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ork City Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) to investigate environmental conditions su:

investigate the excessive flooding conditions in the area surrounding this site. My office has received numerous cor

ust gets into their homes: covering their vehicles, windows and terraces. Those who live in the area must keep the

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Montgomery and Councilman Menchaca with Harbor School graduates, Tanasia Swift (Communit

ources of New York Harbor, and the New York metropolitan community collectively formed an unt

are being transformed as they are introduced to career paths in the maritime industry.

aculture, Marine Biology Research, Marine Systems Technology, Ocean Engineering, Professional D

es; others transition directly into jobs in the New York Harbor and beyond.

nity stakeholders to expand the pipeline to middle school students with the proposal to create a Ha

rital component of community change, celebrated its 25th anniversary by officially relaunching itse

Brooklyn Community HS, the Brooklyn HS for Leadership, Urban Assembly School for Law and Ju
school media programs and a four week summer Digital Boot Camp in which participants earn min

levent features performances by professional dance and music groups, as well as local youth group

important work in our community. Visit them at www.hookarts.org to learn more about their wor

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s of Bombazo Dance Company (<http://www.bombazodanceco.com>) at the 25th Annual Red Hook Fe

e Press Association Better Newspaper contest.

irst, for her feature series “Neighborhood Profiles” and her profile of local artist Beriah Wall earned

y newspaper, visit <http://www.star-revue.com>

nmunity leaders to enhance the business climate in the waterfront neighborhoods of Sunset Park,

n a driving force in the improvement of the Southwest Brooklyn economy, delivering a wide range
st Brooklyn who are looking to hire or need resources to grow.

Terminal, in affiliation with The New York City Department of Small Business Services and its Worl

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a-Dickson, Senator Velmanette Montgomery, Deputy Director Suyapa Hernandez and Associate Dir
unity members to celebrate the 40th anniversary of one of the premier organizations in New York

for seniors throughout New York City. RAICES embraces the diversity that makes our state so ur

RAICES Access Program assists in securing all major benefits/

Senior Housing Issues, Senior Citizens Rent Increase Exemption (SCRIE), Elder Pharmaceutical Insura

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Al Villar in presenting \$100,000 to Red Hook Initiative (RHI) as the Grand Prize Winner of the NBC U
7 effort to close the digital divide, create economic opportunity and improve quality of life in Red H

everyday problems in the areas of civic engagement, skills for the digital economy and STEM/STEAM,

Executive Director Jill Eisenhard and her team for their approach to community building, investing in soc

der. RHI reaches over 5,000 Red Hook residents annually and offers programming for students in n

school diploma, a college degree or job training program, and a self-determined career path.

The Senator paid tribute to this outstanding organization for their unwavering commitment to community empowerment, leadership development and creating educational and career pathways for young people. For more info about Red Hook Initiative, visit:

<http://rhicenter.org/>