

## NYC FLEET NEWSLETTER



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## RECORD TURNOUT FOR CITY'S 27TH FLEET SHOW

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On Tuesday, May 12, 2015 DCAS and Parks hosted the 27th Annual Fleet and Equipment show at Flushing Meadows Corona Park in Queens. A record 160 vendors and hundreds of guests participated. Combined with beautiful weather, this year's outdoor show was one of the best ever.

There were many highlights. Empire Clean Cities held their annual stakeholders event at the Queens Theatre for the 7th year. There were presentations on sustainability by NY State DEC, DCAS, United Soybean Board, CalStart, and Barretto Bay Strategies.



Staff and students from the DOE Career & Technical Education (CTE) automotive high schools, pictured above with DCAS Commissioner Stacey Cumberbatch, were in attendance for networking and recruitment opportunities. The

students and others were treated to delicious food from two alternative fuel food carts and dozens of exhibitors. Neapolitan Express has served premium pizza from alternative fuel carts for several years. A new solar-electric-natural gas food cart from Move Systems was also a hit of the show.

The show highlighted safety vendors in support of Mayor de Blasio's Vision Zero initiative including suppliers of side-guards and driver alert systems. In addition, the show maintained its focus on clean vehicle technologies including EV, solar, hybrids, CNG, and even hydrogen vehicles. Parks,



DSNY and

NYPD also displayed new vehicles in their fleets.



NYC has invested over \$1 billion in new fleet and equipment in the last four fiscal years. The Fleet Show is everyone's chance to celebrate fleet operations and to plan for a safer and greener future.

Thanks to the staff at Flushing Meadows Corona Park and Parks for hosting and to everyone at DCAS who helped with the show. Special thanks to Daniel Shinn-Krantz for organizing the show for the 10th year. Pictures, vendor lists, and more will soon be posted on our fleet website.