Community Board 11, Queens

Weekly Digest

November 13, 2026



THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

NBCA
Northwest Bayside Civic Association

The NBCA will be collecting Thanksgiving Dinner donations for the 2026 season.

Please bring non perishible and shelf stable food donations to:

Bayside High School
32-24 Corp Kennedy St.
Bayside, NY 11361
(Drop off inside the main entrance)

AFC Urgent Care
32-24 Corp Kennedy St.
Bayside, NY 11361

by November 18th

or to

The Rectory at St. Kevin's
45-21 194th St.
Flushing, NY 11358
(Drop off through the gold doors in the parking lot)

by November 22nd

Monetary donations to St. Kevin Food Pantry are also gladly accepted.

www.northwestbaysidecivic.com

DOT Street Resurfacing List

https://www.nyc.gov/html/dot/html/motorist/resurfintro.shtml

Demolitions

249-01 Northern Boulevard - Demolition

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Thanksgiving Food Drive

Join us in helping our community

Items Needed:

Non-perishable canned and boxed food items

Now Until November 20th

Drop-off location:

District 19 Office
20-15 Francis Lewis Blvd
Hours: 9 am -5 pm
Call 718 619-8611



Alley Pond Environmental Center's

FOOD DRIVE

October 30th to November 19th

We are hosting a food drive for Astoria Food Pantry. We are accepting unopened, unexpired, nonperisable food, unopened hygiene products & clean reusable grocery bags. All donations are greatly appreciated.

For questions about what we can accept or when we are open please call.



MOST NEEDED ITEMS

- Canned Food
- Dry Cereals
- Protein bars
- Peanut butter
- Baby wipes

DROP-OFF LOCATION

Alley Pond Environmental Center

229-10 Northern Blvd
Douglaston NY 11362

For More Information : (718) 229-4000 alleypond.org

Fall into Volunteering!

Tuesdays in November & December*
4:00 p.m.- 5:30 p.m.

***weather permitting**

Make a difference. Calling all middle school and high school students! Earn volunteer hours. Give back to your community!

Help Northeast Queens stay beautiful by rolling up your sleeves and grabbing some gloves! We're organizing a series of Parks-led leaf cleanup and park beautification projects at local parks throughout the community.

For Nov. Crocheron Park & John Golden Park

For Dec. Alley Park

For more information contact Jessica at 929-475-9475 or at Jessica.Ugalde@parks.nyc.gov

NYC Parks

BOROUGH ASSEMBLY

INTEREST FORM

Apply to represent your community!

In the second phase of The People's Money, Borough Assemblies of 25 randomly selected delegates per borough will evaluate and determine the project ideas that end up on each borough's ballot.









Submit the interest form at

on.nyc.gov/ba

NYC Civic Engagement Commission

the PEOPLE'S MONEY

Do You Deliver?

MANDATORY SAFETY COURSE

Delivery cyclists must complete the new NYC DOT Bicycle Safety Course



nyc.gov/DeliverSafely

Course Available In:

English 中國人 العربية
Español 中国人 Fulɓe
Français বাংলা Wolof

NEW YORK CITY DOT

VISION ZERO

DOB COMES TO DISTRICT 19



Stop by the District 19 office to speak directly with a representative from NYC Dept. of Buildings (DOB)

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NYC™ Buildings

Get guidance on building-related concerns, assistance navigating DOB services, & answers to your questions surrounding:

- Zoning Questions
- Open violations, including DOB violations, and Stop Work Orders
- General DOB Questions

10:00AM - 1:00PM

Mon., Nov. 30th, 2026

For more information, e-mail us at: District19@council.nyc.gov

District 19 Office
20-15 Francis Lewis Blvd,
Whitestone, NY 11357

TOYS FOR TOTS

NBCA

Northwest Bayside Civic Association

WE ARE ACCEPTING NEW, UNWRAPPED TOY DONATIONS FROM NOVEMBER 10TH THROUGH DEC 7TH, 2026

DROP OFF LOCATIONS:

HELMS BROS. MERCEDES-BENZ
208-24 NORTHERN BLVD

VOLVO CARS OF QUEENS
209-18 NORTHERN BOULEVARD

BAYSIDE VOLKSWAGEN
208-12 NORTHERN BLVD.

The Helms Auto Group

HELMS BROS. MERCEDES BENZ SERVICE CENTER
171-10 STATION RD.

BAYSIDE VW & VOLVO CARS OF QUEENS SERVICE CENTER
31 WATERMILL LN. GREAT NECK

afc urgent care

AFC URGENT CARE
213-04 NORTHERN BLVD.

BAYSIDE HIGH SCHOOL
32-24 CORP KENNEDY ST.

J.CREW

J. CREW FACTORY STORE
BAY TERRACE SHOPPING CENTER
23-86 BELL BLVD.

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COMMUNITY MEETING

SCAN HERE TO PAY MEMBERSHIP DUES BY CREDIT CARD

Secured by PayPal
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347-674-6469
Bayside, NY
NBCAcivic@gmail.com
www.northwestbaysidecivic.com

GENERAL MEETING

Come be a part of what we do!!

JOIN US FOR OUR NEXT MEETING!

November 17, 2026
7:00pm-8:30pm
OLBS Parish Center
34th AVE & 203rd ST
(meeting is downstairs-elevator accessible)
MEETING STARTS PROMPTLY AT 7PM

50/50 CASH RAFFLE

BRING A NEIGHBOR! ALL WELCOME!
OUR MEETINGS ARE FREE TO ATTEND

Meeting Agenda

- Guest Speakers:
  - Senator John Liu
  - NYPD Community Affairs Officer
- Please bring non-perishable food item(s) to donate to St Kevin's Thanksgiving pantry

The NBCA is currently accepting membership dues & donations
Ask us how to become a member/sponsor!

- Family/Individual: $25/yearly
- Business Sponsorship: $30/yearly

PAY OR DONATE ON OUR WEBSITE OR BY MAIL

LIKE & FOLLOW US FOR LOCAL UPDATES AND EVENT INFO

LET'S GET SOCIAL

@NORTHWEST BAYSIDE CIVIC ASSOCIATION
@NBCACIVIC

PO BOX 604975 Bayside, NY 11360

GET INVOLVED AND HELP MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY!

Volunteer with the NYC Parks Stewardship Team for Planting Season!



PLANT. PROTECT. PRESERVE.

NYC Parks hosts stewards across the city all year long, in every landscape and every kind of weather. Volunteers will help restore local canopy through planting and learn about all the benefits our city's forest provides

Join us at the following planting events this fall

Saturday, November 7th – QUEENS: Cunningham Park

Friday, November 20th & Saturday, November 21st – QUEENS: Alley Pond Park

Friday, December 4th & Saturday, December 5th – BRONX: Pelham Bay Park

HELP NYC BECOME GREENER AND GREATER.

For more information and to register for an event, visit nyc.gov/parks/stewardship or email stewardship@parks.nyc.gov.

NYC Parks

NYC Service
nyc.gov/service

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2026 MAIN STREET FORUM

OUR 27TH YEAR

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2026



BUILDING CAPACITY DOWNTOWN – FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

SPEAKERS INCLUDE:

Hannah DiLiberto, NYCOM Communications Manager

Elissa Kyle, Placemaking Director, Vision Long Island

Paddy Steinschneider, President, Gotham Design and Community Development LTD

Elise Johnson-Schmidt, Johnson-Schmidt Architects PC

Victor Dadras, Partner, Downtown Revitalization Group

Steve Barrison, Executive VP, Small Business Congress of NY

For more information, please email nymainstreetalliance@gmail.com.

Please join the New York Main Street Alliance (NYMSA) and NYCOM and the speakers listed above for a one-day symposium about downtown revitalization.

Downtown revitalization experts will gather this year in Douglaston, Queens, NYC, for a one-day conference, offering informative sessions on urban design, architecture, and downtown revitalization. The conference is co-sponsored by the New York Main Street Alliance (NYMSA) and NYCOM. Now in its 27th year, the Main Street Forum, a series of lectures and panel discussions, will offer information and practical advice on downtown revitalization issues to communities that are revitalizing their urban commercial corridors and Main Street districts.

Registration for the conference is $20. Pre-registration is required. For more information, contact NYMSA at 845-292-5206 or nymainstreetalliance@gmail.com.

This year the NYMSA Main Street Forum will be honoring the Father of the modern Main Street revitalization movement: Norman Mintz "Dr. Downtown".



Date and Time:
Friday, November 20, 2026
9 AM to 2 PM

Location:
The Community Center at the CCD
39–50 Douglaston Parkway
Douglaston, NY 11363

R.S.V.P.:
nymainstreetalliance@gmail.com or 845-292-5206

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You are cordially invited to...

VETS-GIVING

Friday, November 20th



HONORING ALL WHO SERVED

LUNCH STARTING AT 12:00 PM UNTIL 2:00 PM

District 19 Office: 20-15 Francis Lewis Blvd,
Whitestone, NY 11357

To RSVP please call (718) 619-8611

Meetings and Upcoming Events

SAVE THE DATE

ALL EVENTS ARE FREE!

2026 EVENTS

AUG 1 **Free Concert in the Park**
Retroverse
Bayside Fields - 6:30pm

AUG 8 **Free Movie in the Park**
Bayside Fields - Movie TBD
Starts at dusk

AUG 14 **Free Concert in the Park**
Glass Houses
Bayside Fields – 6:30pm

AUG 22 **Free Concert in the Park**
Rock Island Sound
Bayside Fields - 6:15pm

SEPT 10 **9/11 Memorial Ceremony**
204 St./33 Ave. monument - 6:30pm

OCT 24 **Halloween Trunk or Treat**
206 St./29 Ave. - 12-2pm

DEC 12 **Holiday Lighting Ceremony**
Bayside Fields - 5pm

2027 EVENTS

MAR 27 **Annual Easter Egg Hunt**
Bayside Fields - 12pm

MAY 28 **Memorial Day Wreath Laying Ceremony**
204 St./33 Ave. Monument - 7pm

Concerts sponsored by Main Street Radiology



9/11 Memorial Ceremony

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Upcoming General Meetings

- June 25th, 2026
- Sept. 23rd, 2026
- Nov. 18th, 2026
- Jan. 27th, 2027
- Mar. 31st, 2027
- May 19th, 2027

All NBCA meetings are held at:
OLBS Parish Center
203 St and 34 Ave,
downstairs
7:00-8:30pm

Scan here to visit our website

northwestbaysidecivic.com



TREES COUNT 2025

Join thousands of New Yorkers coming together to survey the health of our urban forest.

Continued!

Whether you're a seasoned volunteer or new to Parks, this is a fun, once-in-a-decade opportunity to help gather critical information on our city trees and have fun while doing it!

Tree mapping events are happening all over the city every week—spend a couple of hours counting trees in your local park or go adventuring in a new one!

We provide all materials and training. No experience is necessary!



Sign up now at nyc.gov/parks

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Sanitation Update:
Live in or own a 1-9 unit building?
Your trash MUST be in an NYC Bin!
Fines started September 8