

NEW YORK STATE SENATOR Brad Hoylman-Sigal

## Senator Hoylman Declares June 14: "Vax Daddy Appreciation Day"

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NEW YORK -- Today, State Senator Brad Hoylman (Manhattan-D/WFP) issued an official New York State Senate proclamation at the Javits Center Mass Vaccination Site declaring June 14, 2021 as "Vax Daddy Appreciation Day." Huge Ma, a Native New Yorker also known as "Vax Daddy," is the creator of TurboVax, a website that helped hundreds of thousands of New Yorkers navigate the City and State's byzantine COVID-19 vaccination sign-up process.

**Senator Hoylman said:** "It's 'Vax Daddy Day'! Huge Ma helped hundreds of thousands of New Yorkers get vaccinated against COVID-19 through the innovative TurboVax platform. My office alone was able to make over 2014 vaccine appointments for constituents through TurboVax. Mr. Ma then swiftly pivoted to combat Anti-Asian hate and raising funds for Welcome to Chinatown, a grassroots initiative to support Chinatown small businesses. I'm extremely proud to proclaim 'Vax Daddy Day' today at the Javits Center Mass Vaccination Site."

Head here for images of the ceremony and the proclamation