



November 22, 2023

Greetings –

After years of advocacy from the Park Slope community, the MTA has finally opened an elevator at the 7th Ave F/G stop. This station is now accessible to all New Yorkers who have mobility issues, strollers, and injuries. I will continue to push for the MTA to make the entire subway system fully accessible. A special thank you to Comptroller Lander, Councilmember Hanif, and all the local advocates who fought for this, especially Jasmine Melzer, Bob Levine, all the Good Neighbors of Park Slope, and the 9th Street Block Association. I was happy to join the MTA yesterday to make the announcement.



Thanksgiving Food Distribution at Camp Friendship

On Saturday, I joined the Camp Friendship Thanksgiving Food Drive to distribute turkeys to families in need. The Camp Friendship food pantry feeds 530 families

weekly and it was incredible to see the outpouring of support from so many neighbors, truly capturing the spirit of Thanksgiving.



MTA Metro Card Van

The very popular MTA Metro Card Van will be back in the 44th AD, this time in front of the Windsor Terrace Library (160 E. 5th Street) next Thursday, November 30th between 10am – 2pm. See full details on the flyer below and call or email my office if you have questions.

The MTA MetroCard Van is Coming to the 44th District!

Sponsored by Assemblymember Robert Carroll



**Thursday
November 30th**
10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
160 East 5th Street
Windsor Terrace Library
(between Ft. Hamilton and Caton Avenues)



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 November 30th, 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



In-Person Rat Academy

I am co-sponsoring an in-person Rat Academy Training with NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene and Council Member Hudson that teaches rat prevention methods for homeowners, tenants, and building staff and superintendents on December 4th at the Brooklyn Public Library at Grand Army Plaza. [Register here.](#)

Deadline for Prospect Park Survey December 1st

Prospect Park Alliance, the non-profit that operates Prospect Park is asking for feedback. This survey will take 5-7 minutes to complete, and will close on Friday, December 1st. To thank you for your time and your insights, they will be raffling off \$100 gift cards for those who provide their contact information. I encourage all park users to be sure to register your feedback to help make Prospect Park an even more special place. [You can fill out the survey here.](#)

I hope you have a happy Thanksgiving and enjoy time with family and friends over this long weekend. My District Office will be closed on Thanksgiving and on Friday, but will re-open on Monday, November 27th.

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