

NYC FLEET NEWSLETTER



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SPOTLIGHT: DCAS COMMISSIONER EDNA WELLS HANDY

This week we say thanks to DCAS Commissioner Edna Wells Handy. Commissioner Handy has brought extraordinary focus to fleet's role in the City and supported both major innovation and investment.

In a memo dated May 11, 2011 Commissioner Handy established the inter-agency fleet management team that we now call the "Fleet Federation." Over 300 interagency meetings later, fleet is working together and sharing resources in ways never before achieved.

Thanks to Commissioner Handy, the City's fleet got greener. DCAS leveraged its budgetary funds to procure 150 vehicles for the use of our partner fleet agencies including plug in electric vehicles (EVs) and compressed natural gas (CNG) units as well as implementing new alternative fuel and fleet share contracts.

Commissioner Handy also took a special interest in the expansion of the City's automotive internship program, helping to support graduates in pursuing mechanical positions including with the City. Fleet management has always been part of the DCAS charter. Commissioner Handy has raised its profile within and outside of DCAS.



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Thursday, May 22 9am to 2pm Flushing Meadows Corona Park, Queens, by the Unisphere Each show highlights vehicles and equipment with alternative fuels and emissions reducing technologies We also showcase the latest in light and heavy-duty vehicles, trucks, horticultural equipment, tools, fleet services, and more.

Free to all exhibitors and attendees. For more information or to RSVP, please call (212) 386-0377 or email dkrantz@dcas.nyc.gov



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THE 26TH ANNUAL EQUIPMENT AND FLEET SHOW

THURSDAY MAY 22, 2014

9AM TO 2PM

Flushing Meadows Corona Park

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SHOW IS FREE FOR ALL, PARTICIPANTS AND VENDORS