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SUPPORT, SAVINGS, AND SERVICES FOR SENIORS

Helping You Access The Programs
And Services You Deserve

Dear Seniors,

Thank you for everything you've done to strengthen our Staten Island and Southern Brooklyn communities. Your hard work, dedication, and service have helped make our neighborhoods the wonderful places they are today. These programs are here to give back by making life a little easier and more affordable. I encourage every senior to take advantage of these valuable benefits and the resources you've earned.

Sincerely,

Mike Tannous

SENIOR RESOURCES:

NYC PROPERTY TAX BENEFITS FOR SENIORS (STAR PROGRAM)

tax.ny.gov/star/

If you're a senior homeowner, the **STAR Program** (School Tax Relief) can help reduce your property taxes. Seniors over 65 who meet income requirements may qualify for **Enhanced STAR**, providing even greater savings on their primary residence.

NYC SENIOR CITIZEN HOMEOWNERS' EXEMPTION (SCHE)

nyc.gov/site/finance/property/landlords-sche.page

The **SCHE program** gives seniors a **property tax break** on their home, co-op, or condo if they are 65 or older and meet income limits. It helps make staying in your home more affordable as you age.



NEW YORK STATE EPIC (ELDERLY PHARMACEUTICAL INSURANCE COVERAGE)

health.ny.gov/health_care/epic

The **EPIC Program** helps seniors 65 and older pay for prescription drugs. It works alongside Medicare Part D to lower medication costs for those meeting income guidelines.

ACCESS-A-RIDE (MTA PARATRANSIT SERVICE)

mta.info/accessibility/access-a-ride

Access-A-Ride provides **door-to-door shared transportation** for seniors and people with disabilities who cannot use regular buses or subways. It ensures mobility and independence across NYC.

CONGESTION RELIEF ZONE DISCOUNTS & EXEMPTIONS

new.mta.info/tolls/congestion-relief-zone/discounts-exemptions

Certain drivers may qualify for discounts, exemptions, or tax credits for the Congestion Relief Zone toll. Visit the MTA website to review eligibility requirements and apply.



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