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Douglaston Development chairman Jeffrey Levine joined Mayor Michael R. Bloomberg, Council Speaker Christine C. Quinn and other officials at the launch of the new East River Ferry Service from the North Williamsburg site between North 5th and 6th Streets adjacent to The Edge condominium. They were joined by fellow riders Deputy Mayor for Economic Development Robert K. Steel, Congress Member Carolyn Maloney, Borough Presidents Marty Markowitz, Helen Marshall and Scott Stringer, City Planning Commissioner Amanda M. Burden, New York City Economic Development Corporation President Seth W. Pinsky, BillyBey Ferry Company Chairman Bill Wachtel and President Paul Goodman and Metropolitan Waterfront Alliance President Roland Lewis. Expansion of the ferry service to Brooklyn and Queens will afford New Yorkers additional traveling options to rapidly-growing neighborhoods including Williamsburg's new waterfront community.