

Information that may be of interest...

April 6, 2020

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Coronavirus (COVID-19) updates and resources

New York State is under a Stay-at-Home (PAUSE) directive!

What is "Stay-at-Home" or PAUSE?

In general, this means that people should not leave their homes except for essentials such as groceries and medicine or emergencies. When outside, practice social distancing and cover your nose and mouth with a bandana, scarf or mask. Businesses that do not provide essential services must close and send workers home. Businesses considered essential could include grocery stores, restaurants that do take out service, pharmacies, organizations that provide services for vulnerable populations, first responders and hardware stores. Public transportation continues to operate to get nurses, doctors, law enforcement officers, and other essential personnel where they need to go. Everyone else: Limit the use of public transportation to only when necessary.

The situation changes by the hour as new information and directives come out. As much as possible we are trying to provide links to trusted source information so that you can check the most up-to-date information. Read more about:

- [Preventing novel coronavirus \(COVID-19\)](#)
- [Directives for gatherings and facilities](#)
- [Transportation and travel](#)
- [Legislation and executive orders](#)
- [Assistance for individuals, homeowners, artists, workers, the unemployed \(and pets\)](#)
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The above information and links are also posted on www.murrayhillnyc.org.

All New Yorkers should now cover their mouth and nose when they go outside. New Yorkers are asked to use bandanas, scarfs, anything that might stop droplets from hanging in the air, and not buy masks needed by city hospitals, first responders and healthcare workers. You can reuse face coverings as long as they remain dry. Cloth face coverings should not be shared and should be stored in a place where no one else can touch them. The masks should be cleaned with soap and water daily and dry completely before wearing again. This is an extra layer of precaution, still practice social distancing, hand washing, disinfecting, etc.

Call 911 only when you are feeling seriously ill and need immediate assistance. For questions and information about coronavirus and getting tested, call 311 or contact your doctor. At this time, people who are hospitalized are prioritized for COVID-19 testing because the test results will impact their clinical care. If you have mild to moderate symptoms, and do not require emergency care, stay home and care for yourself the same way you would if you had the flu. You can read information about the virus on the New York City Department of Health website www1.nyc.gov/site/doh/health/health-topics/coronavirus.page and on the State DOH website: health.ny.gov/diseases/communicable/coronavirus.

[A Month of Coronavirus in New York City: See the Hardest-Hit Areas](#)

April 1, 2020, *nytimes.com*, by Larry Buchanan, Jugal K. Patel, Brian M. Rosenthal and Anjali Singhvi
For Zip code 10016: Total 288 cases / 6 per thousand (cases are charted by zip code at the bottom of the article).

3/27/2020 Congress Passes \$2 Trillion Relief Bill

The federal COVID-19 stimulus and relief package (CARES Act) was approved by Congress and signed into law by President Trump. The bill includes one time payments of \$1,200 to every American making less than \$75,000, and an additional \$500 per child. The bill also includes: \$500 billion for distressed companies and corporations, \$377 billion for small business loans, \$100 billion for frontline hospitals, unemployment insurance will be extended by 13 weeks, and include a 4 month enhancement of benefits. The federal stimulus package expanded unemployment insurance to include far more workers than are usually eligible for unemployment benefits, including self-employed people and part-time workers. Those who are unemployed, partly unemployed, or cannot work for a wide variety of

coronavirus-related reasons will be more likely to receive benefits. This expansion includes gig workers, freelancers, and independent contractors.

From our business member Fine & Rare: A 60-Second Guide: How to drink during the CoronaVirus [youtube.com/watch?v=T-VRIwr2Ff0&t=1s](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T-VRIwr2Ff0&t=1s)

Fine & Rare is temporarily closed until further notice.

New York launched a [new COVID-19 tracker](#), with detailed county-by-county information on confirmed cases. The website is updated daily with the latest data.

[Thinking critically about Coronavirus news and information](#)

March 26, 2020, *consumer.ftc.gov*, by Jennifer Leach, Associate Director, Division of Consumer and Business Education, FTC

How can we sort out what's real and what's not?...go to [Coronavirus.gov](https://www.coronavirus.gov) for medical information and [usa.gov/coronavirus](https://www.usa.gov/coronavirus) to see what the federal government is doing. Your local government and health department have the best information about what people in your area can (and can't) do. And the Federal Trade Commission has great information on the wide variety of [Coronavirus scams](#).

[Home care attendants helping elderly, disabled lacking equipment](#)

March 23, 2020, *cityandstateny.com*, by Kay Dervishi

Providers helping people that are at high risk amid the COVID-19 outbreak report shortage of face masks, sanitizer...several clients...have begun to decline home care services out of fear that any visitor may give them the new coronavirus...Providers have been having a difficult time having enough staff on hand as well.

[How to Practice Social Distancing](#)

March 17, 2020, *newyorker.com*, by Isaac Chotiner

[Hundreds pledge to help state, local government solve coronavirus challenges](#)

March 24, 2020, *statescoop.com*, by Ryan Johnston

A loose network of more than 1,000 data scientists, user-design experts and civic-minded technologists —called the U.S. Digital Response for COVID-19—formed last week to aid state and local government agencies in the fight to slow the spread of the novel coronavirus. The group posted a notice on its website asking state and local government agencies to ask for coronavirus-related help usdigitalresponse.org.

Proposal for immediate rent relief: using money locked up in security deposits to pay the rent

Council Member Keith Powers, Brooklyn Borough President Eric Adams, Manhattan Borough President Gale Brewer, and Council Member Robert Cornegy proposed that tenants could use existing, pre-paid security deposits to supplement rent payment, which allows time to seek relief. They sent a letter to the

Mayor and Governor, requesting a workable mechanism to allow tenants to cover rent with security deposits.

(opinion) [Testing struggles emerge as key hurdle to reopening country](#)

April 3, 2020, *thehill.com*, by Peter Sullivan

If the current approach of telling everyone to stay home is to be lifted, widespread and faster testing will be needed to identify infected people for isolation...[Anthony Fauci, the government’s top infectious disease expert, said] “When we turn the corner and it goes down, we have to have in place the ability to do the kind of containment that’s pristine — namely, you test like crazy, you identify people, you isolate them and you do contact tracing.” ...“There are widespread shortages of specimen collection materials, personal protective equipment, test kits and reagents”...Experts also point to the importance of a...serology test, that looks for antibodies in the blood...[the test] can help identify people who have had the virus but are now immune and who can more fully reenter society...states will also need enough public health workers to be able to carry out the tracing of infected people and their close contact

Upcoming events

Monday, April 6 4-5pm

Virtual Town Hall: Coronavirus (in English & Spanish)

Join State Senator Shelley Mayer for a Coronavirus Bilingual Virtual Town Hall in English and Spanish! We will answer questions about unemployment, school testing and graduation updates, resources to get through this crisis, and many other questions. Send your questions in advance at smayer@nysenate.gov or leave us a voicemail at 914-934-5250. You will also be able to ask your questions live in the comments. [Facebook.com/ShelleyMayerSD37](https://www.facebook.com/ShelleyMayerSD37) (You do not need a Facebook account to join.)

April 6, 7, 8

Parenting Strategies for Challenging Times Webinar Series

Weill Cornell Medicine’s Child Psychology Team has scheduled consecutive evening webinars including a Q&A to discuss practical skills aimed to support parents and help children thrive during this challenging time. These webinars are open to any parent looking to learn more about how to manage and cope with these stressful times. Info and register at psychiatry.weill.cornell.edu/pocat

April 6-9

[Virtual Passover Seders](#)

through April 12

Virtual Holy Week Services

[Armenian Evangelical Church](#) also calendar aecnyc.org/events

[Church of the Incarnation](http://churchoftheincarnation.org/news-events) (Episcopal) schedule churchoftheincarnation.org/news-events
[Community Church UU](http://ccny.org/calendar) also programs ccny.org/calendar
Church of Our Saviour daily Catholic Mass

Tuesday, April 7 2-3pm

Zoom webinar: How the state budget will combat coronavirus

Assemblyman Richard Gottfried, and Senator Gustavo Rivera will lead a discussion on how the state budget will combat coronavirus, and what you can expect from pending legislation. Q&A, and other interactive audience features will be available. Register at zoom.us/webinar/register/7915856830148/WN_s51NxAdnQt259oAp_r_VGg

Tuesday, April 7 6pm

Upper East Side COVID-19 Video/Tele-Town Hall

Dr. Jennifer Rosen, Director of Epidemiology and Surveillance at the Department of Health will answer questions about how to stay safe and healthy. Please RSVP and submit your question ahead of time. This event is co-sponsored by Congresswoman Carolyn Maloney, Manhattan Borough President Gale Brewer, Senator Liz Krueger, Assembly Members Rebecca Seawright and Dan Quart, and City Council Member Keith Powers. RSVP and submit your question. benkallos.com/event/upper-east-side-coronavirus-covid-19-videotele-townhall.

Tuesday nights at 7pm

Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright's Virtual Town Hall Tuesdays

Join these Tuesday Townhalls for COVID-19 updates. Join on your computer using the url: zoom.us/j/131837787. Join by phone, dial 646-558-8656 and enter meeting ID: 131 837 787 followed by #, then press # to enter the call.

April 9 1pm

SCORE Mentors Webinar: Coronavirus and Your Small Business: Live Q&A with

Get your questions answered regarding the current crisis. Submit questions during registration and during the LIVE webinar. Register at readytalk.webcasts.com/starthere.jsp?ei=1297407&tp_key=53e82cce44&sti=scoreeventpage

Thursday, April 9 6pm

CB5 Full Board Meeting

Zoom Video Conference: zoom.us/j/647298321

Meeting ID: 647 298 321

Phone Dial-In (for those of you without computer access):

646-518-9805

Access Code: 647298321#

April 28 1pm

Webinar: Marketing Advice to Combat an Economic Downturn

Are you wondering how to market your business during the economic downturn related to Coronavirus? Consistent, clear communication with your customers is vital.

Register: readytalk.webcasts.com/starthere.jsp?ei=1297023&tp_key=38a425e278&sti=scoreeventpage

In memoriam



Linda Froccaro, a longtime member of MHNA, passed away on March 31, 2020, at NYU Langone Hospital, stricken by coronavirus. Photo by Marion Weingarten, from February 9, 2020.

Census 2020 - Respond When You Receive Your Invitation

The 2020 Census is underway. The first invitations arrived in the mail between March 12 and March 20. **Include everyone who lived in your home on April 1.** You can respond online at 2020census.gov in one of 13 languages and find assistance in many more. Your invitation will have a Census ID, which is needed to begin the survey. Only one person in each household should reply for everyone in the household. The survey has 10 questions. You must complete the survey in one sitting; you may view the questions at 2020census.gov/en/about-questions.

Murray Hill in the news

[Video: Empire State Building Transforms Into Giant Red Siren, Alarming New Yorkers](#)

March 31, 2020, *gothamist.com*, by Jen Carlson

[A Decent Manhattan Apartment for Under \\$450,000? One First-Time Buyer Mulls the Options](#)

March 5, 2020, *nytimes.com*, by Joyce Cohen

[our neighbor] [“The Fashion Business Has Been Hit Hard” — Retail Industry Sends Letter to the White House Calling for Support Amidst Coronavirus Crisis](#)

March 22, 2020, *vogue.com*, by Nicole Phelps

Yesterday, the Council of Fashion Designers of America (CFDA) and 90 business groups including the National Retail Federation, the Accessories Council, and the Fashion Footwear Association of New York brought their concerns to the White House, sending a letter to President Trump calling for economic stabilization efforts amidst the coronavirus pandemic...“It is imperative that our government, the federal reserve, regulators, and the public understand the vital importance of our industry to the overall economy of the United States.”

Changes in the neighborhood

341-347 Madison Avenue will be redeveloped

The MTA's former East Midtown headquarters at 341-347 Madison Avenue will be redeveloped. The project will provide an estimated \$1 billion for the MTA's capital budget. By prioritizing funds for public transit, as well as including infrastructure improvements, this proposed redevelopment observes one of the major tenets of the East Midtown Rezoning and it will undergo ULURP.

Source: Manhattan Borough President's e-newsletter of 4/2/2020.



[Brick Façade Of Flaneur Hospitality's 250 Fifth Avenue Continues Installation In NoMad](#)

March 23, 2020, *newyorkyimby.com*, by Michael Young

Work is continuing on The Fifth Avenue Hotel, an addition and renovation at 250 Fifth Avenue [28th Street] in NoMad. Designed by Perkins

Eastman, PBDW Architects, and Martin Brudnizki Design Studio and developed by Flaneur Hospitality, the project involves the construction of a 230-foot-tall, 24-story structure and the renovation and conversion of an adjacent 115-year-old bank building designed by McKim, Mead & White...The development will contain 153 hotel rooms, with 129 in the new addition and the remaining 24 in what is called the "Mansion," most likely referring to the former bank building...The Fifth Avenue Hotel is slated to open later this year.

Landmarks

[Amazon Drops \\$1 Billion For The Lord & Taylor Building At 424 Fifth Avenue In Midtown](#)

March 28, 2020, *newyorkyimby.com*, by Sebastian Morris

Amazon has officially acquired the historic Lord & Taylor Building at 424 Fifth Avenue in Midtown, Manhattan...the transaction is reportedly valued between \$978 million and \$1.15 billion. The acquisition adds 660,000 square feet to Amazon's New York City footprint...The Lord & Taylor Building was completed in 1914 by architects Starrett & Van Vleck. Since then, the property served as a flagship destination and headquarters for the luxury retailer. Lord & Taylor sold the property in 2019 to WeWork, which hoped to reposition the building as its own New York headquarters and a hub of co-working suites...the e-commerce giant is expected to repurpose the building as its New York City headquarters.

[Condo Sales Begin at the Revamped Waldorf Astoria](#)

March 6, 2020, *nytimes.com*, by C. J. Hughes

The project includes a refurbished hotel operated by Hilton in addition to the residential portion, and both are set to open in 2022.

Traffic and transportation

Suspension of Shuttle Service

4/3/2020 Effective until further notice, the MTA will suspend its 42nd Street Shuttle service. As alternatives, customers can use the 7 train or M42 bus.

[MTA Asks For \\$4 Billion Coronavirus Bailout](#)

March 17, 2020, *patch.com*, by Matt Troutman

Ridership plunged 67 percent on subways and up to 90 percent on commuter lines since the COVID-19 outbreak, a letter to Congress states. [Letter from MTA Chairman Patrick Foye to Congress](#).

Broken MTA elevators

A federal judge ruled that the MTA's often-inoperable elevators do not violate the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Source: Manhattan Borough President Gale Brewer's e-newsletter of 4/2/2020.

[Coronavirus Hits Taxi Industry Already Reeling From E-Hail Apps](#)

March 18, 2020, *ny1.com*, by Dan Rivoli

Schools

There will be no spring break for NYC public school students or teachers this year.

[School Boards Association wants to postpone vote on budgets](#)

March 23, 2020, *newsday.com*, by John Hildebrand

School board representatives are calling for statewide postponement of district voting on budgets and board candidates...citing risks and disruptions caused by the spread of the coronavirus...Under law, districts' spending plans and new board trustees are supposed to be in place by the beginning of the next school year, starting July 1...In response to the virus emergency, Gov. Andrew M. Cuomo has authorized board meetings by teleconference or similar means, as long as the public has remote access.

[NYC high school offers are coming this week with a big change: waitlists. Here's what you should know](#)

March 18, 2020, *chalkbeat.org*, by Alex Zimmerman

The education department is launching a new system of waitlists for every student who fills out an application and does not get into their top choice...If a principal decides to admit students [on] their waitlist, they're supposed to call families multiple times "until you reach the parent/guardian," according to principal training materials. They're also supposed to email families if they have email addresses, and even call their current schools. After a school begins reaching out, families have one week to make a decision about whether to accept an offer.

Job opportunities

Seasonal Jobs at NYCHA

NYCHA is currently hiring temporary workers to assist with maintenance at our properties throughout the city. The job will last as needed throughout the spring season at a rate of \$15/hour. For more info and to apply, NYCHA residents can contact their local NYCHA Property Management Office.

twitter.com/NYCHA/status/1244685960564129792

TLC drivers needed

The City is setting up a recruitment site for TLC-licensed drivers, [DeliveryTLC](#), to help with important work related to COVID-19, such as delivering food to older adults who can't leave their homes. This work will be paid \$15/hour plus reimbursement for gas and tolls. Drivers will be selected on a first-come, first-serve basis. The initial need for drivers will be small, but is expected to increase as programs expand.

Temporary employees are needed to assist with disaster relief efforts

The Small Business Administration (SBA) is hiring temporary employees to assist with disaster relief efforts for covid-19. Bilingual language skills a plus. Positions: Call Center Customer Service Representative (CSR), Document Preparation/Legal Review/ Loan Closings, Loan Processing/Credit Analysis/Mortgage Underwriting, Program Support. sba.gov/page/disaster-response-jobs-sba#section-header-1 and sba.gov/page/disaster-response-jobs-sba

COVID-19 and homelessness

Letter To Mayor De Blasio, Deputy Mayor Perea-Henze, and Commissioner Banks

From Christine C. Quinn, President & CEO of WIN, Breaking the Cycle of Homelessness for Women and their Children and other homeless advocate groups. During this period of unprecedented uncertainty and instability for low-income New Yorkers, we urge New York City to take steps to ensure that people trying to leave shelter with a rental voucher are not derailed because of administrative and economic conditions outside of their control. There are a number of common-sense changes New York City can make now to CityFHEPS to ensure that access to rental vouchers is not disrupted during this emergency and its aftermath.

Coronavirus Outbreak Has America's Homeless at Risk of 'Disaster'

March 10, 2020, *nytimes.com*, by Thomas Fuller

How New York's programs and policies are keeping the homeless on the street

March 8, 2020, *cityandstateny.com*, by Bob Hennelly

The vast majority of the homeless are in shelters, but according to the city's 2019 survey, nearly 3,600 more are sleeping on the streets and in other public places, such as Penn Station. Twenty years ago, the city spent about \$960 million to address the homelessness crisis. It now spends \$3.2 billion meeting its unique legal guarantee of the "right to shelter" that came about from the 1979 landmark state Supreme Court decision Callahan v. Carey...The situation in the city is the culmination of years of rising housing prices, the deinstitutionalization of people with mental illnesses without sufficient community-based alternatives and legal constraints on the government's response.

Related article: City Doing Hundreds of Homeless 'Clean-Ups' Each Year

March 9, 2020, *citylimits.org*, by Jarrett Murphy

Over the past four years, the de Blasio administration conducted at least 1,700 operations aimed at moving homeless people from locations where they had set up shelter...its approach to cleanups is part of what has allowed New York City to avoid the large, outdoor encampments that characterize the homeless crisis in other urban areas...The cleanups occur in a legal gray area. The administration acknowledges that it is not illegal to sleep outside and that they cannot force homeless people to accept services. DHS says it conducts cleanups only when the situation presents a danger to the homeless people living there or others.

Budget & taxes

4/2/2020 **Gov. Cuomo and the New York State Legislature passed a \$177 billion crisis budget prioritizing the state's response to COVID-19.**

The New York budget director expects at least \$10B less in revenue, and Gov. Cuomo has announced that New York State is "broke" because of coronavirus. Legislators fought hard to pass a responsible budget that will still give families and communities tools to beat COVID-19 and recover economically once the pandemic subsides. Schools and Medicaid were protected from proposed cuts. Funding for unemployment Insurance and workers compensation was increased. Temporary assistance for needy families is funded. The MTA will be allowed to access emergency loans and borrow from other sources of funds, and \$3 billion was committed to the MTA's capital plan. Investments in the state's transportation system were funded. Legislative items in the budget: banned high-volume hydraulic fracturing and imposed a moratorium on applications for gelled propane hydraulic fracturing. Changes were made to the NY bail law to make several high level offenses and flight risk bail-eligible, and creating a mechanism for repeat offenders to be assigned bail. Sweeping civil- and criminal-liability protections were granted to hospitals and health care workers treating patients infected with the coronavirus. Authorize and regulate compensated gestational surrogacy agreements, ban flavored e-cigarettes, reduce gun violence through the Safe Homes Act, protect the assets of victims of domestic violence. Legislative items that didn't make it into the budget but are goals for the future are marijuana legalization and protections for gig economy workers.

Note: The budget process was very opaque this year due to the ban on in-person meetings due to coronavirus. Legislative changes are required to hold virtual meetings.

[Good Gov't Groups to NYS Lawmakers: "Keep Policy Out of the Budget"](#)

March 16, 2020, *readmedia.com*

Common Cause/NY, Citizens Union, NYPIRG, League of Women Voters urge NYS lawmakers to prioritize fiscal needs amid COVID-19 breakout...Lawmakers must remain focused on that goal alone, and not try to cram through unrelated policy issues as part of the budget.

[Marijuana legalization likely out of state budget, sponsor says](#)

March 19, 2020, *timesunion.com*, by Dan Clark

State Sen. Liz Krueger, D-Manhattan, said Wednesday. Krueger, the lead sponsor of legislation that would legalize the drug, said she didn't believe lawmakers could negotiate a deal on marijuana legalization by the April 1 deadline.

Elections

Presidential Primary has been moved to June 23

The New York State presidential primary has been moved to June 23. Read more about important election dates: elections.ny.gov/VotingDeadlines.html.

[Democrats postpone presidential convention until Aug. 17](#)

April 2, 2020, *politico.com*, by Alex Thompson and Marc Caputo

Government, legislation, rules, policies (including pending)

Deterring Reckless Driving

March 9, 2020, Speaker Corey Johnson email

Under the [Dangerous Vehicle Abatement Law](#)...owners of vehicles who receive 5 red light camera violations or 15 speed camera violations within 12 months would be required to take a course on safe driving offered by the NYC Department of Transportation (DOT). If an owner fails to complete the course, their vehicle may be impounded by the New York City sheriff. The bill is designed to abate the public nuisance of dangerous vehicles.

[Judge Strikes Down New State Campaign Finance Law](#)

March 13, 2020, *gothamgazette.com*, by Samar Khurshid

A State Supreme Court judge in Niagara County struck down the state's new campaign finance law which was based on the recommendations of a controversial state-created commission that took effect in December. The state Legislature could not give the commission the authority to make binding changes to state law, the judge ruled.

[EPA suspends enforcement of environmental laws amid coronavirus](#)

March 26, 2020, *thehill.com*, by Rebecca Beitsch

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) issued a sweeping suspension of its enforcement of environmental laws Thursday, telling companies they would not need to meet environmental standards during the coronavirus outbreak.

Public service notices & scams

Midtown Building Scam Alert

The Grand Central Partnership has been made aware of several reports in the last few weeks of people posing as private security or private cleaners attempting to gain improper access to buildings and offices in Midtown. They urge all property managers to be vigilant and to call the police if they witness any suspicious activity.

[Want to get your Coronavirus relief check? Scammers do too](#)

April 1, 2020, *consumer.ftc.gov*, by Ari Lazarus, Consumer Education Specialist, FTC

You don't need to do anything. If you filed taxes for 2018 and/or 2019, the federal government likely has the information it needs to send you your money. Social Security recipients and others who are not required to file a tax return also do not need to do anything. If you have not filed taxes recently, you may need to submit a simple tax return to get your check. Do not give anyone your personal information to "sign-up" for your relief check. To set up direct deposit of your check, communicate only with the IRS at [irs.gov/coronavirus](https://www.irs.gov/coronavirus).

FBI warns of coronavirus cyber scams

March 18, 2020, *timesunion.com*, by Robert Gavin

Users should not log onto websites that appear unfamiliar, that they have not vetted or that do not appear legitimate.

The MHNA Discount Program

Please be prepared to show proof of membership when you ask for a discount.

Full list of discounts offered to MHNA members:

Restaurant and Food Discounts

General Discounts

Our government representatives

When contacting your representative, be sure to state your address so that they know that you are a constituent. You can see the District maps and sign up for their emails on their websites.

Manhattan Community Board 5: www.cb5.org, 212-465-0907, office@cb5.org

Manhattan Community Board 6: cbsix.org, 212-319-3750, office@cbsix.org

NYC Councilwoman Carlina Rivera, Council District 2: council.nyc.gov/carlina-rivera, 212-677-1077, District2@council.nyc.gov

NYC Council Speaker, Corey Johnson, Council District 3: council.nyc.gov/district-3, 212-564-7757, SpeakerJohnson@council.nyc.gov

NYC Council Member Keith Powers, Council District 4: council.nyc.gov/keith-powers, 212-818-0580, KPowers@council.nyc.gov

Manhattan Borough President Gale Brewer: manhattanbp.nyc.gov, 212-669-8300, info@manhattanbp.nyc.gov

Public Advocate Jumaane Williams, #GetHelp, The Office of the Public Advocate assists with complaints and inquiries involving government-related services and regulations. Telephone Hotline: 212-669-7250, email: GetHelp@advocate.nyc.gov

Mayor Bill de Blasio: www1.nyc.gov/office-of-the-mayor, 311, online message: <https://www1.nyc.gov/office-of-the-mayor/mayor-contact.page>

Landmarks Preservation Commission: <https://www1.nyc.gov/site/lpc/about/contact-us.page>

NY State Senator Liz Krueger, 28th Senate District: www.nysenate.gov/senators/liz-krueger, 212-490-9535, lkrueger@nysenate.gov

NY State Senator Brad Hoylman, 27th Senate District: <https://www.nysenate.gov/senators/brad-hoylman>, 212-633-8052, hoylman@nysenate.gov

NY State Assembly Member Dan Quart, Assembly District 73, www.nyassembly.gov/mem/Dan-Quart, 212-605-0937, quartd@nyassembly.gov

NY State Assembly Member Harvey Epstein, Assembly District 74, www.nyassembly.gov/mem/Harvey-Epstein, 212-979-9696, epsteinh@nyassembly.gov

NY Assembly Member Richard N. Gottfried, Assembly District 75, www.nyassembly.gov/mem/Richard-N-Gottfried, 212-807-7900, GottfriedR@nyassembly.gov

U.S. Representative Carolyn Maloney, New York's 12th Congressional District: <https://maloney.house.gov>, 212-860-0606, website contact form: <https://maloney.house.gov/contact-carolyn/email-me>

U.S. Senator Chuck Schumer: www.schumer.senate.gov, 212-486-4430, website contact form: <https://www.schumer.senate.gov/contact/email-chuck>

U.S. Senator Kirsten Gillibrand: www.gillibrand.senate.gov, 212-688-6262, website contact form: www.gillibrand.senate.gov/contact/email-me

U.S. President Donald Trump: <https://www.whitehouse.gov/people/donald-j-trump> website contact form: <https://www.whitehouse.gov/contact>

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