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DSNY Conducts Annual Snow Drill

WHAT: In preparation for the snow season, the New York City Department of Sanitation

will be conducting our annual snow drill. During the drill, residents may see snow

fighting equipment in the street.

WHEN: Begins December 6 at 4 p.m.

Ends December 7 at 4 p.m.

WHERE: Citywide

About the New York City Department of Sanitation

The Department of Sanitation (DSNY) promotes a healthy environment through the efficient management of solid waste and the development of environmentally sound long-range planning for handling refuse, including recyclables. The Department operates 59 district garages and manages a fleet of more than 2,000 rear-loading collection trucks, 450 mechanical brooms and 500 salt/sand spreaders. The Department clears litter, snow and ice from approximately 6,500 miles of City streets and removes debris from vacant lots as well as abandoned vehicles from City streets.