

# JOIN US FOR THE GROUNDBREAKING CELEBRATION OF EL BARRIO'S ARTSPACE PS109

Hosted by City Council Member Melissa Mark-Viverito and El Barrio's Operation Fightback Founder Gustavo Rosado

Featuring the legendary **Johnny Colón and his Orchestra**, as well as other local artists.

## SPEAKERS:

Mayor Michael R. Bloomberg | National Endowment for the Arts Chairman, Rocco Landesman | Artspace President, Kelley Lindquist  
Ford Foundation President, Luis Ubiñas | Capital One Bank, Manhattan Market President, James Covington  
NYC Department of Housing Preservation & Development Commissioner, Mathew Wambua  
Manhattan Borough President, Scott Stringer | Manhattan Community Board 11 Chair, Matthew S. Washington  
NYC Housing Authority Chairman, John Rhea



Photo by Gustavo Rosado

**THIS EVENT IS FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!**

**Tuesday, October 2nd, 2012 // 4:00 - 8 pm // 215 E. 99th Street // New York City**

**Please join Artspace Projects, Inc., and El Barrio's Operation Fightback  
for the Groundbreaking Celebration of El Barrio's Artspace PS109.**

El Barrio's Artspace is a community-driven project, which will transform the abandoned PS109 building in East Harlem into an arts facility with 90 affordable live/work residences for artists and their families and 15,000 square feet of space for arts and cultural activities.



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