

## **Important Notice**

# Roosevelt Island Bridge Over the East Channel of the East River HBM1117

Manhattan/Queens CB #8M & CB #1Q September 2011

### **Intermittent 15 Minute Full Bridge Closure**

Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

#### **United Nations General Assembly**

From September 18 through September 26, the U.S. Coast Guard will close the main navigational channel of the East River between Manhattan and Roosevelt Island and divert all marine traffic to the Roosevelt Island Chanel between Roosevelt Island and Queens. To permit marine traffic to pass, the New York City Department of Transportation will close the Roosevelt Island Bridge, as needed, for up to 15 minutes between 7: 00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. to permit marine traffic to pass.

During the bridge closure, it will be closed to all vehicular, pedestrian and bicycle traffic. A Variable Message Board will inform the public of the closures and Traffic Enforcement Agents will assist in traffic control at Vernon Blvd and 36<sup>th</sup> Avenue. Emergency service providers have been informed of the special operational schedule.

#### FOR MORE INFORMATION

Questions regarding the bridge closure may be addressed to Fred Herschkowitz, Community Liaison, at 212-839-6307 or <a href="mailto:fherschkowitz@dot.nyc.gov">fherschkowitz@dot.nyc.gov</a>. For all NYC non-emergency services, including inquiries regarding NYCDOT projects, dial 311. Please be prepared to give your name, your borough, and the project number: <a href="mailto:hBM1117">HBM1117</a> to be correctly routed to the project management team.

