



NEW YORK STATE SENATOR

Joseph P. Addabbo Jr.

## Addabbo Brings Metrocard Van to Howard Beach & Glendale

JOSEPH P. ADDABBO JR February 8, 2012

*Senator Is a Member of NYS Senate's Committee on the Aging*

**WHEN:** Wednesday, February 29, 2012

**WHERE/TIME:** Howard Beach Senior Center, 156-45 84th St. (10 AM– 12 Noon)

(718-738-8100)

**Stop & Shop, 64-66 Myrtle Ave., Glendale (parking lot near Myrtle)**

(718-381-5136)

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For the disabled and senior members of our community, it can be difficult to get around town. In an effort to provide more accessible service, New York City Transit has a mobile outreach program designed especially to serve their needs in their own communities. **NYS Senator Joseph P. Addabbo, Jr.**, is sponsoring the agency's MetroCard Van to visit his district again later this month.

A specially-equipped MetroCard Van will park at Howard Beach and Glendale locations on the dates/times above, and MetroCard Mobile Sales staff will assist residents 65+ and disabled customers in applying for Reduced Fare MetroCards. All customers may purchase and/or refill MetroCards; report a lost or stolen card; or have a damaged MetroCard replaced on-site. Seniors applying for a reduced-fare MetroCard will need to bring at least 2 types of identification to the MetroCard bus: Medicare Card, Social Security Card, Birth Certificate, Driver's License, or Non-Driver License. A photographer is available on MetroCard buses to complete applications on-site, free of charge. Disabled passengers can get an application on-site, which they must then have completed by their physician, acknowledging their

disability.

For more information, please call Senator Addabbo's Howard Beach ([718-738-1111](tel:718-738-1111)) or Middle Village ([718-497-1630](tel:718-497-1630)) district offices.

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