BOROUGH PRESIDENT REYNOSO'S  
MATERNAL HEALTH TASKFORCE



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ASSEMBLY MEMBER  
BRIAN CUNNINGHAM  
DISTRICT 43

[WWW.BROOKLYNBP.NYC.GOV](http://WWW.BROOKLYNBP.NYC.GOV)



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# NYC Parks is hiring for the summer!

Help keep New York City's green spaces beautiful and safe! We offer a range of seasonal job opportunities, including positions in:

- Maintenance
- Security
- Recreation

Visit [nyc.gov/parks](https://nyc.gov/parks) for more information and to apply.



We are an Equal Opportunity Employer.



NYC Parks



# AFRICAN POP-UP

## *Festival.*

HILLEL PLAZA @ FLATBUSH JUNCTION

SHOP + EAT + DANCE

GET \$5 OFF TASTE AND VOTE (FOOD TASTING  
TICKET) UPON PRESENTATION OF THIS FLYER



JULY 22 & 23

SATURDAY & SUNDAY

12PM - 7PM

SUPPORT CULTURE  
& LOCAL **BUSINESSES**



ARWAGENCY



# The MTA MetroCard Van is Coming to Park Slope!

**Sponsored by Assemblymember Robert Carroll**



**Monday, July 31<sup>st</sup>**  
**10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.**  
**416 7th Avenue**



## *Services Offered at the Mobile Sales Van:*

- Get help with a Reduced-Fare application
- Transfer MetroCard balances (Full fare and Reduced-Fare)
- Exchange a damaged Reduced-Fare MetroCard for a temporary replacement
- Report a lost/stolen Reduced-Fare MetroCard
- Ask our team about any MetroCard-related issues
- Ask about the OMNY Program

**If you can't come on July 31<sup>st</sup>, here is  
the regular MetroCard Bus/Van Schedule for Brooklyn**

LOCATION	DAY	TIME
Sheepshead Bay at 3520 Nostrand Avenue (Between Avenue V & Avenue W)	1st Tuesday	10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Starrett City at Pennsylvania Avenue & Twin Pines Drive	1st & 3rd Tuesday	10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Coney Island at Neptune Avenue (Between West Fifth Street & Sixth Street)	1st Tuesday	1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Flatlands at Kings Plaza Shopping Mall (Avenue U & Flatbush Avenue)	1st & 3rd Tuesday	2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Flatlands at 2424 Ralph Avenue (Avenue N & Mill Lane)	1st & 3rd Tuesday	12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Bensonhurst at 86 Street & Bay Parkway	2nd & 4th Friday	10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Bay Ridge at 86 Street & Fourth Avenue	2nd & 4th Friday	1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.



For additional information on this event or any other local or state issue,  
please call **Assemblymember Robert Carroll's District Office at 718-788-7221**







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# Neighborhood Housing Services of New York City

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NHSNYC empowers disadvantaged low-to moderate-income New Yorkers to purchase and preserve affordable housing through lending, financial literacy, and housing counseling services.

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## Programs & Services

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rehabilitation Loans/Grants    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Down Payment + Closing Cost      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First-time Homebuyer Education | Assistance Grants and Loans  |
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[www.nhsnyc.org](http://www.nhsnyc.org)  
212.519.2500

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During the weeks of **July 11<sup>th</sup> - July 14<sup>th</sup>** and **July 17<sup>th</sup> - July 21<sup>st</sup>**, the Office of Assemblymember Rodneyse Bichotte Hermelyn will be hosting **Summer Subway Office Hours** at several train stations. This will provide an opportunity for the residents of the 42nd Assembly District to ask questions and bring their concerns to the team. Please see the schedule for Summer Subway Office Hours and plan to stop by and visit us between **4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.**



**Assemblymember  
Rodneyse Bichotte Hermelyn**  
42<sup>nd</sup> Assembly District

**Summer Subway Office Hours: Between 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.**

<p><b>Tuesday, July 11<sup>th</sup></b> Newkirk Plaza <b>B / Q</b> Line</p> <p><b>Wednesday, July 12<sup>th</sup></b> Church Avenue (Caton side) <b>B / Q</b> Line</p> <p><b>Thursday, July 13<sup>th</sup></b> Avenue J (Main Entrance) <b>Q</b> Line</p> <p><b>Friday, July 14<sup>th</sup></b> Cortelyou Road <b>Q</b> Line</p>	<p><b>Monday, July 17<sup>th</sup></b> Newkirk Avenue - Little Haiti <b>2 / 5</b> Line</p> <p><b>Wednesday, July 19<sup>th</sup></b> Parkside Avenue <b>Q</b> Line</p> <p><b>Thursday, July 20<sup>th</sup></b> Beverly Road <b>2 / 5</b> Line</p> <p><b>Friday, July 21<sup>st</sup></b> Flatbush Avenue - Brooklyn College <b>2 / 5</b> Line</p>
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**OFFICE VISITS ARE BY APPOINTMENT ONLY.** For more information about this or any state or local issue contact Assemblymember Rodneyse Bichotte Hermelyn's office at 718-940-0428 | [bicotter@nyassembly.gov](mailto:bicotter@nyassembly.gov) | <https://nyassembly.gov/mem/Rodneyse-Bichotte-Hermelyn>

## Community Commissions: Partners Request for Proposals I 2023 – 2024



Samantha Holmes, *Mundillo (Little World)*, in partnership with the Bronx River Art Center



Kenseth Armstead, *Boulevard of African Monarchs*, in partnership with the Marcus Garvey Park Alliance

Deadline: Thursday, August 1, 2023 at 11:59 PM EST

NYC DOT Art invites community-based, nonprofit organizations to apply for the 2023 – 2024 Community Commissions: Partners Request for Proposals. Through our signature program, Community Commissions, NYC DOT Art and selected organizations commission artists to design and install temporary public art on NYC DOT infrastructure citywide. Organizations are invited to identify sites for artwork in their district and will help select individual artists to propose site-responsive artwork. NYC DOT Art provides up to \$20,000 towards direct project costs, engineering and operational support, and the opportunity to beautify sites accessible to a diverse audience.

[Download the Community Commissions application here.](#)





**STONE  
BALUSTRADES  
CAN BE VERY  
DANGEROUS IF  
NOT INSTALLED  
PROPERLY**



**CONSTRUCTION ADVISORY:  
IMPROPERLY  
CONSTRUCTED  
STONE  
BALUSTRADES**

ISSUE: 2022-001

12.05.22

**OBTAINING THE REQUIRED BUILDING PERMITS IS  
THE BEST FIRST STEP TO ENSURE SAFETY WHEN  
DOING CONSTRUCTION WORK IN NEW YORK CITY.**



# ANIMAL CARE CENTERS OF NYC

**NO VACANCY**

ADOPT AN ADULT CAT OR LARGE DOG  
FOR ONLY \$5 ALL SUMMER LONG!

[NYCACC.APP](#)





# BREAKING GROUND

Are you a broker, landlord or renter located within the five boroughs that accepts CITYFHEPS affordable housing vouchers and looking to fill in a vacancy? Please feel free to contact Breaking Ground, Partnership Program located at Midtown Manhattan.

Do you know an individual/single adult that is chronically homeless, 9 months or more who are located within Brooklyn, Queens or Midtown Manhattan? Please contact Breaking Ground; our organization can connect clients experiencing homelessness with our outreach programs located within the district and provide services.

Stepheny Echevarria, Housing Specialist  
Phone: 1(646) 385-1280  
Email: [Sechevarria@breakingground.org](mailto:Sechevarria@breakingground.org)  
Website: [www.breakingground.org](http://www.breakingground.org)

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