

November

Community Board # 4

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November

2011

2011

Monthly Community Board # 4 Meeting

Hope Gardens Multi-Service Center

195 Linden Street (Corner of Wilson Avenue), Brooklyn, NY 11237

Wednesday, November 16, 2011 at 6:00 PM

Public Hearing Item(s)

New Ridgewood Car Service-**Johnnie Moreira**-Livery Bill which will allow license TLC drivers to pick up on street.

Regular Board Meeting

Agenda:

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| 1. First Roll Call | 7. Recommendations |
| 2. Acceptance of Agenda | 8. Old Business |
| 3. Acceptance of Previous Meeting's Minutes | 9. New Business |
| 4. Chairperson's Report | 10. Announcements (1.5 minutes only) |
| Introduction of Elected Officials (Representative) | 11. Second Roll Call |
| 5. District Manager's Report | 12. Adjournment |
| 6. Committee Reports: | |
| • Housing Land-Use- Martha Brown | |
| • Health, Hospital & Human Services- Mary McClellan | |
| • Public Safety- Barbara Smith | |
| • Senior Citizens- Saundria Simmons | |

83rd Precinct Community Council Meeting

Tuesday, November 15, 2011

480 Knickerbocker Avenue

Corner Bleecker Street

(Muster Room—6:30PM)

The Next CEC 32 Meeting

Thursday, November 10, 2011

P.S. 376

194 Harman Street (bet. Wilson & Knickerbocker Aves.)

6:00 PM-Working Session / 7:00 PM-Public Sessions

Brooklyn Parks Commissioner and Community Board #4

Still Looking for Parks Stewards

(VOLUNTEERS FOR)

Maria Hernandez Park, Irving Square Park, Bushwick Playground, Green/Central/Noll

These Volunteer Stewards will be part of a brand new community program designed to assist in the maintenance of NYC Parks & Playgrounds. Looming City budget cuts will ultimately affect the manpower responsible for cleaning and maintaining local parks and playgrounds. We are looking for highly motivated individuals who are both energetic and dedicated to making sure that our district's parks & playgrounds are both clean and safe. The volunteer stewards must have a natural love for our neighborhood parks and more importantly time to devote to this major volunteer endeavor. Our goal under this stewardship program is to get 15 local volunteer stewards per park each week. They will be responsible for sweeping and cleaning of the parks grounds. Bags, gloves and possibly other tools which will assist them will be given by the NYC Department of Parks and Recreation. We are eager to begin this program in the very near future. Therefore, beginning in November our objective is to have at least fifteen volunteers for each park. We shall establish a meeting date and time with the stewards at each of the aforementioned park locations. During that time team leaders will be established and work teams organized. The meetings will take place at the park that you wish to volunteer in. Thereafter from January through March the NYC-Department of Parks and Recreation will hold various training sessions where Park Stewards from other districts will be invited to share information and experiences. We believe that the local residents within our district would view this as a wonderful opportunity to give back to their community and lend a helping hand. We are in need of your name, contact information, and the name of the park with which you wish to become a Park Steward. Please contact CB#4 via email bk04@cb.nyc.gov or via telephone (718) 628-8400. Thank you so very much.



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**AMERICAN
VETERANS MONTH**

**VETERANS SERVICE
FAIR**

NOVEMBER 15, 2011

11:00AM—4:00PM

Brooklyn Borough Hall

209 Joralemon Street

EXPLORE OPPORTUNITIES IN:

HEALTH SERVICES

WELLNESS

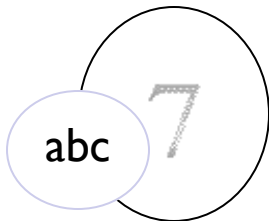
HOUSING EMPLOYMENT

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**2012 DIALOGUES BETWEEN FUNDERS &
NONPROFITS SYMPOSIUM & CAPACITY BUILDING
WORKSHOPS: REBOUNDED IN A
DOWN ECONOMY**

LEADING IN TIMES OF UNCERTAINTY

Thursday, February 3, 2012

Concord Baptist Church of Christ

833 Marcy Avenue, corner of Madison Street

Brooklyn, New York

Host: Reverend Dr. Gary Simpson, Pastor

in collaboration with

Brooklyn Borough President Marty Markowitz

Thursday, June 7, 2012

York College

Performing Arts Center, Little Theater

94-45 Guy R. Brewer Boulevard

Jamaica, New York

Host: Dr. Marcia V. Keizs, President, York College

In collaboration with

York College School of Continuing Education & The

Honorable Leroy Comrie, New York City Councilman,

27th District



OATH

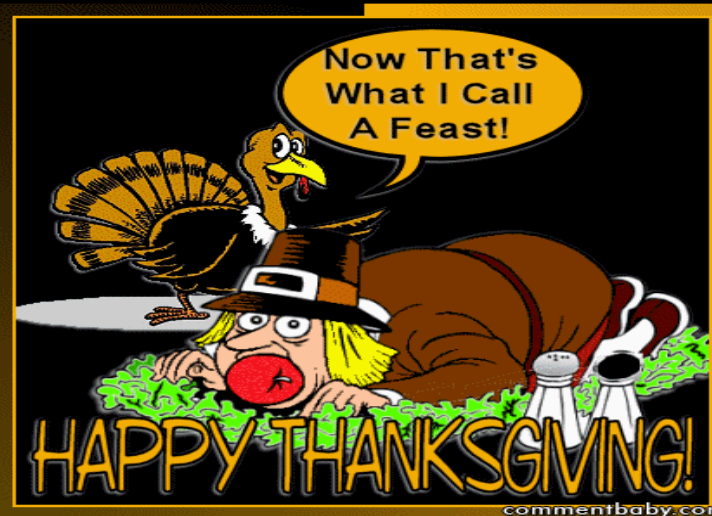
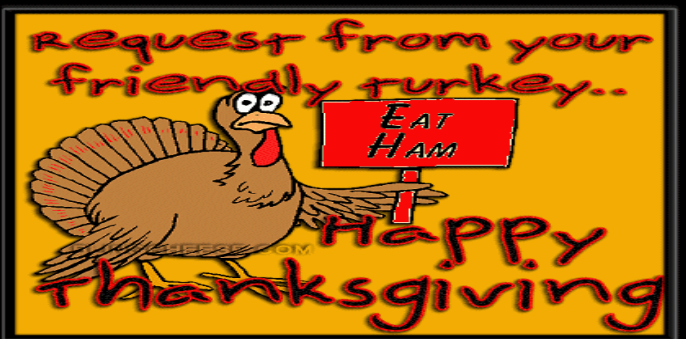
Health Tribunal

A Division of the Office of administrative
Trials and Hearings

Please visit the Health Tribunal website at www.nyc.gov/oath

The NYC Office of Administrative Trials and Hearings' Health Tribunal now offers Hearings-by-Phone. This means you will not have to come to the Tribunal in person to have your hearing with a judge.

Most tickets will be able to have hearing over the telephone, but there are some exceptions. To find out if you can have a hearing-by-Phone and to schedule it, please call (212) 361-1060 before the hearing date listed on your ticket.





SAFE SURRENDER

COURT COMES TO CHURCH

Friday, December 2 & Saturday, December 3, 2011

The Mount Zion Baptist Church

365 Ralph Ave., Brooklyn, NY

9 AM—3 PM

PASTOR DAN CRAIG

718-771-7777

The Court and Defense Attorneys Will Be Available to Resolve Any Outstanding Summons Warrants Including:

- Unlawful Possession of Marijuana
- Unlawful Possession of Alcohol in Public
- Unlawful Possession of Handcuffs
 - Littering
- Riding a Bicycle on the Sidewalk
 - Making Unreasonable Noise
 - Animal Nuisance
- Failure to have a Dog License
 - Unleashed Dog
 - Spitting
 - Trespass
 - Disorderly Conduct
 - Loitering
- In the Park after Closing
- Failure to Comply with a Posted Sign in Park

For More Info Call: 718-250-3888

www.projectsafesurrender2011.org

RESOURCE FAIR & FOOD WILL BE AVAILABLE AT: SHIRLEY CHISHOLM DAY CARE CENTER INC., 11

2023 PACIFIC ST., BROOKLYN, NY 11233

718-756-1720

WHILE THIS IS NOT AMNESTY, FAVORABLE CONSIDERATION WILL BE GIVEN TO THOSE WHO PARTICIPATE

Garden Apprentice Program

Brooklyn Botanic Garden's garden-based, hands-on apprenticeship for students in grades 8-11

bbq.org/gap

1000 Washington Avenue

Brooklyn, NY 11225

718-623-7200

Work with other teens and build valuable **job skills** as you learn about **urban agriculture** and the **environment** in one of the world's best-known public gardens!

Acceptance into each tier of **GAP** is through a competitive application process and requires a **nine-month commitment**, March-November. Rising apprentices earn increasing levels of compensation.

TIERS:

Discovery Guides Grades 8-9

Assist instructors in Children's Garden programs

Garden Corps Grade 10

Work alongside scientists, educators, horticulturists

Junior Apprentices Grade 11

Create education stations for Garden visitors

Senior Apprentices

Work as paid staff in the Children's Garden after successful completion of Junior Apprenticeship

OPEN HOUSE

November 12, 1p.m.-Registration required!

Applications for 2012 will be available online in October 2011 at bbq.org/gap, due December 7, 2011.

To register, contact us at gap@bbq.org or 718-623-7252.

PENNY INCREASE IN PRICE OF FOREVER STAMPS

Beginning early next year, customers will spend a penny more to mail letters to any location in the United States, the first price change for First-Class Mail stamps (Forever stamps) since May 2009. The new 45-cent price for Forever stamps is among price changes filed with the Postal Regulatory Commission (PRC). **Highlights of the new single-piece First-Class Mail pricing, effective Jan. 22, 2012, include:**

- Letters (1 oz.)- 1-cent increase to 45 cents
- Letters additional ounces-unchanged at 20 cents
- Postcards- 3-cent increase to 32 cents
- Letters to Canada or Mexico (1 oz.)- 5-cent increase to 85 cents
- Letters to other international destinations- 7-cent increase to \$1.05

Prices also will change for other mailing services, including Standard Mail, Periodicals, Package Services and Extra Services.

Express Mail and Priority Mail prices will remain the same.





HHC

NEW YORK CITY
HEALTH AND HOSPITALS
CORPORATION

nyc.gov/hhc

**Notice of
FY 2012
Annual Public
Meetings**

The Board of Directors of the New York City Health and Hospitals Corporation invite you to attend its Fiscal Year 2012 Annual Public Meetings in accordance with 7384(10) of the HHC Enabling Act.

Following a report on the activities of the Corporation, the public is invited to make oral and/or written presentations. Allotted speaking time is FIVE (5) minutes. Speakers are asked to register in advance by writing or calling.

Ms. Patricia Lockhart, Secretary to the Corporation, New York City Health and Hospitals Corporation,
125 Worth Street, Room 519,
New York, New York 10013
Telephone: 212-788-3360

Limited Interpreter and American sign language services are available upon request in advance of registration deadline dates **ONLY**.

On-site registration will be available at each location on the day of the meeting beginning at 5:30 p.m. and ending at 6:30 p.m. Speakers who register in advance will be given priority on the speaking schedule.

These events are Wheelchair accessible.

Brooklyn

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2011—6 PM

Woodhull Medical & Mental Health Center

760 Broadway

Delores E. Jackson Auditorium, 3rd Floor

Brooklyn, NY 11206

Advance Registration Deadline: December 5

Queens

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2011—6 PM

Elmhurst Hospital Center

79-01 Broadway

Auditorium-Main Entrance-A1-22

Elmhurst, NY 11373

Advance Registration: Deadline: November 25

SAVE THE DATE

December 13th, 2011 4 PM-8 PM

Brooklyn Children's Center

OPEN HOUSE

Brooklyn Children's Center is please to announce the opening of new programs services designed to best serve our youth, their families and their communities.

Please come join us for the **NEW** Brooklyn Children's Center Open House and learn more about our new outpatient behavioral health programs.

DAY TREATMENT

- **LEARNING RESOUC E CENTER**
- **BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CLINIC**
- **COMMUNITY RESPITE**
- **INTENSIVE DAY TREATMENT**
- **INTENSIVE CASE MANAGEMENT**

1819 Bergen St., Brooklyn, NY 11233

Phone: (718) 221-4500

Fax: (718) 221-4573

Learn About Judicial Candidates

In New York State



- **Judges make decisions** that affect our everyday lives, to uphold the constitution and protect our rights.
- **Your vote will help determine** who should serve as trial court judge in New York State.
- **Your vote will help ensure** that the justice system functions properly-It's your civic responsibility.

Go to **NYcourts.gov/vote**,

a non-partisan website, to learn about the judicial candidates in your district

Nycourts.gov/vote





WHO ARE THEY

The Human Resources Administration's "**Office of Child Support Enforcement (OCSE)**" works with **New York City families**, regardless of income or immigration status, to ensure that children receive financial support from both parents. OCSE guides custodial parents through the child support process. Services including locating the noncustodial parent, establishing paternity, serving the summons, helping to establish court-ordered child support and medical support orders, and collecting and enforcing those orders. OCSE assists noncustodial parents by offering programs to help them meet their child support obligations and manage their child support cases.

For additional information about child support contact:

Outreach Specialists

Outreach & Paternity Services

Carlos Infante

212-480-5966

carlos.infante@dfa.state.ny.us

Trevor Alexander

212-480-6644

trevor.alexander@dfa.state.ny.us

They are available to make presentation

Want to see more healthy foods in your local bodegas?
Interested in mobilizing your community to support healthy changes?

Learn how to...**Adopt-A-Bodega!**

When: Wednesday, December 7, 2011

Time: 2:00 pm—5:00 pm

**Where: New Jerusalem United Methodist Church
484 Knickerbocker Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11237**

Please RSVP by Friday, December 2nd to Penelope Suero at psuero@health.nyc.gov or 646-253-5725

(Include the name of your organization and the number of attendees.)

Workshop will include:

- Presentations and information on successful Adopt-A-Bodega Partnerships in Brooklyn
- Strategies for approaching and working with bodegas in your community
- Resources (including a toolkit) for working with bodegas

An Uncle Ruth's Family Meal (made from bodega food!) will be provided at this training.

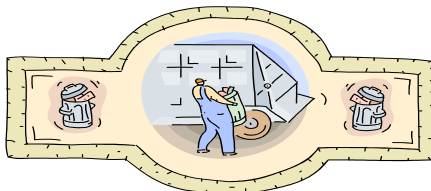
Beginning November 14, 2011 to April 14, 2012

Snow Plow in effect

-Section 42-

Stockholm Street to Putnam Avenue-From Broadway to Cypress Avenue.

Regular Collection may be picked up during the nights. Place your collection out as usual; if it's not collected during the day, your route may be on nights. If you don't receive a collection by the next day, please call Sanitation Brooklyn North 4 at (718) 571-6413, 14 & 15 or call Community Board #4 at (718) 628-8400.



Recycling

District-wide, routes may be on night schedule, place your recyclables out normally if not collected on days it may be on a night collection route. If your recyclables are not collected by the next day, please call Sanitation Brooklyn North 4 at (718) 571-6413, 14 & 15 or call Community Board #4 at (718) 628-8400.