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The 3-1-1 Citizen Service Initiative is available 24 hours a day/7 days a week. The system has been set up for all New Yorkers to lodge complaints by dialing 3-1-1. Remember to get a reference number for your complaint. If you have any problems with this system please contact the board office as we continue to work with the Mayor's office regarding this service.

The Street Activity Permit Office will sponsor the 2006 Summer Playstreet program. The program begins **July 3, 2006** and ends **September 1, 2006**. All applications must be submitted by **May 1, 2006**. A summer playstreet is a city street reserved for recreation for school age children and other during the weekday daylight hours of the summer. Playstreets operate, under adult supervision, five days a week, Monday through Friday, between 8:00AM and 5:00PM. An authorized representative of an organized group or block association may apply for a playstreet at the local Community Board office. All groups must have two adults who will be responsible for the on-site supervision and activities on the playstreet. For more information, please call the board office.

The 19th Precinct Community Council will meet on **Monday, March 6, 2006 at 7:00PM**, 19th Precinct, 153 East 67th Street. For more information call (212) 452-0613.

The East 79th Street Neighborhood Association will meet **Thursday, April 6, 2006 at 6:45PM**, City University of New York (CUNY), 535 E. 80th Street, (E. 80th Street at East End Avenue) First Floor Board Room. Agenda: Committee Updates on Transportation, Sanitation, Newsracks, John Jay Park and Street Beautification; Elected Officials' Reports and Announcements. **Note Meeting Date change due to Passover holiday. All meetings are free and open to the public.**

The East Sixties Neighborhood Association (ESNA) will hold their 15th Annual meeting on **Sunday, April 23, 2006**, from **2:00 to 4:00PM** at the Mount Vernon Hotel Museum at 421 East 61st Street. There will be refreshments, door prizes and goodie bags. Everyone is welcome.

Lenox Hill Neighborhood House offers low cost computer classes and English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) classes. The Spring session for the computer classes begin **Monday, April 17, 2006** and ends **Monday, June 19, 2006**. The Spring session for the ESOL classes begin **Monday, April 10, 2006** and ends **Friday, June 23, 2006**. For more information call 212-744-5022 ext. 1231

Eviction Intervention Services will offer free tax help at the 67th Street Library, 328 East 67th Street, between 1st and 2nd Avenues on Tuesdays beginning **February 7, 2006 to April 11, 2006** from 12:30PM to 4:30PM. For more information, please call (212) 308-2210.

The New York Public Library is offering free English classes for speakers of other languages. For more information please call the Office of Community Outreach Services (212) 340-0918.

MetroCard Bus: Add value to or purchase any MetroCard at this mobile unit. If you have questions about the MetroCard or the MetroCard Bus call (212) 638-7622 or visit www.mta.info.

Guide-A-Ride: If the *guide-a-ride* at your bus stop is missing or out of date, please call or e-mail the board office with the precise location.

Manhattan Community Board 8 strongly encourages you to contact us with your concerns or questions about issues affecting you and your neighbors. If you know of anyone who would like to receive our monthly mailing via standard mail or electronically, please encourage him or her to contact the board office at 212-758-4340 or info@cb8m.com.