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State Senator

# Bill Perkins

30<sup>th</sup> Senatorial District

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**PUBLIC HEARING AND WALKING TOUR – TUESDAY NOV. 30**

**SECOND AVENUE SUBWAY PHASE 1 CONSTRUCTION:**

Senator Bill Perkins, Chair of the Senate Standing Committee on Corporations, Authorities and Commissions will hold a public hearing on the construction of the Second Avenue Subway. Prior to the hearing, Senator Perkins will conduct a walking tour of the Second Avenue corridor currently under heavy construction for Phase 1 of the subway and meet with business owners and area residents.

The expansion of the New York City subway system with construction of the Second Avenue line will benefit riders and positively influence economic development in the city. Unfortunately, as a result of years of stalled construction, these benefits have yet to be realized.

By providing affected members of the community and other involved parties an opportunity to express their concerns regarding the project, this hearing will work towards improving and successfully expanding the MTA system.

#### WHEN

Tuesday November 30

8:30 A.M. Walking tour of Second Avenue Subway Phase 1 construction corridor

1 P.M. Public Hearing

#### WHERE

Walking tour: Begins on NE corner of Second Avenue and E. 80th Street and ends on Second Avenue and E. 94th Street.

Hearing: 250 Broadway 19<sup>th</sup> floor