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## Health

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WITH COVID, RSV, AND FLU CASES ON THE RISE, NEW YORK CITY PUBLIC HOSPITALS ARE REQUIRING PEOPLE TO MASK UP AGAIN. HEALTH COMMISSIONER DR. ASHWIN VASAN MADE THE ANNOUNCEMENT TODAY, SAYING THE REQUIREMENT IS ONLY FOR AREAS WHERE PATIENTS ARE BEING TREATED. THE MANDATE AFFECTS ALL 11 OF THE PUBLIC HOSPITALS, AND THE HEALTH CLINICS AND NURSING HOMES RUN BY NYC HEALTH AND HOSPITALS. DR. VASAN SAYS IT'S ABOUT KEEPING HEALTH OFFICIALS SAFE AND REMINDING PEOPLE WHO FEEL SICK THAT THE MOST IMPORTANT STEP IS TO STAY HOME.

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A DEPARTMENT-WIDE DIRECTIVE ISSUED FRIDAY TELLS ALL FIRE TRUCK AND AMBULANCE PERSONNEL TO MASK UP WHILE PROVIDING PATIENT CARE BECAUSE OF THE INCREASING NUMBERS OF COVID AND RESPIRATORY VIRUS CASES. UNDER THE NEW RULES -- ALL RESPONDERS WHO PROVIDE PRE-HOSPITAL CARE WILL HAVE TO WEAR A MASK, PREFERABLY AN N-95. THE ORDER FOLLOWS A JANUARY FIRST MASK MANDATE IN ALL CITY PUBLIC HOSPITALS, MEDICAL CLINICS AND NURSING HOMES...AND THE F-D-N-Y SEZ IT'S FOLLOWING THE HOSPITAL RULES.

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GOVERNOR MURPHY... HAS SIGNED INTO LAW... THE "FEMININE HYGIENE PRODUCTS FOR THE HOMELESS ACT". THIS REQUIRES HOMELESS SHELTERS IN NEW JERSEY.. TO THOSE ITEMS IN STOCK. EIKO LA-BORIA... IS THE FOUNDER OF THE "FLOW INITIATIVE"... WHICH SEEKS TO ADDRESS WHAT HAS BECOME KNOWN.. AS "PERIOD POVERTY"..THE NEW LAW... ADDS TO A LIST OF WOMEN'S HEALTH LEGISLATION ENACTED IN RECENT YEARS IN NEW JERSEY... INCLUDING THE EXPANSION OF ACCESS OF DOULAS FOR PREGNANT WOMEN... AND A REQUIREMENT FOR ALL \*SCHOOLS\*.... TO STOCK TAMPONS AND PADS.

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SOME INTERESTING RESULTS FROM SOME NEW RESEARCH ON MULTIVITAMINS... OUT OF MASSACHUSETTS-GENERAL IN BOSTON. IT FOUNDS THOSE ADULTS.. AGE 60 AND OLDER.. WHO TOOK A DAILY MULTIVITAMIN FOR TWO YEARS... DID BETTER ON MEMORY AND COGNITIVE TESTS.. THAN THOSE WHO TOOK A PLACEBO.

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MIDDLE AGED WOMEN WHO WANT TO STAY HEALTHY SHOULD EAT MORE PLANT-BASED PROTEIN. THAT'S ACCORDING TO A STUDY FROM RESEARCHERS AT TUFTS UNIVERSITY... WHO LOOKED AT DATA FROM NEARLY 4-THOUSAND WOMEN. THE ONES WHO ATE MORE PLANT PROTEIN WERE MORE LIKELY TO BE FREE FROM CHRONIC DISEASES LIKE CANCER, TYPE 2 DIABETES, AND HEART DISEASE. THEY WERE

ALSO MORE LIKELY TO HAVE BETTER PHYSICAL FUNCTION AND GOOD MENTAL HEALTH. ANIMAL AND DAIRY PROTEINS WERE NOT SHOWN TO PROVIDE THE SAME LEVEL OF BENEFITS.

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NEW YORK STATE SENATOR BRAD HOYLMAN-SIGAL HAS INTRODUCED A BILL -- TO MAKE ANTI-VIRAL TREATMENT FOR COVID-19, LIKE PAXLOVID -- FREE FOR ALL NEW YORKERS WHO ARE COVERED BY MEDICAID OR PRIVATE INSURANCE. THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ENDED ITS POLICY OF PROVIDING FREE TREATMENT FOR COVID BACK IN NOVEMBER. WHILE PAXLOVID WILL BE FREE FOR THE REST OF THE YEAR FOR PEOPLE ON MEDICARE AND MEDICAID, SOME NEW YORKERS COVERED BY PRIVATE INSURANCE HAVE TO PAY OUT OF POCKET ... AND IT ISN'T CHEAP EVEN WITH CO-PAY ASSISTANCE FROM PFIZER, PATIENTS COULD STILL BE STUCK WITH A CO-PAY OF UP TO \$140.

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LONELINESS --AND SOCIAL ISOLATION ARE AMONG THE GREATEST RISK FACTORS OF DEATH AMONG PEOPLE WITH OBESITY --FIXING THAT, CAN HELP INCREASE LIFE EXPECTANCY. THE CDC SAYS OBESITY CAN LEAD TO TYPE 2 DIABETES, HEART DISEASE, AND SOME CANCERS

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A NEW STUDY SAYS LARGE WAREHOUSES CREATE A TON OF POLLUTION.. AND APPARENTLY A QUARTER OF NEW YORK RESIDENTS.. LIVE WITHIN A HALF-MILE OF ONE. THE REPORT FROM THE 'ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE FUND' SAYS THE POLLUTION MOSTLY COMES FROM THOSE TRUCKS DRIVING IN AND OUT. AND EXPERTS SAY THE MAJORITY OF THE WAREHOUSES IN THE CITY... ARE IN BROOKLYN, QUEENS, AND THE BRONX... IN AREAS THAT DISPROPORTIONATELY AFFECT BLACK AND BROWN NEW YORKERS. THE STUDY ALSO FINDS THAT ILLNESSES.. LIKE CHILDHOOD ASTHMA.. IS ON THE RISE IN THOSE SAME AREAS.

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THE CITY HEALTH DEPARTMENT... NOW TESTING THE WATER AT THE LANGSTON HUGHES HOUSES IN BROWNSVILLE. THAT'S AFTER 2-RESIDENTS WERE DIAGNOSED WITH LEGIONNAIRES' DISEASE. THEY SAY TENANTS HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED.. AND THEY ARE PROVIDING GUIDANCE ON HOW TO PREVENT EXPOSURE.

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700-NURSES... WHO WORK AT 2-HOSPITALS ON LONG ISLAND...? SIGN OFF... ON A STRIKE. THE MEMBERS OF THE NEW YORK STATE NURSES ASSOCIATION WORK AT BOTH LONG ISLAND JEWISH/VALLEY STREAM AND THE PECONIC BAY MEDICAL CENTER. THEIR CONTRACT EXPIRED ON DECEMBER 31... AND THEY'VE YET TO INK A NEW DEAL. THE MAIN STICKING POINTS? COMPETITIVE WAGES, BENEFITS AND STAFF TO PATIENT RATIOS. THE UNION SAYS THERE'S NO TIMEFRAME FOR A WALKOUT...NORTHWELL HEALTH -- SAYS IT WILL CONTINUE TO BARGAIN IN GOOD FAITH.

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A NEW AUDIT... FINDS THE CITY PROGRAM DESIGNED TO HELP HOMELESS NEW YORKERS WITH SEVERE MENTAL ILLNESS... IS LETTING MANY... FALL THROUGH THE CRACKS.... IN A STATEMENT, THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT SAID WHILE MOST OF THE SUGGESTIONS ARE AGREEABLE... SEVERAL FAIL TO CAPTURE THE BREADTH OF I-M-T WORK, WHICH IS LARGELY ROOTED IN OUTREACH EFFORTS. THEY SAY THEY ARE REVIEWING THE WAY THE PROGRAM'S SUCCESS IS MEASURED.

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THE CITY COUNCIL... TO VOTE TODAY... ON LEGISLATION DESIGNED TO HELP YOU AND ME... LIVE A LONG, HEALTHY LIFE. QUEENS COUNCILWOMAN LYNN SCHULMAN... THE LEGISLATION IS A 5-YEAR HEALTH AGENDA... THAT WOULD BE REVISED EVERY 5-YEARS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH... BASED ON INPUT FROM VARIOUS GROUPS. LIFE EXPECTANCY HAS DROPPED DRAMATICALLY... FROM 82.6 YEARS IN 2019 TO 78-YEARS IN 2020... BUT THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT SAYS THAT WAS NOT EXPERIENCED EQUALLY AMONG ALL NEW YORKERS.THE LARGEST DECREASES WERE AMONG BLACK AND LATINO RESIDENTS, WITH THE PANDEMIC... WORSENING ALREADY EXISTING DISPARITIES.

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THE FAMILIES OF 9/11 FIRST RESPONDERS AND 9/11 VICTIMS... HAVE BEEN TRYING TO GET DATA ON THE DEADLY TOXINS THAT WERE IN THE AIR AT GROUND ZERO AFTER 9/11... BUT A REQUEST PUT IN BY THEIR LAWYERS TO TWO CITY AGENCIES... HAVE BEEN FLATLY DENIED. THE ATTORNEYS PUT IN FREEDOM OF INFORMATION LAW REQUESTS TO CITY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AND THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DEPARTMENT... BOTH SAID THEY HAVE NO DATA ON THE TOXINS IN THE AIR AFTER 9/11. THE FAMILIES ARE CALLING THAT CLAIM PREPOSTEROUS... ONE OF THE ATTORNEYS SAYS HE IS STUNNED THAT THE CITY WOULD CLAIM IT HAS NO RECORDS ABOUT THE AIR AFTER THE TERROR ATTACKS.BUT THE TWO AGENCIES CLOSED OUT THE REQUESTS LAST MONTH WITHOUT PROVIDING ANY INFORMATION.ONE CITY OFFICIAL SAID UNCOVERING THE PAPERWORK HAS POSED A CHALLENGE BECAUSE MANY DOCUMENTS AT THE TIME WERE NOT DIGITIZED... AND IT REQUIRES THE AGENCIES TO DIG INTO DECADES-OLD PAPER RECORDS. THE FAMILIES STILL HAVE FOIL REQUESTS IN TO OTHER CITY AGENCIES.

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AS THE IVF CRISIS HEATS UP IN ALABAMA...THAT'S BERGEN COUNTY COMMISSIONER MARY AMOROSO.... WHO JOINED CONGRESSMAN JOSH GOTTHEIMER... WHO IS INTRODUCING LEGISLATION ON THE FEDERAL LEVEL... TO PROTECT THE RIGHT TO I-V-F TREATMENT...A JUDGE IN ALABAMA RECENTLY RULED THAT EMBRYOS ARE PEOPLE. THAT COULD MEAN WOMEN, THEIR HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS... AND EVEN COMPANIES THAT SHIP & STORE FROZEN EMBRYOS COULD BE PROSECUTED... IF ANY EMBRYO... FAILS TO REMAIN VIABLE.

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AS MOUNT SINAI LOOKS TO CLOSE BETH ISRAEL.... WORD, NOW... THAT THE HOSPITAL WILL NO LONGER BE SERVICING CARDIAC AND STROKE PATIENTS. GOTHAMIST GOT HOLD OF AN INTERNAL FDNY MEMO... THAT SAYS IF SOMEONE IS HAVING A STROKE OR A HEART ATTACK... AMBULANCES SHOULD NOT GO THERE. COUNCILWOMAN CARLINA RIVERA REPRESENTS THE AREA... and spoke to 1010wins... THE HOSPITAL NOTES THAT ANY CARDIAC OR STROKE PATIENTS THAT SHOW UP TO THE E-R... WILL BE STABILIZED... THEN TRANSFERRED TO ANOTHER HOSPITAL. MEANWHILE... IT'S NOT CLEAR IF THEY CAN ACTUALLY DO THIS. WHEN THE HOSPITAL ISSUED A MEMO LAST NOVEMBER... SAYING THEY WOULD BE REDUCING SERVICES... THEY WERE ORDERED NOT TO DO ANYTHING... WITHOUT APPROVAL FROM THE STATE HEALTH DEPARTMENT... AND THE STATE SUPREME COURT.

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HOW FUN WOULD THIS BE: A 4-DAY WORKWEEK... INSTEAD OF five? BERNIE SANDERS WANTS TO MAKE THAT HAPPEN...THE VERMONT SENATOR HELD A COMMITTEE HEARING YESTERDAY TO TALK ABOUT HIS BILL... THAT WOULD ALLOW FOR A 32-HOUR WORK DAY IN THE U-S... WITHOUT REDUCING YOUR SALARY.... THE BILL WOULD PHASE IN A 32-HOUR WORK WEEK OVER A PERIOD OF 4-YEARS... WHILE ALSO MAKING SEVERAL CHANGES TO OVERTIME REQUIREMENTS. SUPPORTERS.... SAY IT WOULD GO A LONG WAY IN LETTING FOLKS RETIRE WITH FEWER HEALTH PROBLEMS. OPPONENTS... SAY IT COULD DESTROY SOME COMPANIES... WHO WOULD HAVE HIRE MORE WORKERS TO PICK THE SLACK... AND THAT THE ADDED COST... COULD EVENTUALLY LEAD TO LAYOFFS.

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NEARLY TWO DOZEN HOME HEALTH CARE WORKERS WILL GO ON A HUNGER STRIKE TODAY IN AN EFFORT TO GET THE CITY COUNCIL TO PASS A BILL ENDING 24 HOUR SHIFTS. JUN CHANG WITH THE CHINESE STAFF AND WORKERS ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED THE STRIKE...HE TELLS US THAT THE SHIFTS ARE KILLING THE HEATH AIDES...A BILL TO BAN THE PRACTICE WAS FIRST INTRODUCED TWO YEARS AGO. OPPONENTS OF THE PLAN SAY REPLACING 24 HOUR SHIFTS WITH TWO, 12 HOUR SHIFTS WILL DOUBLE THE COST CARE.

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THOUSANDS OF NEW YORK HEALTHCARE WORKERS WILL MARCH TODAY IN THE CITY, LONG ISLAND, and WESTCHESTER... AND 4-AREAS UPSTATE... TO PROTEST GOVERNOR HOCHUL'S PROPOSED BUDGET. THEY SAY HEALTHCARE CUTS & MEDICAID FUNDING SHORTFALLS... WOULD WORSEN EXISTING DISPARITIES, AND SHUT DOWN MORE HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS. HELEN SCHAUB IS THE INTERIM POLITICAL DIRECTOR AT 11-99 S-E-I-U...THE GOVERNOR SAYS, OVER THE LAST 3-YEARS, THE STATE'S

MEDICAID SPENDING IS UP 40-PERCENT, AND THEY'RE TRYING TO FIND WAYS NOW.... TO SAVE MORE THAN A BILLION DOLLARS.

## **Electric Bikes**

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FDNY COMMISSIONER LAURA KAVANAUGH IS BACK IN WASHINGTON TODAY...GETTING IN AS MANY "GRILLS" AS SHE CAN...TO MAKE A CASE FOR DOING SOMETHING ABOUT LITHIUM-ION BATTERIES. SHE SAYS, "HELLO...WE'VE GOT A CRISIS HERE IN NEW YORK...AND NOT TO MENTION COUNTLESS CITIES ACROSS AMERICA..KAVANAUGH..SPEAKING AT THE U.S. CONFERENCE OF MAYORS..ON A PANEL CALLED "BATTERY SAFETY: MANAGING THE FIRE RISKS OF LITHIUM-ION BATTERIES.

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A CITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE WILL HOLD A HEARING TODAY ON SAFETY PROPOSALS... FOR BUSINESSES THAT USE E-BIKES.. POWERED BY LITHIUM-ION BATTERIES. THE BATTERIES HAVE BEEN BLAMED FOR A LONG LIST OF FIRES AROUND THE FIVE BOROUGHES OVER THE PAST COUPLE OF YEARS... A NUMBER OF THEM DEADLY. PROPOSALS UNDER CONSIDERATION IN THE COUNCIL INCLUDE ONE THAT WOULD REQUIRE SAFETY CHECKS FOR LITHIUM-ION BATTERIES BEFORE THEY'RE SOLD... AND ANOTHER THAT WOULD REQUIRE BUSINESSES THAT SELL THEM.. TO BE CERTIFIED BY THE CITY.

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THERE HAVE BEEN HUNDREDS OF FIRES IN THE CITY --LINKED TO LITHIUM ION BATTERIES.THE FDNY HAS TRIED TO CRACK DOWN --TO GET BOGUS BATTERIES OFF THE STREETS. AND IN DOING THAT WORK -- THEY FOUND A FACTORY PUMPING OUT BAD BATTERIES IN QUEENS. REPORTER GLENN SCHUCK WITH THE STORY

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CRUISE SHIPS THAT DOCK IN THE CITY -- CAUSE POLLUTION, CONGESTION, AND NOISE -- THOSE ARE SOME OF THE CONCERNS -- AT THE CENTER OF LEGISLATION BEING CONSIDERED IN THE CITY COUNCIL TODAY -- THAT WOULD PUT NEW CONDITIONS -- ON CRUISE SHIPS THAT DOCK AT TERMINALS HERE. CITY COUNCILMEMBER "ALEXA AVILES" REPRESENTS RED HOOK -- HOME OF THE BROOKLYN CRUISE TERMINAL --SHE SAYS SHE DRAFTED THE BILL -- BECAUSE HER COMMUNITY SEES THE IMPACTS FIRST-HAND: THE BILL WOULD REQUIRE CRUISE SHIPS TO USE THE CITY'S ELECTRICAL GRID -- INSTEAD OF KEEPING THEIR ENGINES RUNNING --

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ONE OF THE PROPOSED MEASURES WOULD REQUIRE ALL BUSINESSES THAT SELL E-BIKES, SCOOTERS AND SIMILAR VEHICLES... TO POST INFORMATION ON BATTERY STORAGE SAFETY... BOTH ONLINE AND AT THEIR STORES. THE OTHER WOULD STRENGTHEN LAWS THAT PROHIBIT BUSINESSES FROM SELLING BATTERIES THAT FAIL TO MEET SAFETY STANDARDS. THE RULES WERE PROPOSED IN THE WAKE OF A STRING OF DEVASTATING FIRES IN THE CITY... CAUSED BY LITHIUM-ION BATTERIES... THE SAME ONES USED TO POWER E-BIKES.

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NEW YORK CITY OFFICIALS... UNVEIL A NEW E-BIKE SAFETY CAMPAIGN... WHICH COMES... WITH A WARNING. NYPD CHIEF OF TRANSPORTATION... PHILIP RIVERA SAYS THE CRACKDOWN WILL INCLUDE UNREGISTERED EBIKES... RIDERS NOT WEARING THE PROPER PROTECTIVE GEAR... AS WELL AS THOSE WHO DON'T OBEY TRAFFIC LAWS. THE NEW "GET SMART BEFORE YOU START" CAMPAIGN... WILL INCLUDE RADIO, TV, PRINT, SOCIAL MEDIA, AND SUBWAY ADS... AS WELL AS MESSAGE ON THE LINKNYC KIOSKS. E-BIKE CRASHES ARE ACTUALLY DOWN SO FAR THIS YEAR... BUT OFFICIALS SAY -- STILL... THEY ACCOUNT FOR MORE THAN 75-PERCENT... OF ALL DEADLY BIKE CRASHES.

## **Middle East**

*The events in the Middle East are local stories in NYC. The five boros are home to millions of Jews and people with roots in the region. 1010 WINS aired more than 100 stories from or about the region and its local impact.*

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THE CONFLICT IS FAR FROM OVER.... BUT ISRAEL -- DRAWS DOWN SOME OF ITS FORCES IN GAZA. THIS COMES.... AS THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN URGING ISRAEL TO BE SURGICAL IN TARGETING HAMAS.... WITH THE IDF REPORTEDLY HAVING SUCCESS DISMANTLING HAMAS... IN THE NORTH...

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CONCERNS, NOW... THAT THE ISRAEL-HAMAS WAR... COULD ADD HEZBULLAH TO THE MIX. THAT'S AFTER A SENIOR HAMAS LEADER WAS KILLED IN AN AIRSTRIKE IN BEIRUT. ISRAEL HAS REFUSED TO COMMENT ON REPORTS THAT IT WAS BEHIND THE STRIKE... WITH THE HEAD OF ISRAEL'S MOSSAD INTELLIGENCE SERVICE... SAYING ONLY... THAT THE AGENCY WILL CONTINUE TO HUNT DOWN EVERY HAMAS MEMBER INVOLVED IN THE OCTOBER 7TH ATTACK. MEANWHILE... A SECRET OPERATION TOOK PLACE IN GAZA EARLIER THIS WEEK, TO RESCUE THE MOTHER... AND AMERICAN UNCLE... OF A U-S SERVICEMEMBER.

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ONTO THE WAR IN GAZA, NOW...THE ISRAELI MILITARY.. SAYS it's FOUND EVIDENCE... THAT HAMAS HAS BEEN HOLDING HOSTAGES... IN THE VERY TUNNELS... ISRAEL IS WORKING TO DESTROY... THE U-N's TOP COURT, OPENING HEARINGS, TODAY... ON SOUTH AFRICA'S ALLEGATION... THAT ISRAEL'S WAR WITH HAMAS AMOUNTS TO GENOCIDE AGAINST THE PALESTINIANS.

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DEMONSTRATORS GOT TOGETHER IN WASHINGTON SQUARE PARK YESTERDAY TO HONOR THOSE STILL BEING HELD HOSTAGE BY HAMAS SINCE THEIR ATTACK ON OCTOBER 7TH... A YELLOW PIANO WAS INSTALLED IN THE PARK AS A SYMBOL OF UNITY... DEKAL HAMATIAN IS A FRIEND OF ONE THOSE

HOSTAGES... SPOKE AT A RALLY NEAR THE U-N THIS WEEKEND... 13 YEAR OLD HILA SHOSHANI SPOKE ABOUT HER 50 DAYS AS A HOSTAGE... SHE SAID "LIFE AS A HOSTAGE IN GAZA IS NOT LIFE... ITS HELL"...

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MEDICAL SUPPLIES... TO BE DELIVERED TODAY... TO DOZENS OF ISRAELI HOSTAGES STILL BEING HELD BY HAMAS IN GAZA..ON CAPITOL HILL... THE SENATE OVERWHELMINGLY REJECTED AN EFFORT BY BERNIE SANDERS, TUESDAY... TO FORCE THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO INVESTIGATE HUMAN RIGHTS ABUSES IN THE ISRAEL-HAMAS WAR. SUCH A MOVE COULD HAVE ALSO LIMITED U-S MILITARY AID TO ISRAEL.. BUT A PROCEDURAL VOTE OF 72 TO 11.... STOPPED THE MEASURE FROM MOVING FORWARD.

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THE ISRAEL-HAMAS WAR... PUTTING THE U-S AT ODDS WITH OUR LONGTIME ALLY... OVER THE END GAME...SPEAKING AT A NEWS CONFERENCE... NETANYAHU SAID.... 'IN ANY FUTURE ARRANGEMENT ... ISRAEL NEEDS SECURITY CONTROL OF ALL TERRITORY WEST OF THE JORDAN'. HE SAID THAT 'COLLIDES WITH THE IDEA OF SOVEREIGNTY'... AND -- quote --- "WHAT CAN YOU DO?"

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CONFLICTING REPORTS FROM THE U-S AND ISRAEL... ON ANOTHER POSSIBLE BREAK IN THE FIGHTING IN GAZA. THE WHITE HOUSE SAYS THE U-S IS IN SERIOUS DISCUSSIONS TO MAKE THAT HAPPEN TO GET MORE HOSTAGES OUT... AND MORE AID IN. THERE WERE ALSO REPORTS THAT ISRAEL PRESENTED A 2-MONTH CEASEFIRE PLAN... HOWEVER, THAT IS NOT CONFIRMED. NATIONAL SECURITY SPOKESMAN JOHN KIRBY.. THE WORD OUT OF JERUSALEM.... NOT HAPPENING... ISRAEL, MEANWHILE... HAS INTENSIFIED ITS WAR IN AND AROUND THE HAMAS STRONGHOLD OF KHAN YUNIS IN SOUTH GAZA. THE IDF SAYS IT DESTROYED ANOTHER MASSIVE TUNNEL AND THE LARGEST WEAPONS FACTORY IT HAS FOUND TO DATE. THAT... AFTER ISRAEL BURIED 24-SOLDIERS... FOLLOWING WHAT WAS THE DEADLIEST SINGLE INCIDENT... DURING THE 3-MONTHLONG CONFLICT.

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ANOTHER 2-ISRAELI HOSTAGES ARE BACK HOME. THEY WERE RESCUED... IN A MILITARY RAID IN SOUTHERN GAZA, AN ISRAELI PLAN FOR A GROUND OFFENSIVE IN RAFAH.... COULD UPSET NEARLY HALF-A-CENTURY OF PEACE... BETWEEN ISRAEL AND EGYPT. EGYPT IS THREATENING TO SUSPEND... THE HISTORIC 1978 CAMP DAVID ACCORDS.

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THE FAMILIES OF THE HOSTAGES STILL BEING HELD IN GAZA... NOW ON A 4-DAY MARCH FROM SOUTHERN ISRAEL TO JERUSALEM... TO DEMAND THEIR LOVED ONES BE FREED. THIS COMES... AS NEGOTIATIONS CONTINUE ON A POSSIBLE CEASEFIRE DURING RAMADAN. WHITE HOUSE NATIONAL SECURITY COMMUNICATIONS ADVISOR, JOHN KIRBY. ON MONDAY... PRESIDENT BIDEN TOLD REPORTERS HE HOPED THERE WOULD BE A CEASEFIRE AS SOON AS NEXT WEEK... BUT ABC NEWS IS REPORTING... THE COMMENT CAME AS A SURPRISE... TO ISRAELI PRIME MINISTER BENJAMIN NETANYAHU.

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CONFLICTING REPORTS ABOUT JUST WHAT HAPPENED IN GAZA... WHERE THE HAMAS-RUN HEALTH MINISTRY... SAYS MORE THAN 100-PALESTINIANS WERE KILLED... WHEN THEY RACED TO PULL FOOD

OFF AID TRUCKS. HAMAS... SAYS THEY WERE FIRED UPON BY ISRAELI SOLDIERS BUT ISRAEL SAYS -- NO -- THEY WERE RUN OVER EITHER IN THE STAMPEDE... OR BY THE TRUCKS.... AND THAT TROOPS ONLY OPENED FIRE... WHEN THEY FELT ENDANGERED. IDF SPOKESMAN PETER LERNER... SPOKE TO ABC NEWS...

THE WHITE HOUSE ... SAYS THE DEATHS NEED TO BE "THOROUGHLY INVESTIGATED."

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PRESIDENT BIDEN HAS ORDERED THE U-S MILITARY TO SET UP A TEMPORARY PORT OFF THE COAST OF GAZA TO DELIVER FOOD AND OTHER HUMANITARIAN AID TO PALESTINIANS..AND... DURING HIS STATE OF THE UNION SPEECH... WHILE REITERATING SUPPORT FOR ISRAEL... HE ADDED... IN THE REGION... EFFORTS TO TRY TO REACH A CEASEFIRE DEAL BEFORE THE START OF RAMADAN APPEARS TO HAVE STALLED, WITH HAMAS SAYING THEIR NEGOTIATORS HAVE LEFT CAIRO... WHERE TALKS WERE BEING HELD.

## Migrants

*NYC is a self-designated sanctuary city; a safe haven for people from other countries to come, assimilate, raise a family, without fear of being reported for arrest and deportation. Every aspect of the city's policies have been questioned, debated, defended, and pilloried. Few residents are neutral on the issue or the impact on city life and city services*

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MAYOR ADAMS... NOW LOOKING TO EXPAND THE CRACKDOWN ON BUSES BRINGING MIGRANTS TO TOWN... TO ALSO INCLUDE PLANES AND TRAINS. THIS IS AFTER AT LEAST 13-BUSES WENT TO NEW JERSEY TO DROP PEOPLE OFF INSTEAD OF COMING DIRECTLY TO THE CITY -- AND THEN THOSE FOLKS HOPPED ON MASS TRANSIT.THE MAYOR... ON TEXAS GOVERNOR, GREG ABBOTT.THE MAYOR'S CRACKDOWN REQUIRES CHARTER BUS COMPANIES TO GIVE THE CITY 32-HOURS NOTICE BEFORE ARRIVING WITH MIGRANTS. IT ALSO LIMITS DROP-OFFS TO ONE LOCATION ON WEST 41ST STREET... ONLY... BETWEEN 8:30AM AND NOON. THE MAYOR WANTS TO EXPAND THAT EXECUTIVE ORDER TO PLANES AND TRAINS... BUT SO FAR NO DETAILS.

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TWO VIOLENT INCIDENTS AT MIGRANT SHELTERS YESTERDAY -- ONE FATAL. POLICE SAY A DISPUTE NEAR THE FRONT ENTRANCE OF A MIGRANT SHELTER ON EAST 125TH STREET ON RANDALLS ISLAND ENDED WITH ONE MAN STABBING ANOTHER. THE VICTIM -- A 24-YEAR-OLD -- WAS PRONOUNCED DEAD AT THE HOSPITAL...HIS NAME HAS NOT BEEN RELEASED. THE 26-YEAR-OLD WAS ARRESTED -- POLICE SAY THEY FOUND HIM WITH A KNIFE AT THE SCENE. IT CAME HOURS AFTER A MELEE AT A SHELTER IN THE EAST VILLAGE.



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A RALLY IN FOLEY SQUARE THIS MORNING... TO PUSH BACK ON THE MAYOR'S "60-DAY POLICY"... LIMITING STAYS FOR ASYLUM SEEKERS AND OTHERS... AT CITY HOMELESS SHELTERS: CITY COMPTROLLER BRAD LANDER... WHO IS ONE OF THE LEADING CRITICS OF THE POLICY... SAYS EVICTING IMMIGRANT FAMILIES FROM SHELTERS... ESPECIALLY IN FREEZING COLD TEMPERATURES... AND DISPLACING THEIR KIDS FROM THEIR PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN THE MIDDLE OF THE YEAR... IS ONE OF THE WORST THINGS THAT NEW YORK CITY HAS DONE IN GENERATIONS. BUT SUPPORTERS OF THE IDEA SAY IT'S MEANT TO PUSH ASYLUM-SEEKERS OUT OF SHELTERS... AND INTO MORE PERMANENT HOUSING. THE ADAMS ADMINISTRATION, MEANTIME, SAYS IT'S DOING EVERYTHING IN ITS POWER TO MINIMIZE THE IMPACT OF THE 60-DAY RULE ON ASYLUM SEEKERS... AND TO PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES TO RE-APPLY FOR SHELTER... FOR THOSE WHO NEED IT.

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DUE TO THE BAD WEATHER... THE CITY EVACUATED ABOUT 500-FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN, SO NEARLY 2-THOUSAND PEOPLE... FROM THE TENT SHELTER AT FLOYD BENNETT FIELD. MANY WERE TAKEN TO JAMES MADISON HIGH SCHOOL TO SPEND THE NIGHT... AND THAT... HAS FORCED THE SCHOOL TO SWITCH TO REMOTE LEARNING, TODAY. SOME PARENTS.... ARE NOT HAPPY ABOUT IT...YESTERDAY.... SOME 40-MIGRANT FAMILIES WERE FORCED OUT OF THE HOTEL ROOMS WHERE THEY WERE BEING SHELTERED BY THE CITY. MAYOR ADAMS, TELLING 1010WINS... THE 60-DAY RULE... DOES NOT MEAN CHILDREN WILL BE STRANDED. CITY COMPTROLLER BRAD LANDER... IS NOW INVESTIGATING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE 60-DAY POLICY... INCLUDING THE FINANCIAL IMPACT ON THE CITY.

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THAT 11P TO 6A CURFEW AT 4-MIGRANT SHELTERS.... KICKS IN TONIGHT. THIS IS AT THE 35TH AVENUE ASTORIA CENTER, THE LINCOLN MANHATTAN CENTER ON 110TH STREET... THE JFK CENTER AND THE STOCKTON CENTER IN BROOKLYN....

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NEW YORK CITY COUNCILMEMBERS WILL GATHER WITH MIGRANT FAMILIES THIS AFTERNOON... TO CALL ON MAYOR ADAMS TO REVERSE THE 60-DAY SHELTER LIMITS FOR MIGRANT FAMILIES. DEPUTY COUNCIL SPEAKER DIANA AYALA... IS ONE OF THE COUNCIL MEMBERS LEADING THE RALLY TODAY... SHE TELLS 1010 WINS THAT WHILE SHE IS NOT A SUPPORTER OF HOUSING PEOPLE FOREVER, SHE THINKS THAT INSTEAD OF THE 60 DAY ORDER... THERE SHOULD BE MORE PROGRAMS TO AID THE MIGRANTS: AYALA SAYS THERE ARE OTHER MORE HUMANE SOLUTIONS. THE FIRST WOULD BE TO USE SOCIAL SERVICES TO HELP TRACK DOWN FAMILIES OF MIGRANTS SO THAT THEY CAN LIVE WITH THEIR RELATIVES. ANOTHER WOULD BE EXPANDING HOUSING VOUCHERS TO THE MIGRANTS.

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NEW YORK IS EXPANDING A CURFEW TO ADDITIONAL MIGRANT SHELTERS AFTER VIOLENT INCIDENTS ATTRIBUTED TO MIGRANT SHELTER RESIDENTS GAINED NATIONAL ATTENTION IN RECENT WEEKS. MAYOR ERIC ADAMS' ADMINISTRATION WILL IMPOSE AN 11 P.M. TO 6 A.M. CURFEW AT 20 MIGRANT SHELTERS STARTING MONDAY, AFTER INITIALLY PLACING THE RESTRICTIONS AT FOUR OTHER LOCATIONS, SPOKESPERSON KAYLA MAMELAK SAID SUNDAY.

THE CURFEW AFFECTS ABOUT 3,600 MIGRANTS, WITH THE LARGEST OF THE EMERGENCY CENTERS HOUSING NEARLY 1,000 MIGRANTS IN LONG ISLAND CITY, QUEENS, ACCORDING TO A LISTING PROVIDED BY THE MAYOR'S OFFICE.

CITY OFFICIALS INITIALLY PLACED A CURFEW ON FOUR SHELTERS LAST MONTH IN RESPONSE TO NEIGHBORHOOD COMPLAINTS.

MAMELAK SAID THE CURFEWS ARE IN LINE WITH RESTRICTIONS ALREADY IN PLACE AT NYC'S TRADITIONAL HOMELESS SHELTERS AND ALLOW FOR "MORE EFFICIENT CAPACITY MANAGEMENT" OF MIGRANTS IN THE CITY'S CARE.

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AND JUST A COUPLE HOURS AHEAD OF THE PRESIDENT'S BIG SPEECH... HOUSE REPUBLICANS LED THE CHARGE ON PASSING A BILL TODAY... THAT WOULD REQUIRE FEDERAL AUTHORITIES TO DETAIN UNAUTHORIZED MIGRANTS... WHO HAVE BEEN ACCUSED OF THEFT. REPUBLICANS RUSHED THE BILL TO SEIZE ON THE RECENT DEATH... OF A NURSING STUDENT IN GEORGIA, ALLEGEDLY KILLED BY AN UNDOCUMENTED IMMIGRANT... SO THE LEGISLATION WOULD COINCIDE WITH THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS... AND THE G-O-P COULD COME OUT STRONG AGAINST MISTER BIDEN'S BORDER POLICIES. IT HAS LITTLE CHANCE OF BEING TAKEN UP IN THE DEMOCRATIC-CONTROLLED SENATE.

## **Black History Month**

*1010 WINS AWARD WINNING SERIES HIGHLIGHTS NEW YORK CITY INDIVIDUALS AND ORGANIZATIONS THAT ARE CHANGING PERCEPTIONS, INSPIRING OTHERS, AND MAKING A DIFFERENCE. THE SERIES RAN THROUGHOUT THE MONTH AND INCLUDED SOCIAL IMPACT LEADER JEFFREY LINDOR WHO CREATED A PLATFORM FOR BLACK AND BROWN PROFESSIONALS AND ENTREPRENEURS TO CONNECT AND COLLABORATE. ROMEO HUNTE WHOSE DESIGNS HAVE BEEN WORN BY FORMER FIRST LADY MICHELLE OBAMA, BEYONCÉ, ZENDAYA AND COUNTLESS OTHER CELEBRITIES; THE FOUNDING MEMBERS OF BLACK GEN CAPITAL, A 100 PERCENT OWNED STUDENT INVESTMENT FUND THAT BEGAN AT CORNELL UNIVERSITY AND CATHLEEN TRIGG, A JOURNALIST AND A MEDIA EXECUTIVE WHO STARTED A NON PROFIT TO HELP KIDS WHO GREW UP IN FOSTER CARE LIKE SHE DID.*

## **Women's History Month**

*THE MONTH OF MARCH SAW 1010 WINS HIGHLIGHT WOMEN WHO WERE MAKING HISTORY. THE SERIES INCLUDED A LOOK BACK AT SOME OF THE WOMEN WHO PAVED THE WAY AS WELL AS WOMEN OF TODAY WITH VISIONS FOR TOMORROW. WE ALSO INCLUDED A SERIES ON THE PARKS AND STATUES IN NYC THAT WERE NAMED FOR AND ERECTED IN HONOR OF WOMEN WHO CHANGED HISTORY.*

## Transportation

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STARTING TODAY... NO MORE VENDORS ON ALONG THE PEDESTRIAN WALKWAY... OF THE BROOKLYN BRIDGE.THE CITY WILL BE ENFORCING A BAN, WITH MAYOR ADAMS SAYING IT'S A PUBLIC SAFETY ISSUE. HE SAYS THAT IT CAUSES TOO MUCH CONGESTION... AND THAT PEOPLE COULD BE TRAMPLED. VENDOR, AND VIETNAM VET, PATRICK DELAMORE TELLS 1010WINS...THERE MAY BE A COMPROMISE. THE CITY COUNCIL IS CONSIDERING A BILL THAT WOULD ALLOW LICENSED VENDORS... IF THEY STAY 20 FEET APART.

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OFFICIALS IN WESTCHESTER ARE CALLING FOR A STUDY ON EXPANDING METRO NORTH SERVICE ON THE HUDSON LINE. WESTCHESTER COUNTY EXECUTIVE GEORGE LATIMER AND YONKERS MAYOR MIKE SPANO WANT TO SEE IF IT'S FEASIBLE TO ADD DIRECT SERVICE FROM YONKERS TO PENN STATION. LATIMER SAYS THE EXISTING AMTRAK LINE ON THE HUDSON LINE PRESENTS A "STRATEGIC OPPORTUNITY" TO CONNECT YONKERS TO THE WEST SIDE OF MANHATTAN.THE HUDSON LINE SAW RIDERSHIP RISE MORE THAN 55 PERCENT SINCE 2021. THE M-T-A RESPONDED WITH A STATEMENT SAYING, "ANY FUTURE EXPANSIONS ARE POSSIBLE ONLY WITH CONGESTION PRICING."

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THESE ARE THE ONES WITH ACCORDION CONNECTIONS... LIKE CITY BUSES... DESIGNED TO SPEED UP BOARDING AND CUT DOWN ON DELAYS. THE MTA SAYS IT NEEDS THE EXTRA FUNDING FROM CONGESTION PRICING TO PAY FOR THESE TRAINS... AND TO IMPROVE SIGNALS ON THE A-LINE. AT THE SAME TIME... AGENCY HEAD JANNO LIEBER IS BLASTING THE LAWSUITS AGAINST THE CONGESTION PRICING PLAN... SAYING THEY ARE FOCUSED ON DRIVERS... WHILE IGNORING THOSE WHO USE MASS TRANSIT.

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N-J TRANSIT ANNOUNCED PLANS TO HIKE FARES BY 15-PERCENT... AND THERE IS ALREADY A RALLY AGAINST THE IDEA... LATER THIS MORNING OUTSIDE NEWARK-PENN STATION. THE TRI-STATE TRANSPORTATION CAMPAIGN'S JAQI COHEN IS ONE OF THE ORGANIZERS. SHE SAYS... IF N-J-T NEEDS MORE MONEY... IT SHOULD TURN TO TRENTON... NOT RIDERS. N-J TRANSIT SAYS IT IS FACING A DEFICIT OF MORE THAN 100-MILLION DOLLARS IN THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR... AND THAT IT HAS TAKEN STEPS TO REDUCE IT... BUT CANNOT DO SO WITHOUT RAISING FARES.THIS MORNING'S RALLY WON'T BE THE ONLY WAY TO TELL N-J-T HOW YOU FEEL ABOUT THE PROPOSED HIKES... THERE'S ALSO A SERIES OF PUBLIC HEARING PLANNED FOR ALL OVER THE STATE... IN THE FIRST WEEK OF MARCH.

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NEW YORKERS KNOW THAT IT CAN BE FASTER TO WALK RATHER THAN TAKE THE BUS...IF THE BUS COMES...AND SOME LAWMAKERS ARE HOPING TO RAMP UP NEW YORK CITY BUS SERVICE AHEAD OF CONGESTION PRICING...THEY MAY NOT BE ABLE TO MAKE IT FASTER, BUT STATE ASSEMBLY MEMBER ZOHAN MAMDANI OF QUEENS IS AMONG THOSE PROPOSING 90-MILLION-DOLLARS TO IMPROVE SERVICE FREQUENCY.. AND EXPAND THE M-T-A'S FREE BUS PILOT FROM ONE TO three ROUTES PER BORO:  
THE PROPOSALS, IN RESPONSE TO GOVERNOR HOCHUL'S EXECUTIVE SPENDING PLAN, ARE BEING ROLLED OUT AHEAD OF THE APRIL FIRST STATE BUDGET DEADLINE.

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YOU COULD BE TAKING YOUR LIFE IN YOUR HANDS... JUST WALKING IN NEW JERSEY. THAT MIGHT SOUND LIKE A MAJOR EXAGGERATION... HOWEVER, DATA FROM THE NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION... FINDS THE GARDEN STATE IS THE MOST DANGEROUS IN THE COUNTRY... FOR PEDESTRIANS. IN FACT... SAYS CONGRESSMAN JOSH GOTTHEIMER... AND SO... HE HAS ANNOUNCED NEARLY A MILLION DOLLARS IN FEDERAL MONEY FOR HIS DISTRICT TO DEAL WITH THAT... INCLUDING A 400-THOUSAND DOLLAR GRANT TO BUILD A NEW BRIDGE IN RIDGEWOOD... 200-GRAND FOR NEW SIDEWALKS NEAR SCHOOLS, THERE... AND ANOTHER 200-THOUSAND... FOR SIDEWALKS IN ENGLEWOOD. HE ALSO HAS NEW LEGISLATION IN THE WORKS... AND WILL TALK MORE ABOUT THAT... LATER TODAY.

## **Public Safety/Bail Reform**

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A WARNING FROM THE UNION REPRESENTING FDNY-EMS RESPONDERS.... THAT BUDGET CUTS... COULD PUT THE LIVES OF NEW YORKERS IN JEOPARDY. NEW NUMBERS SHOW EMS WORKERS RESPONDED TO MORE MEDICAL EMERGENCIES LAST YEAR... THAN IN THE ENTIRE HISTORY OF NEW YORK CITY: MORE THAN 1.6 MILLION CALLS.... WHICH WAS UP 2-AND-A-HALF PERCENT FROM 2022.... AND 8.2 PERCENT FROM 2021. LOCAL 2507 PRESIDENT OREN BARZILAY TELLS 1010WINS.. HE THINKS COVID AND THE ECONOMY... HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH IT.

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THEY CALL IT THE "HOW MANY STOPS ACT". IT'S DESIGNED TO HAVE POLICE OFFICERS DOCUMENT AS MUCH INFO AS POSSIBLE...DURING INVESTIGATIONS. BUT MAYOR ERIC ADAMS WAS ON 1010WINS THIS MORNING (WITH SUSAN RICHARD)...AND HE SAYS "SOME OF THIS STUFF IS UNNECESSARY...AND WASTES TOO MUCH TIME AND ENERGY. HE VETOED THE MEASURE... BUT A GROUP OF COUNCIL MEMBERS...LED BY COUNCIL SPEAKER ADRIENNE ADAMS AND SUPPORTED BY PUBLIC ADVOCATE JUMAANE WILLIAMS SAY "LIKE HECK...IT WON'T TAKE UP TOO MUCH TIME...AND WHEN YOU'RE DEALING WITH PEOPLE'S LIVES.... TRANSPARENCY IS "EVERYTHING". SO THEY'RE VOTING THIS AFTERNOON ON WHETHER TO "OVERRIDE" THE MAYORS VETO. THE DETECTIVES UNION SIDE WITH THE MAYOR...SAYING ANY VOTE TO OVERRIDE THE MAYORS VETO IS A VOTE TO DRIVE A WEDGE BETWEEN THE POLICE AND THE COMMUNITY. ADAMS SAYS, "AT BEST, IT WOULD BE NICE IF MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL WOULD CONSIDER MAYBE "AMENDING" AN ASPECT OF THE BILL...BEFORE IMPLEMENTING IT THIS SUMMER.

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PUBLIC SAFETY IS ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT ISSUES AMONG NEW YORKERS --SO PLENTY OF FOCUS WILL BE ON TODAY'S STATE OF THE NYPD ADDRESS.IT'LL BE THE FIRST ADDRESS FOR COMMISSIONER EDWARD CABAN --AND COMES AT A TIME WHEN CERTAIN CRIMES ARE ON THE RISE. MORE ON THAT WITH OUR GLENN SCHUCK.

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THE FDNY...TEAMING UP WITH A THINK TANK OVER AT NYU.... TO USE A-I TO PREDICT TRAFFIC PATTERNS... (WHICH THEY THINK WILL HELP FIRST RESPONDERS GET TO AN EMERGENCY MUST FASTER).

COMMISSIONER LAURA KAVANAUGH DESCRIBES THE CONCEPT LIKE OUR FOLKS IN THE TRAFFIC CENTER: DO NOT GO "THIS WAY"...GO "THAT WAY"...TO GET TO WHERE YOU ARE GOING MORE EFFICIENTLY. SHE SAYS THE INITIATIVE IS PART OF THE ADAMS ADMINISTRATIONS ONGOING PUBLIC SAFETY EFFORTS...

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THE SUSPECT WHO OFFICIALS SAY WAS THE INSTIGATOR IN LAST MONTHS ASSAULT ON TWO OFFICERS IN TIMES SQUARE HAS NOW BEEN RELEASED FROM JAIL AFTER POSTING BAIL. MOST OF THOSE SUSPECTS NOW CHARGED AND RELEASED IN THAT TIMES SQUARE ATTACK... THE POLICE UNION NOT TOO HAPPY ... PBA PRESIDENT PATRICK HENDRY SAYS THE BAIL REFORM LAWS ARE NOT HOLDING CRIMINALS ACCOUNTABLE. HENDRY SAYS THE PBA WILL BE IN THESE COURTROOMS WHEN THE TIME COMES TO MAKE SURE JUSTICE DOES ITS JOB... ANOTHER SUSPECT FROM THAT BEATING WHO WAS RELEASED WAS ARRESTED AGAIN TUESDAY FOR ALLEGEDLY SHOPLIFTING...

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SEVERAL HIGH RANKING NYPD CHIEFS ARE FACING CRITICISM AFTER BLASTING A JUDGE FOR LETTING A REPEAT OFFENDER GO WITHOUT BAIL. IN A POST ON \*X\* TUESDAY, NYPD CHIEF OF PATROL JOHN CHELL, WROTE THAT THE JUDGE DID NOT DO HER JOB WHEN SHE ORDERED THE RELEASE OF THE SUSPECT.THE POST WAS SHARED BY OTHER TOP COPS. TURNS OUT CHELL NAMED THE WRONG JUDGE AND GOT SOME OTHER FACTS WRONG ABOUT THE CASE. WE ASKED MAYOR ADAMS ABOUT THAT THIS MORNING. HE SAID HE UNDERSTANDS THEIR FRUSTRATION, BUT IT PUTS THE JUDGES LIVES IN DANGER...ACCORDING TO THE CRIMINAL COMPLAINT, POLICE ARRESTED THE SUSPECT NAMED IN CHELL'S POST LAST WEEK IN THE BRONX FOR TURNSTILE JUMPING AND POSSESSING DRUGS AND STOLEN ITEMS. PROSECUTORS REQUESTED BAIL, BUT THE ACTUAL JUDGE IN THE CASE SET HIM FEE SAYING THAT THOUGH HE HAS SEVERAL PRIOR ARRESTS, HE HAD NOT MISSED A COURT DATE SINCE 2007.

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ANOTHER UPDATE ON THAT GRUESOME STORY WE'VE BEEN TELLING YOU ABOUT... FOUR PEOPLE HAVE BEEN ARRESTED... IN CONNECTION WITH THE DISCOVERY OF HUMAN REMAINS IN SUFFOLK COUNTY. AND IT'S CAUSING A POLITICAL DEBATE OVER THE STATE'S BAIL REFORM LAWS... AFTER THEY WERE ALL RELEASED WITHOUT BAIL. POLICE ARRESTED 44-YEAR-OLD "STEVEN BROWN", 38-YEAR-OLD "JEFFREY MACKEY", 40-YEAR-OLD "AMANDA WALLACE," AND 33-YEAR-OLD "ALEXIS NIEVES."

THEY ARE ALL CHARGED WITH CONCEALMENT OF A HUMAN CORPSE, TAMPERING WITH PHYSICAL EVIDENCE, AND HINDERING PROSECUTION. 3 OF THE 4 APPARENTLY LIVE AT THE HOME IN AMITYVILLE... WHERE POLICE EXECUTED A SEARCH WARRANT ON MONDAY.

THEY ALL PLEADED NOT GUILTY TODAY, AND WERE RELEASED WITHOUT BAIL... PROMPTING SWIFT BACKLASH FROM BOTH THE SUFFOLK COUNTY D-A AND THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE.

IN SIMILAR STATEMENTS... THEY BOTH SLAMMED THE CHANGES TO BAIL LAWS... BECAUSE CHARGES RELATED TO MUTILATING AND DISPOSING CORPSES ARE NO LONGER BAIL-ELIGIBLE.

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A RALLY IS BEING HELD THIS MORNING OUTSIDE OF CITY HALL CALLING FOR THE CLOSING OF RIKERS. ADVOCATES WANT THE CITY COUNCIL AND MAYOR ADAMS TO DELIVER A BUDGET WHICH MOVES FUNDS FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, TO COMMUNITY RESOURCES THAT PREVENT INCARCERATION AND IMPROVE PUBLIC SAFETY. DARREN MACK IS THE CO-DIRECTOR OF FREEDOM AGENDA. HE TELLS US TAXPAYERS HAVE BEEN covering the \*\*tab for Rikers, for far too long. THE CITY HAS LAID OUT A PLAN TO CLOSE RIKERS AND SWITCH TO SMALLER FIVE-BOROUGH BASED JAILS BY 2027.

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OPPOSITION IS GROWING AGAINST GOVERNOR HOCHUL'S MOVE... TO PUT THE NATIONAL GUARD AND STATE POLICE INSIDE THE CITY'S SUBWAY STATIONS. DAVID MOSS WITH THE LEGAL DEFENSE FUND SAYS OVER-POLICING IS NOT THE ANSWER... TO PUBLIC SAFETY CONCERNS: HE JOINED PUBLIC ADVOCATE JUMAANE WILLIAMS AND A NUMBER OF CIVIL RIGHTS GROUPS TODAY... FOR A VIRTUAL PRESS CONFERENCE AGAINST THE GOVERNOR'S SUBWAY SAFETY PLAN.

3/19

IS LIFE IN NEW YORK BETTER --- THAN IT WAS 7 YEARS AGO? NEW YORKERS SAY NO. THE SURVEY LOOKEED AT ALL -- ASPECTS OF LIFE IN THE CITY... WINS SPOKE TO ANDREW REIN-A -- PRESIDENT OF THE CITIZENS BUDGET COMMISSION - WHICH DID THE SURVEY... 24 PERCENT RATE -- THE QUALITY OF GOVERNMENT SERVICES GOOD OR EXCELLENT -- WAY DOWN - FROM 44 PERCENT -- IN 2017 ACCORDING TO THE SURVEY OF 6600 NEW YORKERS -- ONLY HALF OF NEW YORKERS PLAN TO STAY IN THE CITY... ONLY 39 PERCENT ARE CONTENT WITH THE STATE OF PUBLIC EDUCATION. AND ONLY 37 PERCENT ARE HAPPY WITH THE LEVEL OF PUBLIC SAFETY IN THEIR NEIGHBORHOOD... IN NEARLY EVERY CATEGORY, NEW YORKERS FELT WORSE ABOUT THE CITY IN 2023 THAN THEY DID IN 2017 AND 2008.

## **Education**

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BACK IN NEW YORK--GOVERNOR HOCHUL WANTS SCHOOLS TO TAKE AN OLD SCHOOL APPROACH TO READING. SHE ANNOUNCED HER 'BACK TO BASICS' PLAN YESTERDAY-- FOCUSING ON PHONICS AND COMPREHENSION... TO BATTLE ILLITERACY. HOCHUL PROPOSED AN END TO THE 'WHOLE LANGUAGE' METHOD... WHICH WAS INTRODUCED ABOUT 20 YEARS AGO.

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MAYORAL CONTROL OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS... THE SUBJECT OF A PUBLIC HEARING TONIGHT ... TO BE HELD AT THE "BOYS AND GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL" ON FULTON STREET IN BROOKLYN. MAYOR ADAMS, LIKE PREVIOUS MAYORS, WANTS TO RETAIN CONTROL OF CITY SCHOOLS... SAYING HIS ADMINISTRATION UNDERSTANDS THE IMPORTANCE OF A QUALITY EDUCATION... AND WANTS THE CHANCE TO TURN THE SCHOOL SYSTEM AROUND. IF LAWMAKERS IN ALBANY DO NOT EXTEND MAYORAL CONTROL... IT WILL EXPIRE IN JUNE.

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THE FAMILY OF ADRIANA KUSH SAID YESTERDAY THAT THEY ARE SUING THEY'RE DAUGHTER'S SCHOOL DISTRICT... THE ANNOUNCEMENT COMES ONE YEAR AFTER THE 14 YEAR OLD TOOK HER OWN LIFE AS THE FAMILY SAYS SHE WAS BULLIED IN SCHOOL AND ONLINE... ADRIANA WAS A STUDENT AT CENTRAL REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL IN OCEAN COUNTY... SHE WAS ATTACKED IN THE HALLWAY WHILE SHE WAS WALKING WITH HER BOYFRIEND... VIDEO OF THAT ATTACK WAS POSTED ON SOCIAL MEDIA Repeatedly... FAMILY ATTORNEY BILL KRAIS SAYS THE SCHOOL IS LIABLE FOR A CULTURE OF VIOLENCE KRAIS ALSO SAYS THE FORMER SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDANT DEFAMED THE KUSH FAMILY BY MAKING UP STORIES ABOUT THEIR PERSONAL LIVES

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SCHOOLS HAVE PLENTY OF CHALLENGES... BUT A NEW REPORT FROM THE D-C THINK-TANK "THE AMERICAN ENTERPRISE INSTITUTE" SAYS THE BIGGEST SINCE THE EARLY DAYS OF THE PANDEMIC... IS CHRONIC ABSENTEEISM. NAT MALKUS IS A RESEARCHER WITH THE INSTITUTE: THE RIGHT-LEANING THINK TANK IS PREDICTING THAT SCHOOLS WON'T RETURN TO POST-COVID ATTENDANCE LEVELS UNTIL AT LEAST 2030. IN THE MEANTIME... IT'S CALLING ON DISTRICTS TO MAKE THE ISSUE A TOP PRIORITY... ESPECIALLY IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.

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NEW YORK CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS PARENTS, STUDENTS AND TEACHERS CAN SHARE WHAT THEY THINK ABOUT THEIR SCHOOL IN THE DISTRICT'S ANNUAL SURVEY. THE SURVEY IS MEANT TO HELP SCHOOL LEADERS UNDERSTAND WHAT PEOPLE THINK ABOUT THE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT IN THEIR SCHOOL, WHICH CAN LEAD TO IMPROVEMENTS TO SCHOOLS AND PROGRAMS. NYC SCHOOLS CHANCELLOR DISCUSSES REMOTE LEARNING CHALLENGES: 'WE'LL FIGURE IT OUT' ALL PARENTS, STUDENTS AND TEACHERS IN GRADES 6-12 ARE ENCOURAGED TO TAKE THE SURVEY. IT WILL REMAIN OPEN UNTIL APRIL 5. FAMILIES CAN TAKE THE SURVEY ONLINE HERE. IT IS AVAILABLE IN 10 LANGUAGES. "THE ANNUAL NYC SCHOOL SURVEY IS A CRITICAL RESOURCE FOR OUR SCHOOL LEADERS TO LEARN FROM THEIR STUDENTS, STAFF, AND FAMILIES AND TO CENTER THEIR NEEDS AND FEEDBACK," SCHOOLS CHANCELLOR DAVID BANKS SAID IN A STATEMENT. "I STRONGLY URGE EVERYONE TO COMPLETE THE SURVEY AND MAKE YOUR VOICE HEARD."

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THE NEW YORK CITY COUNCIL... TAKING UP THE FIGHT BY CITY LIBRARIES... AGAINST BOOKS BANS. COUNCILWOMAN CARLINA RIVERA.... CHAIRS THE COMMITTEE ON CULTURAL AFFAIRS, LIBRARIES AND INTERNATIONAL INTERGROUP RELATIONS... THE COMMITTEE WILL HOLD A HEARING TODAY. LAST YEAR, THE AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION FOUND MORE THAN 19-HUNDRED TITLES WERE EITHER BEING CHALLENGED... OR HAD BEEN BANNED FROM BOTH PUBLIC LIBRARIES AND SCHOOLS ACROSS THE COUNTRY. THESE WERE BOOKS WITH THEMES... THAT CENTERED ON RACISM, SOCIAL JUSTICE, AND THE EXPERIENCES OF PEOPLE OF COLOR AND THE LGBTQIA COMMUNITY.

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NEW YORK CITY COUNCILWOMAN INNA VER-NIKOV IS DEMANDING THE OUSTER OF THE PRINCIPAL OF "ORIGINS" HIGH SCHOOL IN SHEEPSHEAD BAY, BROOKLYN... FOLLOWING REPORTS OF A STRING OF ANTISEMITIC INCIDENTS AT THE SCHOOL. VER-NIKOV SAYS SWASTIKAS HAVE BEEN FOUND PAINTED ON OFFICE AND CLASSROOM WALLS... AND ONE STUDENT WAS CAUGHT ON VIDEO... WALKING AROUND

THE SCHOOL... WEARING A HITLER MOUSTACHE: THE CITY EDUCATION DEPARTMENT SAYS IT'S INVESTIGATING THE ALLEGATIONS... BUT HAS FOUND NO EVIDENCE OF THEM BEING TRUE. IT ALSO DEFENDED PRINCIPAL DARA KAMMERMAN... SAYING SHE'S MADE IT CLEAR THAT HATE... INCLUDING ANTISEMITISM... HAS NO PLACE IN CITY SCHOOLS.

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AFTER **\*\*CONSIDERABLE\*\*** CRITICISM FROM STUDENTS, CITY OFFICIALS TELL NY-1... THEY'RE BRINGING BACK SOME MENU ITEMS THAT WERE CUT. WE'RE TALKING ABOUT THE CHICKEN DUMPLINGS THAT A LOT OF KIDS LIKED... FRENCH TOAST STICKS, SEASONED WEDGE-FRIES, AND THE CHEESE AND BEAN BURRITOS. SO FAR, NO CLEAR REASON WHY THE ITEMS WERE CUT... BUT THE HEAD OF THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF FOOD POLICY... SAYS THEY LISTEN... AND WHEN SOMETHING IS NOT RIGHT, THEY DO THEIR BEST TO FIX IT. MEANWHILE... NOT ALL THE ITEMS ARE COMING BACK. BAGEL STICKS AND SWEET POTATO MUFFINS... REMAIN NIXED.

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THIS could BE THE YEAR MAYORAL CONTROL OF THE CITY'S SCHOOLS ENDS. THE POST IS REPORTING THAT NEW YORK STATE LAWMAKERS HAVE LEFT AN EXTENSION OF ADAMS' CONTROL OF SCHOOLS OUT OF THE STATE BUDGET. IF SOMETHING DOESN'T CHANGE -- MAYORAL CONTROL WILL EXPIRE JUNE THIRTIETH. STATE LAWMAKERS SAY THE ISSUE COULD STILL BE DEALT WITH OUTSIDE THE BUDGET. A STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT STUDY ON THE EFFECTIVENESS OF MAYORAL CONTROL IS DUE BY THE END OF THE MONTH...AND THAT COULD BE A KEY FACTOR.ADAMS SEZ IT'S WORKING -- PONINTING TO THE SCHOOL SYSTEM'S EFFORTS ON READING SKILLS -- AND ACCOMMODATING MIGRANTS. TEACHERS' UNIONS OPPOSE IT...SAYING TEACHERS KNOW BEST HOW TO EDUCATE. MAYORAL CONTROL WAS FIRST GRANTED IN OH-TWO UNDER MAYOR BLOOMBERG...AND HAS USUALLY BEEN EXTENDED OUTSIDE THE BUDGET.

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NEW YORK CITY SCHOOLS ARE LOOKING AT A MORE THAN 100-MILLION DOLLAR BUDGET CUTS STARTING NEXT FISCAL YEAR... ON TOP OF THE 600-MILLION IN CUTS ANNOUNCED LATE LAST YEAR. . AND THAT... IS UP FOR DISCUSSION TODAY AT THE CITY COUNCIL'S PRELIMINARY BUDGET HEARING. COUNCIL EDUCATION CHAIR RITA JOSEPH TELLS 1010 WINS... SHE'S HOPING THE CITY WILL RE-CONSIDER SOME OF THE PLANNED CUTS TO PRE-K AND 3-K PROGRAMS: MAYOR ADAMS ANNOUNCED EARLIER THIS YEAR... THAT THE CITY BROUGHT IN MORE REVENUE THAN EXPECTED, SO THIS NEW ROUND OF BUDGET CUTS WILL NOT HIT SCHOOLS AS HARD AS ANTICIPATED. STILL... FAMILIES GATHERED AT PLAYGROUNDS AROUND TOWN, SUNDAY... AS PART OF A DAY OF ACTION... TO PROTEST THE 3K AND PRE-K CUTS.THE GROUP "NEW YORKERS UNITED FOR CHILD CARE"... CIRCULATED A PETITION... WHICH THEY PLAN TO SEND TO THE CITY COUNCIL'S EDUCATION COMMITTEE TODAY.

## **Congestion Pricing**

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THE MTA WILL ROLL OUT CONGESTION PRICING --NO MATTER WHO COMES OUT AGAINST IT. IT SAYS THE RESEARCH HAS BEEN DONE, PUBLIC COMMENTS ARE OVER -- EVERYTHING HAS BEEN CONSIDERED.



BUT THAT WON'T STOP CRITICISM OF THE PLAN, OR EFFORTS TO STOP IT. THE LATEST OPPOSITION -- FROM TEACHERS, AND STATEN ISLAND.

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ANOTHER GROUP IS SAYING TODAY THEY WILL SUE TO STOP CONGESTION PRICING FROM COMING TO THE CITY...A GROUP OF LOWER EAST SIDE RESIDENTS AND BUSINESS OWNERS SAY THEY WILL SUE TO STOP THE \$15 TOLL... THOSE DRIVERS WILL HAVE TO PAY TO COME BELOW 60TH STREET IN MANHATTAN... SAYING NOT ONLY WILL IT SQUEEZE LOCAL BUSINESSES... IT WILL CREATE A TRAFFIC NIGHTMARE.

THEY ARGUE... JUST AS PLAINTIFFS IN TWO OTHER LAWSUITS HAVE... THAT THE FEDS AND THE STATE HAVE NOT CONDUCTED AN ADEQUATE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW. NEW JERSEY GOV. PHIL MURPHY FILED THOSE TWO OTHER SUITS... AND BY THE UNITED FEDERATION OF TEACHERS WITH STATEN ISLAND BOROUGH PRESIDENT VITO FOSSELLA. THE MTA... WHICH HAS BEGUN TO INSTALL LICENSE READERS ON HIGHWAYS AS PART OF THE CONGESTION TOLL PROGRAM... SAYS THE ISSUE HAS BEEN EXHAUSTIVELY STUDIED... AND IT'S TIME TO MOVE FORWARD WITH CONGESTION PRICING.

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THE LEGAL BATTLE AGAINST CONGESTION PRICING JUST GOT BIGGER. THREE CIVIL RIGHTS GROUPS... AND 18 NEW YORK ELECTED OFFICIALS... HAVE JOINED THE CONGESTION PRICING LAWSUIT... BROUGHT BY THE TEACHERS UNION AND THE STATEN ISLAND BOROUGH PRESIDENT. THE NEW PLAINTIFFS INCLUDE THE A. PHILIP RANDOLPH INSTITUTE, THE COALITION OF BLACK TRADE UNIONISTS, AND THE LABOR COUNCIL FOR LATIN AMERICAN ADVANCEMENT. ALSO PILING ON TO THE LEGAL ACTIONS: BERGEN COUNTY JUST JOINED NEW JERSEY'S LAWSUIT AGAINST CONGESTION PRICING. COUNTY EXECUTIVE JIM TEDESCO SAYS THE PLAN COMES AT THE EXPENSE OF NEW JERSEY AND NEW YORK RESIDENTS ALIKE: THE BRIEF SAYS THE PLAN WOULD INCREASE AIR POLLUTION AND TRAFFIC TO WORKING CLASS COMMUNITIES.

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MORE THAN A DOZEN ELECTED OFFICIALS...JOINING A LAWSUIT AGAINST CONGESTION PRICING. OF THE 18 BIPARTISAN LAWMAKERS NOW SIGNING ON...MORE THAN HALF ARE DEMOCRATS. THAT INCLUDES STATE SENATOR JAMES SKOUFIS WHO REPRESENTS ORANGE AND ROCKLAND. HE SAYS HIS CONSTITUENTS HAVE LESS TRANSIT SERVICE AND DEPEND ON CARS...AND CALLS THE MTA'S PROPOSAL "OUTRIGHT THEFT." UFT PRESIDENT MICHAEL MULGREW AND STATEN ISLAND BOROUGH PRESIDENT VITO FOSSELLA FILED THE LAWSUIT. WHEN THE SUIT WAS FIRST FILED, THE MTA AGAIN DEFENDED THE PROPOSAL...SAYING IT WILL FUND BETTER TRANSIT IN THE STATE.

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THIS COULD BE IT..THE WEEK THEY TAKE THE FINAL VOTE ON CONGESTION PRICING TOLLS. THE MTA BOARD MEETS ON WEDNESDAY.. BUT SO FAR NO WORD ON THE EXACT AGENDA. THE PLAN IS... TO CHARGE 15-DOLLARS FOR PASSENGER CARS TO ENTER MANHATTAN SOUTH OF 60TH STREET BETWEEN 5AM AND 9PM.TRUCKS WOULD PAY MORE.THE DAILY NEWS IS REPORTING... THOSE SCHOOL BUSES, SOME COMMUTER BUSES, AND A LARGE SWATH OF THE CITY FLEET WILL BE EXEMPT. THE MTA SAYS THE NEW TOLL WOULD RAISE A BILLION ANNUALLY FOR SUBWAY, BUS, AND COMMUTER RAIL PROJECTS. THE FINAL VOTE... WOULD CLEAR THE WAY FOR IT ALL TO START... MID-JUNE.

