



**Battery Park
City Authority**

Parks Operations Update



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Parks Operations

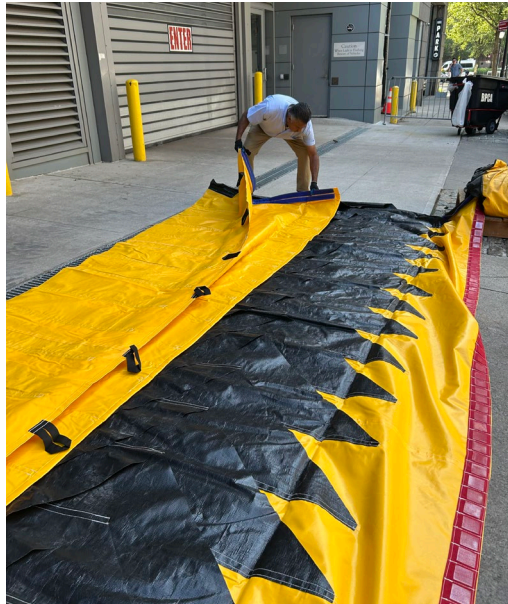
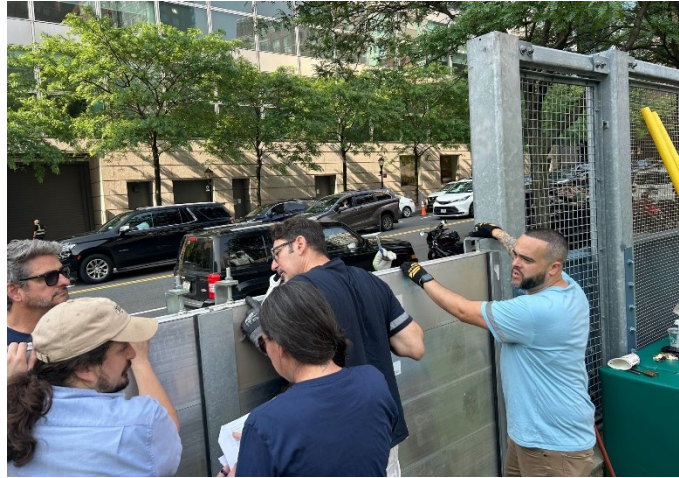


Team at Work

- Maintaining Wagner Park
- Planted six (6) street trees in Battery Park City (part of NYPA's Tree Power 2.0 grant program)
- Over 35,000 bulbs planted this fall for spring
- Public engagement opportunities with Summer Interns
- Tribute in Lights
- Bird Safe Glass Project
- Upcycled planting pots
- Deployed flood barrier systems



Team at Work



Team at Work - Upcoming

- Preparing for winterization
 - Water features
 - Lawns
- Fall leaves collection for compost
- Pumpkin and holiday tree collection
- Maintenance shift schedule changes
- Pilot a 3-stream waste bin
- Prepared for snow events
- Preparing for upcoming NW project



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Battery Park City Authority is committed to establishing a biodiversity haven in our 36 acres of park land located along the Hudson River. In place of where deteriorating piers once stood, our parks provide vital ecological functions within a highly urban environment. It is a public park that also serves as a backyard.

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Project Journal

Overview

9,506 OBSERVATIONS

1,572 SPECIES

1,796 IDENTIFIERS

756 OBSERVERS

Stats

Recent Observations

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- RG American Robin *Turdus migratorius* 3 a day ago
- RG Red Nail Gall Mite *Eriophyes tiliae* 2 a day ago
- RG Large Milkweed Bug *Oncopeltus fasciatus* 2 2 days ago
- RG White-throated Sparrow *Zonotrichia albicollis* 2 2 days ago

BPC Parks Happenings

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BPC PARKS HAPPENINGS: OCTOBER 2025

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BPC Parks Happenings is a monthly "snapshot" of the Authority's work in maintaining Battery Park City's parks and public spaces. Scroll down to see what's on for October!