## **Brooklyn Speaks Out Out Against Tolls**

Brooklyn Borough President Marty Markowitz and Council Member Bill deBlasio spoke out against the tolling of the free East River bridges at a news conference, Sunday, November 16, 2008 at the foot of the Brooklyn Bridge. Joining the BP was City Council Finance Committee Chairman David Weprin who called on the State to reinstate the non-resident income tax – a longstanding position of the Queens Civic Congress included in its current CIVIC2030 platform, as noted by Queens Civic Congress President Corey Bearak in his remarks. Also present was Queens Chamber of Commerce trustee Joshua Bienstock. Thank you Brooklyn Daily Eagle and Daily Bulletin for its news coverage.

