



### HEARTWALK GOES TO THE ROCKAWAYS!

Join us for a Public Space Potluck on Rockaway Beach to discuss the role of design in disaster recovery with [Situ Studio](#) + [MoMA PS1 VW Dome 2](#).

**Saturday, May 18th 2013**

**1 – 4 PM**

**Beach 95th Street**

After making stops in Times Square and DUMBO, Situ Studio's Heartwalk is returning to the Rockaways. To celebrate, the [Design Trust for Public Space](#) will host a [Public Space Potluck](#) with [Situ Studio](#), the [MoMA PS1 VW Dome 2](#) and [NYC Parks' Art in the Parks](#) program on Saturday, May 18th from 1-4 pm for [NYCxDesign](#). Please join us for an informal potluck and conversation about the role of design in disaster recovery. We'll provide the cups, plates and napkins and beach blankets...bring a dish to share! [Click here for event listing on NYCxDesign schedule.](#)

#### *About Heartwalk*

Heartwalk- the 30-foot heart constructed from Hurricane Sandy salvaged boardwalk in the Rockaways and Atlantic City- embodies the collective experience of Hurricane Sandy and the love that binds people together during trying times. Whether it was the radically reconfigured landscapes, the compromised infrastructural networks, or the temporary solutions that emerged in the days and weeks that followed the storm, Hurricane Sandy confronted all New Yorkers and New Jerseyans by transforming the familiar. Heartwalk was originally commissioned by the [Times Square Alliance](#) and the Design Trust for Public Space for the Times Square Annual Valentine Design Competition, This is your last chance to see Heartwalk in NY for the foreseeable future- Situ's epic public art piece will move to Atlantic City, NJ for a semi-permanent installation. While installed in the Rockaways, the Heartwalk lights are powered by the generosity of [Power Rockaways Resilience](#).

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#### **The Design Trust for Public Space**

Public Space Potlucks is an ongoing program of the Design Trust for Public Space, a nonprofit that brings together city agencies, community groups and private-sector designers to improve public space for all New Yorkers.



NYC Parks

#### **NYC Parks Art in the Park**

Parks' public art program has consistently fostered the creation and installation of temporary public art in parks throughout the five boroughs. Since 1967, collaborations with arts organizations and artists have produced hundreds of public art projects in New York City parks.

MoMA PS1

#### **MoMA PS1 VW Dome 2**

As part of EXPO 1: New York and in partnership with Volkswagen, MoMA PS1 has installed a temporary geodesic dome in the Rockaways to serve as a center for culture, education, and community.



#### **Situ Studio**

Situ Studio was founded in 2005 in Brooklyn, New York, while its four partners were studying architecture at the Cooper Union.