



July 28, 2023

I hope you are doing well and staying cool in this heat. While during the summer months I typically spend less time in Albany, my policy work continues. You can read about my recent work related to dyslexia and literacy in [Spectrum News here](#).

Heat Advisory

The New York City Emergency Management Department has declared a heat advisory through Saturday. The Department recommends that those without air conditioning utilize cooling centers like libraries, community centers and senior centers. Some NYC public pools will extend their hours through the heat advisory.

You can [find your nearest cooling center here](#) or call 311. If you are facing an emergency, call 911.

Celebrating Local Historic Business Zuzu's Petals

On Thursday I presented Fonda Sara with a certificate designating her flower shop, Zuzu's Petals, as a part of the New York State Historic Business Preservation Registry. Zuzu's Petals has been a Park Slope fixture since 1971 and is still going strong. Small businesses like Zuzu's Petals are vital to our community's quality of life and culture, and as many brick and mortar businesses continue to struggle, it is important that we highlight success stories like Fonda's.



7th Ave F/G Station Elevator

On Thursday I was joined by City Councilwoman Shahana Hanif and Comptroller Brad Lander in touring the upcoming elevator at the 7th Ave F/G station. Once this

elevator is complete, it will at long last make the station accessible to those with disabilities and mobility issues.



CareCube Lawsuit Settlement

On Wednesday Attorney General Letitia James announced that her office had secured a settlement that will require refunds with interest to New Yorkers who were charged incorrectly by CareCube for COVID-19 testing. During the pandemic, I saw firsthand people being unfairly charged by CareCube at their site down the block from my district office and received numerous complaints from constituents conscientiously seeking tests to help prevent the spread of Covid-19. I passed these complaints on to Attorney General James and fortunately she was able to hold CareCube accountable for their deceitful and predatory behavior. [You can read more about the outcome of the settlement here.](#)

MTA Metro Card Van_

The very popular MTA Metro Card Van will be back in front of my District Office on July 31st from 10am to 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 Park Slope!

Sponsored by Assemblymember Robert Carroll



Monday, July 31st

10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

416 7th Avenue



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 July 31st, 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**

Mammogram Bus

Free mammograms and clinical breast exams will be available at the Mammogram Bus sponsored by the American-Italian Cancer Foundation in front of my District office on August 15th from 9am to 4:30am. See full details on the flyer below. Call 1-877-628-9090 to reserve your spot right away.

American-Italian
CANCER FOUNDATION

www.americanitaliancancer.org

EARLY DETECTION OF BREAST CANCER SAVES LIVES!



The *Mammogram Bus* will be here Tuesday, August 15th!

Schedule a No-cost Mammogram and Clinical Breast Exam

Eligibility:

- Woman age 40 - 79
- Currently living in New York City
- No Mammogram in the past 12 months

Our services are at no-cost.

No co-pays required and deductibles are waived. Uninsured patients also welcomed.

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416 7th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11215

Tuesday, August 15, 2023

9:00am - 4:30pm

For an Appointment, Call:

1-877-628-9090

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If you have any concerns about these or any other legislative or community matter please email me at carrollr@nyassembly.gov or call (718) 788-7221.

-Bobby

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