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IMMIGRANT AID CENTER AT NEW SITE

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ASTORIA Immigration Advocacy Services, a not-for-profit outreach center serving immigrants from a variety of nationalities and ethnic origins, has moved up the street to larger offices.

Executive Director Anthony Meloni said the new site, at 24-40 Steinway St., "will better enable us to help our constituents with questions regarding immigration.

The languages spoken in our offices include Italian, Greek, Croatian, Spanish, Romanian, Chinese, Korean and Arabic."

Among the services provided by the center are assistance with immigration procedures and filings, photographs for green-card and naturalization applicants, and referrals to immigration attorneys.

Corona

Additional street lighting will be installed next year by city Department of Transportation crews under the pedestrian crossover on the Horace Harding Expressway near the entrance to the Grand Central Parkway, City Councilman Morton Povman (D-Flushing) has announced.

Povman said the crossover, adjacent to the Fairview Cooperative development, "has been the scene of drug deals and hence had to be better lit against crime." Work is scheduled to begin in the fall.

Jamaica

The York College/CUNY Best Kids 4-H Club has been chosen to receive a \$ 1,200 grant from the National 4-H Council in partnership with the Metropolitan Life Foundation.

The Best Kids club will use the grant to pay for the cost of hosting meals at the Jamaica-based Godian Fellowship Soup Kitchen once a month on Fridays for nine months next year. Part of the award money also will be used to host a school supply drive in September, with the contributions distributed to children in homeless shelters throughout southeastern Queens.

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