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## THE WORLD IS COMING. NYC IS READY.

New initiatives to keep our city moving and make the World Cup accessible for all New Yorkers.

New York City officials announced a series of World Cup-related initiatives aimed at expanding transportation access and making matches more affordable for residents ahead of the 2026 FIFA World Cup.

Mayor Mamdani said the city, working with the NYNJ Host Committee, secured 1,000 reduced-price tickets for New York City residents to attend World Cup matches at MetLife Stadium. Tickets will cost \$50 and include free round-trip bus transportation to the stadium.

The ticket program will cover five group-stage matches and two knockout-round games, with roughly 150 tickets available per match. City residents age 15 and older may enter a lottery beginning May 25 at 10 a.m. through May 30 at midnight. Winners will be selected at random and notified June 3. Each winner may purchase up to two tickets.

Officials said tickets will be nontransferable and distributed directly to winners at designated boarding locations on match days in an effort to prevent scalping.

“A World Cup is coming to our backyard, and we want to ensure working-class New Yorkers have the opportunity to be part of it,” Mamdani said during an announcement in Harlem’s Little Senegal neighborhood.

City officials said the ticket initiative is part of a broader effort to make the tournament accessible to residents from all five boroughs.

The announcement came as the administration also unveiled expanded NYC Ferry service for the summer of 2026, which officials said will provide the highest level of ferry service in the system’s history.

The enhanced schedule includes additional vessels, more frequent trips on high-demand routes and expanded route connections through Sept. 13, 2026. The city is also bringing back the Rockaway Rocket and Rockaway Reserve services to accommodate increased summer travel.

Officials said the expanded ferry operations are intended to help manage what is expected to be one of the busiest tourism seasons in New York City history as the region prepares to host World Cup events.

The administration also introduced five newly wrapped NYC Ferry vessels featuring World Cup-themed designs representing the city’s five boroughs. The ferries will operate throughout New York Harbor during the summer.

“The world is coming to New York City — and New York City is ready,” Mamdani said. “We are investing in the infrastructure that keeps this city moving.”

City transportation improvements tied to the tournament also include new bus lanes and other mobility projects intended to improve travel for residents and visitors during

★ WORLD CUP 2026 ★

## \$50 WORLD CUP TICKET LOTTERY

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LOTTERY ENTRY

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### FIVE CUSTOM-WRAPPED NYC FERRY VESSELS

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**BETTER TRAVEL FOR EVERYONE**

New bus lanes and other mobility improvements will help get residents and visitors where they need to go during the World Cup.

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# MANAGING YOUR FEARS WITH THE HELP OF GOD

by Stan Popovich

Many people use the help of God to overcome their fears and anxieties. God is stronger than your fears and anxieties and it is important to include God in your life when struggling with your mental health. As a result, here are seven suggestions on how a person can use the help of God in his or her own mental health struggles.

1. **Start talking and praying to God:** The first step a person should do is to start talking and praying to God. A person can go to church or to a quiet place during the day to tell God that they are having a problem. They should tell God how they feel and ask God for some of his help. A person could also review the Bible and read some articles on trusting in God and then apply these concepts in their life.

2. **Rely on the power of God:** The power of God is the one power that is stronger than your fears and anxieties. God loves each one of us and has the power to solve all of your problems. God will help you if you ask for it.

3. **Include God in your life:** A person needs to be aware of how God is working in their life. God works in mysterious ways and the answers He provides might not be that obvious. An individual must be aware of God's presence when they are dealing with their fears and anxieties.

4. **Be open-minded with God:** Some people think that the answers that God provides must be religious in nature. That is not always the case. These answers could involve basic psychology and cognitive techniques that deals with how to manage fear and anxiety. Do not be quick to dismiss basic psychological techniques that could be a factor in your recovery.

5. **Continue to pray and talk to God:** Talk to God as if you were talking to a friend. Be persistent and be open in the avenues that God may provide to you in solving your problems. It is not always easy dealing with the fear of the unknown, however God is in control and He will help you if you ask for assistance.

6. **Talk to a priest or minister:** If you are having trouble, talk to a member of the clergy to help reduce your fears and anxieties. A priest or minister will be able to provide you with additional advice and insights on how to deal with your current problem. By talking to someone, a person will be able to improve their mental health in the long run. Remember that it never hurts to ask for help when it comes to relieving your anxieties and depression.

7. **Prayer works:** There are many inspirational magazines and books on how people were helped through the power of prayer. Read some articles to get an idea on how effective prayer can be in your life. Never doubt the power of God when it comes to dealing with life's challenges. God can help you get your life back on track.

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# QUINN MINUTE – SPECIAL ABILITIES

by Rix Quinn

I've always been jealous of people who discover their talents early. There was this kid in my middle school class named Karen. She drew nature scenes better than anybody. Any time the school needed pictures of flowers, vegetables, baked goods – or even background scenery for school plays – they called on Karen. Sadly, she left school because the family moved back to their home state.

We often asked ourselves: Why did she have to leave? Did she branch out into other types of art? Then, there was the big question: If she specialized in painting bread only, could she make a lot of dough?

A guy named Charlie could swallow air, then burp for up to 45 seconds (we timed him). He saved his most spectacular outbursts for the cavernous auditorium. The sound echoed throughout the seats, and students broke into applause. Charlie even bet several people that he could recite the alphabet in one burp. He mostly won, but occasionally ran out of gas at “w.”

Dan – who moved out of town in fifth grade – brought his pet parakeet Gertrude to show-and-tell. He asked the bird questions, and Gertrude replied with short answers. Dan even entered her in the talent show, which Gertrude won by singing “Surfer Bird.” But during that performance, a teacher noticed that the bird's mouth never moved.

It turned out the real Gertrude had flown away, and this bird was a silent imposter. Dan spent so much time training the parakeet, he became a first-rate ventriloquist. The judges disqualified the bird imposter for singing. But they awarded Dan a special recognition for Fowl Sounds.

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## GETTING AROUND BY BIKE: A GUIDE FOR MULTI-MODAL TRIPS

by Cyclo Pete

Happy trails, Woodsiders! It's Bike Month and for this column I want to focus on the exciting opportunity to work a bike trip into your daily routine. And being as we recently had Bike-To-Work Day, this is as good a day as any to think about how you can bike to work this month or any month. Let's roll!

What is a multi-modal trip?

Put simply, a multimodal trip is one in which you use more than one mode of transportation. This also relates to the more modern concept of Mobility-as-a-service, which for our purposes of biking is useful because there's a half dozen trip planning apps that can recommend bike rides as part of a longer trip! I wouldn't recommend one over the other because they're all useful and fun to play around with to change up your commute. I'm sure you've seen straphangers with a bike helmet hanging from their bag. They are probably on your subway or bus as one leg of their multi-modal trip!

Plan a multi-modal trip

Many of us Woodsiders live along one of the most limited subway lines in the system. Don't get me wrong, I love the 7 train, I grew up on the 7 (and the Green Line bus), but if you can avoid a transfer at the beginning or end of your route, it may save you time and stress! Is there a short leg of your trip where a bike might meet your need? Think about biking to/from the ferry, or to the EFR at Queens Plaza, or take the 7 into the city and bike the rest of the way to your office or next meeting. Just hang your helmet on your bag, pack your hi-viz, and you're good to go.

Have you biked to work this month? What if biking to work didn't mean *biking all the way to work*? One of the main reasons biking is at an all-time high in our area and in our city is because of the ease of access to bikes and safe bike lanes and the myriad types of trips people can take on them. Consider a multi-modal trip in what is left of Bike Month, and whether you get out this month or any time this summer, ride safe, Woodside!

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The Community Council meets once every month on the last Tuesday of each month. (Except in July, August, and December) All are welcome to attend the meetings. We provide community updates and crime stat reports.

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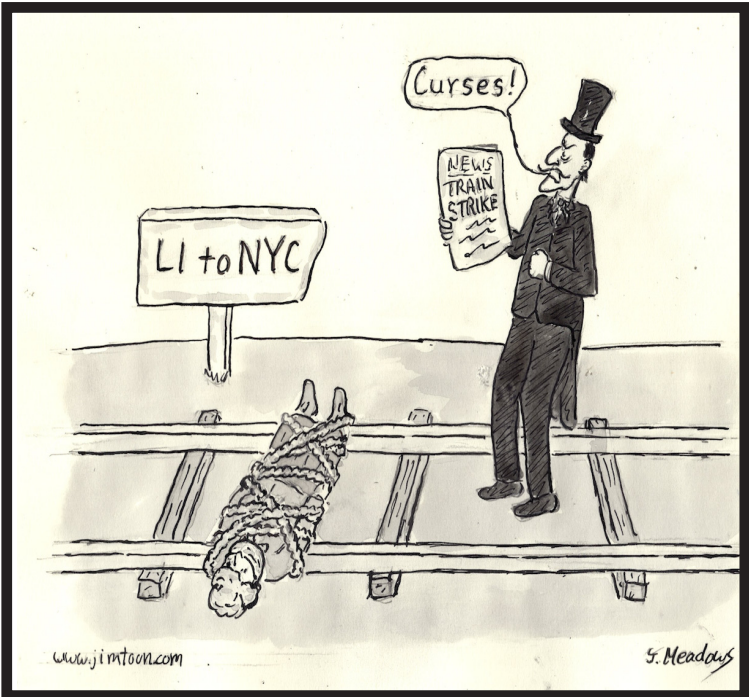


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File No.: 2024-2800/A

CITATION  
THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE  
OF NEW YORK

BY THE GRACE OF GOD, FREE  
AND INDEPENDENT

To:  
Michelle O'Malley,  
Michael Cusick,  
NYS Department Taxation &  
Finance,

Attorney General of the State of  
New York

The unknown distributees,  
legatees, devisees, heirs at law and  
assignees of Diane M. Colone,  
deceased, or their estates, if any  
there be, whose names, places of  
residence and post office addresses  
are unknown to the petitioner and  
cannot with due diligence be  
ascertained

Being the persons interested as  
creditors, legatees, distributees or  
otherwise in the Estate of Diane  
M. Colone, deceased, who at the  
time of death was a resident of 77-  
40 74th Street, Glendale, NY  
11385, in the County of Queens,  
State of New York.

SEND GREETING:  
Upon the petition of LOIS M.  
ROSENBLATT, Public

Administrator of Queens County,  
who maintains her office at 88-11  
Sutphin Boulevard, Jamaica,  
Queens County, New York 11435,  
as Administrator of the Estate of  
Diane M. Colone, deceased, you  
and each of you are hereby cited to  
show cause before the Surrogate  
at the Surrogate's Court of the  
County of Queens, to be held at  
the Queens General Courthouse,  
6<sup>th</sup> Floor, 88-11 Sutphin  
Boulevard, Jamaica, City and State  
of New York, on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of  
July, 2026 at 9:30 o'clock in the  
forenoon, why the Account of

Proceedings of the Public  
Administrator of Queens County,  
as Administrator of the Estate of  
said deceased, a copy of which is  
attached, should not be judicially  
settled, and why the Surrogate  
should not fix and allow a  
reasonable amount of  
compensation to GERARD J.  
SWEENEY, ESQ., for legal  
services rendered to petitioner  
herein in the amount of  
\$265,728.93 and that the Court fix  
the fair and reasonable additional  
fee for any services to be rendered  
by GERARD J. SWEENEY, ESQ.,  
hereafter in connection with  
proceedings on kinship, claims  
etc., prior to entry of a final Decree  
on this accounting in the amount  
of 1.5% of assets or income  
collected after the date of the  
within accounting; and why the  
Surrogate should not fix and allow  
an amount equal to one percent on  
said Schedules of the total assets  
on Schedules A, A1, and A2 plus  
any additional monies received  
subsequent to the date of this  
account, as the fair and reasonable  
amount payable to the Office of  
the Public Administrator for the  
expenses of said office pursuant  
to S.C.P.A. §1106(3); and why  
each of you claiming to be a  
distributee of the decedent should  
not establish proof of your kinship;

and why the balance of said funds  
should not be paid to said alleged  
distributees upon proof of kinship,  
or deposited with the  
Commissioner of Finance of the  
City of New York should said  
alleged distributees default herein,  
or fail to establish proof of kinship,  
Dated, Attested and Sealed  
20<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2026

HON. CASSANDRA A.  
JOHNSON

Surrogate, Queens County  
Janet Edwards Tucker  
Chief Clerk

GERARD J. SWEENEY, ESQ.  
(718) 459-9000

100 Jericho Quadrangle, Suite 328  
Jericho, New York 11753

NOTICE: THIS CITATION IS  
SERVED UPON YOU AS  
REQUIRED BY LAW. YOU  
ARE NOT REQUIRED TO  
APPEAR; HOWEVER, IF YOU  
FAIL TO APPEAR IT WILL BE  
ASSUMED YOU DO NOT  
OBJECT TO THE RELIEF  
REQUESTED. YOU HAVE A  
RIGHT TO HAVE AN  
ATTORNEY APPEAR FOR  
YOU, AND YOU OR YOUR  
ATTORNEY MAY REQUEST A  
COPY OF THE FULL ACCOUNT  
FROM THE PETITIONER OR  
PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY

Accounting Citation  
5/22/26, 5/29/26, 6/4/26, 6/12/26



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# FLAG DAY PARADE



## June 13<sup>th</sup>

**FLAG DAY**



**11:00 AM along Greenpoint Avenue  
From 40<sup>th</sup> Street to 48<sup>th</sup> Street**

**Celebration at Veterans Memorial Plaza  
Sabba Park on Queens Blvd. at 49<sup>th</sup> Street**

**For more information and to have your group  
participate in the parade, please call (646) 730-1394  
Or contact us at [sunnysidekiwanis@gmail.com](mailto:sunnysidekiwanis@gmail.com)**

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