



## Important Notice

# United Nations General Assembly Sessions Affecting Roosevelt Island Bridge Over the East Channel of the East River HBM1117

Community Boards: Manhattan No. 8 and Queens No. 1

September 2010

### **Intermittent 15 Minute Full Bridge Closure** **Monday, September 20 through** **Sunday, September 26** **7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.**

From September 20 through September 26 the New York City Department of Transportation will, when necessary, perform up to 15 minute closings of the Roosevelt Island Bridge between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. The bridge will be closed to all vehicular, pedestrian and bicycle traffic. This procedure is in accord with the United States Coast Guard operational requirements that the main navigational channel of the East River between Manhattan and Roosevelt Island be closed during the UN General Assembly. The Coast Guard will divert all marine traffic to the Roosevelt Island Channel between Roosevelt Island and Queens. Variable Message Boards 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. Ambulances will be stationed on Roosevelt Island should off-island medical care be necessary.

#### **FOR MORE INFORMATION**

Questions regarding the bridge closure may be addressed to Fred Herschkowitz, Community Liaison at 212-839-6307 or [fherschkowitz@dot.nyc.gov](mailto:fherschkowitz@dot.nyc.gov). You may visit the NYCDOT website at [www.nyc.gov/dot](http://www.nyc.gov/dot), or call the New York City Government Services and Information Hotline at **311**. Please be prepared to give your name, your borough, and the project number: **HBM1117** to be correctly routed to the project management team.



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