

CEREMONY CO-CHAIRS

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ASSEMBLY MEMBER REBECCA SEAWRIGHT
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PRESENT

25TH ANNIVERSARY

9/11 REMEMBRANCE

EAST SIDE
LIGHTING THE WAY

EVENT DETAILS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2026

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

CARL SCHURZ PARK

LOWER PLAZA

(EAST 86TH STREET AND EAST END AVENUE)

ABOUT THE CEREMONY

A continuation of the East Side remembrance tradition begun in the first years after September 11th.

Join neighbors for music, poetry and reflections honoring those we lost and the enduring strength of our community.

WITH COMMUNITY PARTNERS

UES CommunityUnity Initiative • Carl Schurz Park Conservancy
Manhattan Community Board 8 • Borough President Brad Hoylman-Sigal
Senators Liz Krueger & José Serrano • Assembly Member Alex Bores • Assembly Member Micah Lasher
Former Congresswoman Carolyn Maloney • Councilmember Virginia Maloney • NYPD • FDNY
Commandant David Menegon & the Knickerbocker Greys
Rev. Matthew Dayton-Welch • Friends of the East River Esplanade
Greater New York Chamber of Commerce • Patrick McCluskey • Ann Meschery
Valerie Mason • Alida Camp • Arlene Kayatt • Russell M. Squire
Vanessa Aronson • Faith Bondy • Gavilan Longino • Lukas Florczak • Mansion Diner

WE REMEMBER • WE HONOR • WE STAND TOGETHER