

Public Hearing

The **Metropolitan Transportation Authority** ("MTA"), on behalf of itself and its subsidiaries, will hold a public hearing pursuant to Article 2 of the New York State Eminent Domain Procedure Law ("EDPL") on the proposed acquisition of permanent property interests in property in the Borough of Brooklyn for ADA Accessibility Updates at the Nostrand Avenue Station on the IND Fulton Street Line ("Project"). The hearing will review the public uses, benefits, purposes, and location of the Project, the impact the Project may have on the environment and residents of the area and will give the public an opportunity to comment on the Project and the proposed Property acquisition.

Description of the Project

The Project represents a major commitment by MTA Construction & Development to modernize and improve accessibility across the New York City Transit system. This Project will provide Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliant, barrier-free paths of travel at five (5) stations in Brooklyn: Neptune Avenue (IND Culver Line), 18th Avenue (BMT West End Line), Jefferson Street (BMT Canarsie Line), Nostrand Avenue (IND Fulton Street Line), and Fort Hamilton Parkway (BMT West End Line). The scope of work involves the installation of new elevators, the reconfiguration of the station layout to support new vertical circulation, the construction of new fare control areas, and critical state-of-good-repair work on station platforms. This public hearing covers the property interests required for work at the Nostrand Avenue (IND Fulton Street Line) station.

Date, Time and Location of the Public Hearing

Monday, April 13, 2026 - Hearing begins at 5:00 p.m. and speaker registration closes at 5:15 p.m.
Brooklyn Children's Museum, 145 Brooklyn Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11213

Public Hearing Format

This will be an in-person public hearing.

Registering To Speak at the Public Hearing

Those interested in speaking at the public hearing must pre-register. **Each registered speaker will have two (2) minutes to speak.**

To register to speak you may, 1) **register online at mta.info/nostrand-ada-hearing-2026** or 2) **call the Public Hearing Hotline at (646) 252-6777** (Telephone agents are available from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily) or 3) **sign up in person at the hearing.** Written comments may be submitted and additional information requested through the same options listed above. Registration opens on March 18, 2026, and closes at 5:15 p.m. on April 13, 2026. All written comments must be submitted by 5:30 p.m. on April 24, 2026. Comments will be transcribed and included as part of the permanent record of this hearing.

Additional Ways to Comment or Request Information

By Postal Mail: To submit comments, letters should be addressed to: MTA Government & Community Relations, Attn: EDPL Nostrand Ave Project, 2 Broadway, D16.94, New York, NY 10004.

For questions about the Hearing, contact: Joe O'Donnell, MTA Construction & Development, 2 Broadway, New York, N.Y.10004 Tel. (646) 252-2959 or Joseph.O'Donnell@mtacd.org.

Any property owner or other interested party who may wish to challenge the proposed property taking via judicial review may do so only on the basis of issues, facts, and objections raised at the EDPL public hearing.

LOCATION & TYPE OF PROPERTY INTEREST THAT MAY BE ACQUIRED

Borough	Block	Lot	Property Address	Type of Interest
Brooklyn	1860	37	1242 Fulton Street	Full Fee Taking

Accessibility and Language Assistance Services

At the public hearing, American Sign Language (ASL) services will be available if requested by March 27, 2026.

For Individuals Who Are Deaf or Hard of Hearing can use your preferred relay service or the free 711 relay service to connect to the Public Hearing Hotline at (646) 252-6777.

For Individuals Who Are Blind or Have Low Vision can request accommodations on or before March 27, 2026, submitting a request online at: mta.info/nostrand-ada-hearing-2026 or by calling the Public Hearing Hotline at (646) 252-6777.

For Language assistance or other accommodation:

Please submit a request at least ten business days before the hearing date online, by telephone, or by postal mail.

