JAMAICA BAY TASK FORCE MEETING

Wednesday April 4, 2012
6:30 – 8:30pm
Jamaica Bay Wildlife Refuge Visitor Center
Crossbay Boulevard South
Queens, NY
(718) 318-4340

Car: Belt Parkway to Exit 17 South. Take Crossbay Boulevard south across Joseph A. Addabbo (North Channel) Bridge. The Refuge is about 1.5 miles south of the bridge. Alternatively, take Veterans Memorial Bridge (Crossbay Bridge) from Rockaway to Crossbay Blvd. Proceed north through Broad Channel. The Refuge entrance is about 1.5 miles from the bridge.

Train: Far Rockaway to Broad Channel Station. Walk west on Noel Rd. to Crossbay Blvd. Turn right and walk out of town about 3/4 mile to Refuge entrance.

Bus: Q21 or Q53 to Refuge.

Agenda

6:30  Introductions, Acknowledgment of Elected/Agency Officials
      Dan Mundy, Jamaica Bay EcoWatchers
      Don Riepe, Jamaica Bay Guardian

6:45  Building a New Marsh Island in Jamaica
      Len Houston, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE)

7:25  DEP Projects in Jamaica Bay 2012
      Warren Gordon, New York City Department of Environmental Protection (NYCDEP)

7:45  Overview of Rockaway/Gateway Gas Pipeline
      Dan Mundy Jr., Jamaica Bay EcoWatchers

8:05  Natural Resource Management in Jamaica Bay
      Dave Avrin, National Park Service (NPS)

8:30  Adjourn