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**STATEMENT FROM DOI COMMISSIONER ROSE GILL HEARN ON DOI TEAMING
WITH ATTORNEY GENERAL ANDREW CUOMO'S OFFICE TO FIGHT CORRUPTION**

My meeting today with Attorney General Andrew Cuomo is just one of the ways the two offices are collaborating on how to combat public corruption. DOI is pleased to partner with the Attorney General's office and looks forward to working with the Attorney General and his staff on a wide variety of cases, which includes prevailing wage violations, organized crime infiltration of public projects, fraud by not-for-profit vendors and Medicaid fraud. In fact, DOI has already teamed up with the Attorney General's office on a prevailing wage case against three contractors who pleaded guilty earlier this year. Today's meeting continues DOI's mission to find new and innovative ways to root out waste, fraud and malfeasance in city government and will give us one more way to fight it.

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