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Queens Community Board 4

46-11 104th Street - Corona, NY 11368

Servicing Corona, Corona Heights, Elmhurst and Newtown

| October 2024 | | | | | | |
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| October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month | | | | | | |
| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
| | 1 | 2 Rosh Hashannah Begins | 3 Youth Services Committee Meeting 7pm | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 7 Consumer Affairs Committee Meeting 7pm | 8 Full Board Meeting 7pm | 9 Health Services Committee Meeting 7pm | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 14 Columbus Day | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 28 Public Safety Committee Meeting 7pm | 29 | 30 | 31 Halloween | | | |

Help Us Welcome October!

Wednesday, October 2nd

Rosh Hashanah Begins

Thursday, October 3rd

Youth Services Committee Meeting
7pm

Tuesday, October 8th

Full Board Meeting
7pm

Wednesday, October 9th

Health and Human Services Committee Meeting
7pm

Monday, October 14th

Columbus Day

Monday, October 28th

Public Safety and Homeland Security Committee Meeting

7pm

Thursday October 31st

Halloween

FULL BOARD MEETING
NOTICE AND AGENDA

Tuesday, October 8th, 2024

7:00 pm

VFW Post #150
51-11 108th Street
Corona, NY 11368

**PLEASE NOTE that SPACE IS LIMITED and that
this meeting is IN PERSON**

Face masks are not required, but encouraged, and will be provided on site at
your request.

Social distancing guidelines will be in place.

1. Pledge of Allegiance

2. Roll Call

3. Vote: Minutes - September 10th, 2024

4. Chairperson's Report

5. District Manager's Report

6. Public Forum - Good & Welfare of the District

(All statements will be limited to 2 minutes)

7. Report from Elected Officials

(All statements will be limited to 3 minutes)

8. Guest Speaker: Stephen Caruso, Citywide Community Affairs Officer, DSNY

- New Residential Containerization Law (**See Below**)

9. Report and Vote: Consumer Affairs, Economic Development & Business Licensing Committee

- State Liquor Authority Applications

10. Committee Reports:

- Environmental
- Health and Human Services
- Parks & Cultural Affairs
- Public Safety & Homeland Security
- Transportation
- ULURP/Zoning
- Youth Services

11. Adjournment



Beginning **November 12, 2024**, all properties with 1-9 residential units will be required to use bins (55 gallons or less), with secure lids to set out trash. This rule also applies to any special-use building with DSNY collection—including City agencies, houses of worship, and nonprofits.

You can use a compliant bin (55 gallons or less with a secure lid) that you already have, but starting **June 2026**, you **MUST** use an **Official NYC Bin**.

NYC Official Bin

The NYC Bin is available for purchase at a significantly lower price than similar bins at retail stores, at www.bins.nyc or by calling 1-855-NYC-BINS.

Order your Official NYC Bins by October 1 to get guaranteed delivery by November 12!

DSNY will retrofit or replace hundreds of collection trucks by 2026, adding mechanical tipping arms compatible with the new bins. This upgrade will speed up collection and minimize the possibility of spills that occur with manual collection.

Learn more about NYC Bins

- Join one of our [weekly online info sessions](#) to learn more about residential containerization across the city.
- [Download the flyer to share](#), available in 11 languages.

Recycling and Composting

NYC Bins are available to order for recycling and composting, although they are not required. Compost must be set out in bins (55 gallons or less) with secure lids. Curbside Composting is mandatory in Brooklyn and Queens and will expand to all five boroughs October 6.

About the New York City Department of Sanitation

The Department of Sanitation (DSNY) keeps New York City healthy, safe and clean by collecting, recycling and disposing of waste, cleaning streets and vacant lots, and clearing snow and ice. The Department operates 59 district garages and manages a fleet of more than 2,000 rear-loading collection trucks, 450 mechanical brooms and 705 salt spreaders. The



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FIRE SAFETY FOR JEWISH OBSERVANCES

The Sabbath and Jewish holidays are a time of family gatherings, celebrated with special foods, songs and customs. Many holy days and observances, as well as the weekly Sabbath, are a time for traditional cooking and candle rituals.

However, without safety precautions, these customary religious observances may increase the risk for fires and fire-related injuries.

*Celebrate your heritage safely
with the following guidelines.*



PREPARING THE KITCHEN AND COOKING

Fifty percent of all apartment fires and one-quarter of the fires in private homes start in the kitchen. Most home cooking fires involve the stovetop portion of the range. One-third of these fires result from unattended cooking.

The majority of fires and burns can be prevented during food preparation by taking safety precautions. Follow these precautions when preparing the kitchen and cooking, especially for the Sabbath and holiday meals when there is increased activity in the kitchen:

- Stay in the kitchen--don't leave cooking food unattended.
- Wear tighter or snug-fitting sleeves. (Loose sleeves are more likely to catch on fire or get caught on pot handles.)
- Take extra precaution when handling boiling water.
- Cook at indicated temperature settings, rather than higher settings.
- Don't become distracted by attending to children or answering phone calls or doorbells.
- Create a "kid-free zone" of at least three feet around your stove.
- Keep area clear of towels, papers or anything that could burn.
- Turn pot handles inward, facing the wall, to prevent burns caused by overturning or spills.
- Have a pot lid and container of baking soda handy to smother a pan fire. **DO NOT USE WATER.**
- Treat burns immediately with cool running water and seek medical attention.

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A Public Fire Safety Message From The New York City Fire Department

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**September 2024 Board Meeting
Minutes (Click Here)**

October is **Domestic Violence Awareness Month (DVAM)**. During DVAM, victim advocates, allied professionals, survivors of abuse, their loved ones, and the surrounding community come together to mourn the lives lost to domestic violence, celebrate the progress that has been made to end this epidemic, and connect with others working to create change.

In addition to resources from our District Attorney Melinda Katz below, click **HERE** for a link to the **US Dept of Health and Human Service's Office of Family Violence Prevention and Services** where you will find resources, and helpful links!



YOU ARE NOT ALONE

If you have questions about resources in your community or need support, contact:

Queens District Attorney's Domestic Violence Helpline
(718) 286-4410

NYC Domestic Violence Hotline
1 (800) 621-HOPE or
1 (800) 621-4673

WE ARE HERE TO HELP.
Speak to a live person
24 hours a day.

If you have access to the internet but cannot make a telephone call:
<http://safehorizon.org/safechat> is available
Monday through Friday from 9:00AM to 6:00PM

 Queens County District Attorney's Office
Melinda Katz
— District Attorney —

Phone:
718.286.6000

Website:
www.queensda.org

125-01 Queens Boulevard, Kew Gardens, New York 11415-1568



October 19th, 2024 at 4pm

Join **Elmhurst History and Cemeteries Preservation Society (EHGPS)**, **Community Board 4Q**, **Council Member Shekar Krishnan**, **Jackson Heights Beautification Group**, and **Elmhurst Baptist Church** for a screening of "Between Neighborhoods".

and on **Saturday October 26th at 2pm**, join us for a special lecture by distinguished historian Daniel Karatzas as he discusses his published book:
"Jackson Heights- A Garden in the City"

Information for both events is below.



Elmhurst History and Cemeteries Preservation Society, INC

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EHPCS LECTURE SERIES 2024

SCREENING OF BETWEEN NEIGHBORHOODS

SATURDAY 19 OCTOBER 2024 AT 4PM

Elmhurst History and Cemetery Preservation Society is honored to present its Lecture Series 2024. It will be held at the historic Elmhurst Baptist Church (built 1902-1903), at 87-37 Whitney Avenue, Elmhurst, NY 11373. Distinguished historian and filmmaker Seth Fein will screen his 2024 reboot of his award-winning documentary about the Unisphere, *Between Neighborhoods*, revised in honor of its subject's 60th anniversary, followed by a Q&A. Refreshments will be served. Please contact us via our links below to RSVP.

EHPCS is proud to host this presentation for FREE!

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Between Neighborhoods (109', 2016-2024)

explores how the histories of immigration and imperialism orbit the Unisphere in Queens since the last New York World's Fair. Seth Fein's award-winning documentary works in split-screen between present and past, between original footage and archival research, to examine how Robert Moses's monument to himself – marking the center of his metropolitan empire as it embodied the Space Age ideology of Washington's empire – has been redefined by immigration across the last 60 years. Yet, as *Between Neighborhood* shows, Unisphere now centers a raging battle between social and corporate globalizations in Flushing Meadows-Corona Park, relevant not just for Queens but for all of NYC.

Seth Fein is a historian and documentary artist who lives in Jackson Heights, where he founded and operates Seven Local Film. Among his recent films is *Small Kitchens*, an observational tone poem about food and work in a Nepalese restaurant and Mexican food cart along the Elmhurst-Jackson Heights border. He has taught Film and History at Barnard, Columbia, NYU, and Yale, as well as in Brooklyn College's Feirstein Graduate School of Cinema. Fein has published widely on the history of film in the Americas, and his recent essays about contemporary documentary have appeared in *The Village Voice* and *The Los Angeles Review of Books*. You can learn more about Seth and his projects at sevenlocalfilm.com

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EHCPS Annual Lecture Series 2024

Presents Daniel Karatzas

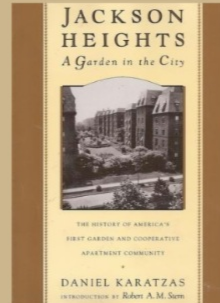
Saturday 26 October 2024 at 2:00pm

Elmhurst History and Cemetery Preservation Society is honored to present its Lecture Series 2024. It will be held at the historic Elmhurst Baptist Church (1902-1903), at 87-37 Whitney Avenue, Elmhurst, NY 11373. This lecture will feature a distinguished historian and topics will range from the history of Queens, changing times, and their work. Q & A will follow with book signing. Refreshments will be served. Please contact us via our links below to RSVP. EHCPS is proud to host these lectures for FREE!

<https://www.facebook.com/ElmhurstHistoryandCemeteriesSociety>

<https://www.facebook.com/ElmhurstHistoryandCemeteriesSociety/Donations>:

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Daniel Karatzas has been a resident of Jackson Heights for most of his life. His interest in architecture and urban planning led to the publishing of his history of the neighborhood: Jackson Heights - A Garden in the City back in 1990. The book also helped spearhead the designation of Jackson Heights as a New York City Historic District in 1993. He has served on the board of the Jackson Heights Beautification Group since its founding in 1998, and is a broker at Beaudoin Realty Group.

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To our sponsors, your generous contributions have provided the necessary resources to host our annual lecture series. Your support is invaluable and deeply appreciated.



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2. WE HELP YOU APPLY
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Office of Council Member Francisco Moya

106-01 Corona Avenue Corona, NY 11368

Wednesday, October 30th, 2024

10:00am– 5:00pm

BY APPOINTMENT ONLY !

718-651-1917



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**September & October
Septiembre & Octubre**

FOR QUESTIONS / PARA PREGUNTAS : 718-458-5367



BLOOD DRIVE

**Monday, October 14th
12:00pm – 6:00pm**

**Assemblywoman Catalina Cruz Community
Blood Drive**

**90-15 Queens Blvd, Elmhurst, NY, 11373
Queens Center Mall**



Scan to schedule an appointment

https://donate.nybc.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/326046



Please remember to eat, drink, and bring your ID with your name and photo. Appointments are preferred however walk-ins will be welcomed if space permits.
Visit nybc.org/coronavirus for complete COVID-19 safety protocols.



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BLOOD DRIVE

**Monday, October 7th
10:00am – 4:00pm**

**Assemblywoman Catalina Cruz Community
Blood Drive**

**43-10 National St, Corona, NY, 11368
Action Groups Community Center**



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Assembly Member
JESSICA GONZÁLEZ-ROJAS



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RESIST

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OCTOBER 17TH

10AM-1PM

BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT, CALL: 718-457-0384

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ATTORNEY ABOUT:**

- 1) RIGHTS TO SAFE AND HABITABLE HOUSING
- 2) HOW TO RESPOND TO AN EVICTION PROCEEDING
- 3) DISCRIMINATION IN HOUSING
- 4) RENT-STABILIZATION RIGHTS



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Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration

Join Queens Borough President Donovan Richards Jr. as we celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month! Enjoy an exciting evening with diverse cultural performances, guests of honor, music, food and so much more. *Cosponsored by MetroPlusHealth, Queens Hispanic Parade Inc., Assembly Member Catalina Cruz, NALEO Educational Fund and New York Hall of Science.*

Thursday, October 10, 6–8pm

Food will be provided by Bocaito.
Food will be served at 5:30pm.

New York Hall of Science, Flushing Meadows Corona Park
47-01 111th Street, Corona, NY

RSVP at queensbp.nyc.gov/rsvp



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