

# WEEKLY INCIDENT BRIEF - COVID-19 10/13/2020 – 10/19/20

## **Incident Summary**

NYC Emergency Management continues to coordinate with our partners at the City, State, and Federal levels as well as the private sector in response to COVID-19. Additionally:

- Per <u>CDC guidance</u>, employers should not require a positive COVID-19 test result or a
  healthcare provider's note for employees who are sick to validate their illness, qualify for sick
  leave, or to return to work.
- Governor Cuomo <u>released a guide</u> to the state's "NY Forward Reopening" Plan.
- Information about reopening and Phase 4 guidance New York City can be found here.
- Governor Cuomo announced the implementation of a new <u>early warning dashboard</u> to monitor and review how the virus is being contained on an ongoing basis.

There are no specific vaccines or treatments available for this novel coronavirus, or any other coronavirus. However, medication and vaccine research continues.

## **Overview**

Situational Overview				
NYCEM Operations Center Activation Level	I			
Declaration in Effect	New York City is now in Phase Four of reopening.			
Alternate Side Parking & Street Cleaning	Alternate Side Parking Schedule			

## **Stakeholder Calls**

Organizer	Date and Time	Details
NYCEM & DOHMH	Wednesday October 14 1:00PM	Weekly Private Sector COVID-19 Webex <u>Event Access Here</u>
SBS	Multiple dates	Resources to Successfully Reopen Your Business Select a day and register
CISA & NSCAM	Multiple dates	Cybersecurity for Business Owners Select an event and register

#### **Weather Outlook**

Daily Temperature Forecast For Central Park (10028) as of Tue 10/13 09:00 AM								
	Tue 10/13	Wed 10/14	Thu 10/15	Fri 10/16	Sat 10/17	Sun 10/18	Mon 10/19	Tue 10/20
Max Temp (F)	63	69	72	67	60	63	66	70
Min Temp (F)	52	58	58	49	50	54	56	52
Weather	Rainy	Sunny	Mostly sunny	Chance storms	Mostly sunny	Cloudy	Mostly sunny	Sunny

## October is Cyber Security Awareness Month

- The Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA) has many resources to help you secure your internet-connected devices, including:
  - Internet of Things Overview
  - Cybersecurity at Work
  - Protecting Your Digital Home
- The Center for Cyber Safety and Education has developed <u>Garfield Virtual</u>, an educational
  entertainment program that companies can use as an employee benefit. Companies that take a
  proactive approach to cybersecurity and educating employees and their families will have a
  safer and more secure working environment.

### **NYCEM Request for Proposals**

NYC Emergency Management is encouraging you to apply to the newly released Strengthening communities through Recovery COVID-19 grant opportunity.

Any interested community leader or community emergency networks that serves one of the below communities should apply. A community emergency network is a group or coalition that consists of nonprofit, community, and faith-based organizations that are organized around an issue important to their community such as climate change, gun violence, housing, disability rights, among others.

This Small Purchase RFP is specifically seeking proposers serving in one of the following communities:

https://www1.nyc.gov/site/em/about/contractingopportunities.page#strengthening\_communities\_through\_recovery

Proposals and questions about the RFP process should be emailed to Abdul Washington at procurement@oem.nyc.gov.

#### Resources

- DOHMH Coronavirus Updates
- COVID-19 Testing
- COVID-19 Travel Advisory
- New York State: Statewide Guidelines
- DOHMH Emergency Preparedness for Communities and Businesses
- FDNY -Guidance for Opening Businesses Safely
- NYCEM Business Plan Templates
- NYCEM Business Resources and Programs
- NYC Nonprofits Business Continuity During COVID-19
- SBA COVID-19 Resources
- CDC Interim Guidance for Businesses and Employers
- CDC Information for Communities, Schools, and Businesses
- CDC Environmental Cleaning and Disinfection Recommendations Community Facilities

- DOL Guidance for Preparing Workplaces for Coronavirus
- DOL OHSA Resources for Workers and Employers on COVID-19
- WHO Get Your Workplace Ready for COVID-19
- CISA Risk Management for COVID-19
- EPA Disinfectants for Use Against COVID-19
- FEMA COVID-19 Response
- FEMA COVID-19 Rumor Control

## **Transportation Outlook**

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International Alerts	See the CDC's current risk assessment levels by country			
Road Construction	This traffic alert details road construction and other events that will affect the flow of traffic this week			
MTA Maintenance	Information about scheduled maintenance and construction on MTA Bridges and Tunnels can be found on the MTA Web site.			
II and Clocures	Lane closings may occur due to circumstances beyond DOT's control. Schedules are subject to change due to inclement weather, security alerts and other emergencies. For up-to-the-minute information, visit 511NY, New York State's official traffic and travel information source.			









