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PLANNING DESKS

“SNOW AND TELL” WITH DSNY NYC Department of Sanitation Hosts Media Info Session on Snow Operations

WHAT: The NYC Department of Sanitation will host an educational event for the media explaining our snow operations. The Department will explain what we do and how we work while in snow fighting mode. Additionally, our snow fighting equipment will be on display.

Subjects include:

- Sectoring – no longer a reason to use the word “tertiary”
- Salt spreaders - when do they start working?
- Snow plows – what do you mean they don’t scrape the street?
- When will my trash and recycling get picked up?
- Resident responsibilities – the “when” and “where” of sidewalk snow shoveling

WHO: Sanitation Commissioner Kathryn Garcia and DSNY snow fighters will host

WHEN: Tuesday, November 19
10:30 a.m.

WHERE: DSNY Garage at the corner of Spring Street and West Street (353 Spring Street)
Enter through lobby/main entrance on corner

VISUALS: DSNY snow fighting equipment, including plow, salt spreader, skid steer, haulster, a snow melter, brine truck and other equipment

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 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.