# <u>COMMUNITY BOARD 1-MANHATTAN</u> <u>MINUTES</u>

DATE: Tuesday, April 26, 2022

TIME: 6:00 PM

PLACE: Live Remote Meetings - <u>https://live.mcb1.nyc</u>

#### AGENDA

"All meetings are recorded to the extent practicable and posted on our Youtube page as soon as possible. You may find the link here."

"If there are any relevant draft resolutions that will be considered at this meeting, they may be found here."

#### Public Session (6:00 PM - 6:45 PM)

A) Comments by members of the public (1-2 minutes per speaker)

- Elizabeth Berger
  - Opposes the resolution to support state legislation on housing and rent eligibility until we can gather additional information
- Diane Stein
  - Supports the resolution to support state legislation on housing and rent eligibility
- Nancy Kong
  - Part of Park Row Alliance. Asks Community Board to support Park Row beautification plan and resolution
- Charles Lai
  - Speaking about fencing near new jail construction concerned about effect on local community

#### Public Hearing (6:45 PM - 7:00 PM)

A) Allowances or conditions that should be necessary to permit a community board member to contribute to quorum and vote without being physically present per the updates to Open Meetings Law that passed in the FY 2023 New York State Budget

• No testimony offered

#### **Business Session**

A) Adoption of March 2022 minutes

Motion to adopt was passed unanimously as presented by roll call of 39 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused

B) Updates from Elected Officials

# <u>Jerrold Nadler - Hanna Weinerman</u>

- Biden admin extending pause on student loan payments
- Extended deadline for SSA applications until 12/30/22
- Qualified seniors can receive up to 3 covid tests at participating pharmacies
- Check your passports to ensure they are up to date before you travel

# <u>Senator Brian Kavanaugh</u>

- Updated the community board on various budgetary issues including help from the federal budget
- House failed to pass housing bill
- Fighting for all electric building act
- Fought for increase in CUNY
- Working to maximize affordability for 250 Water Street project
- Working on 20 Exchange elevators
- Focused on Brooklyn Bridge public space

# Assemblymember Yuh-Line Niou - Theo Perez

- Have people behind on rent payments contact office for ERAP monies
- Battery Park City bills are being considered
- Consumer and small business protection acts are being considered
- Engaged on 250 Water, 5 World Trade and 20 Exchange Place

# Borough President Mark Levine - Deputy Borough President Keisha Sutton-James

- Calls for better data on Covid
- Giving out safety bags and test kits for Covid
- Outlined various priorities on the city budget
- BP wrote to judge regarding eviction legal protections
- Small business applications open for small business booster program
- Updated Community Board on open meeting law allowing for

# Councilmember Christopher Marte - Max Duetche

- Introduced first legislation support for 9/11 survivors
- Introduced legislation to end inhumane 24 hour workday
- Introduced legislation to have DOT erect bilingual street signs in Chinatown
- Working with other leaders to fight the rat problem / holding event to help prevent rat infestations

#### Assembly Member Charles Fall

• Will soon represent the Battery Park area due to redistricting and wanted to reach out and contact the Community Board.

# District Attorney Bragg's office - Lingjun Chen

- Announcing arraignment of alleged perpetrator of hate crimes
- C) Treasurer's Report M. James
  - a. Treasurer reporter that the budget is currently in the black
- D) District Manager's Report L. Reynolds
  - a. worked with Community Board1 and community members on walk through of construction site of Manhattan Detention Complex
  - b. Mayor's office has asked for additional speakers for 5 borough bike tour

#### E) Chairperson's Report – T. Meltzer

Report can be accessed from our website: https://www1.nyc.gov/site/manhattancb1/archives/monthly-chairpersons-report.page

#### **Committee Reports**

#### A) **Executive Committee**

- Requesting the Traffic Mobility Review Board comply fully with the Open Meetings Law - Resolution Approved by a voice vote of 45 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused
- 2. Update on New York State Changes to Open Meetings Law Report
- 3. Community Board 1 Review Protocol for Cannabis Retail Applications Report
- 4. South BPC Resiliency Project Pre-Construction Site Tours & Display of Architectural Models Report

# B) Licensing & Permits Committee

#### <u>Tribeca area</u>

- 1. 90 Chambers Street, application for liquor license for RDA Associates Corp. Resolution Approved by a vote of 45 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused
- 105 Hudson Street, application for liquor license for BB Tribeca LLC d/b/a Beef Bar Resolution Approved by a vote of 45 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused
- 11 Varick Street, application for new and temporary retail permit liquor license for Carlina 22 LLC d/b/a Osteria Carlina Tribeca - Resolution Approved by a vote of 45 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused

#### Financial District area

- 28 Liberty Street, alteration to existing liquor license to add a permanent bar on the 60th floor for 28 Liberty F & B MMT LLC & Summit Glory Property LLC d/b/a Manhatta/Bay Room - Resolution Approved by a vote of 45 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused
- 2. 50 Trinity Place, application for liquor license for KNJ Medium LLC Resolution Approved by a vote of 45 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused
- 11 Hanover Square, application for new and temporary retail for Alexia Hanover Square LLC d/b/a Alexia Greece – Resolution Approved by a vote of 45 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused
- 85 Broad Street, application for new and temporary retail wine, beer & cider license for APQ 85 Broad NY, LLC d/b/a Le Pain Quotidien – Resolution Approved by a vote of 45 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused

# **Battery Park City area**

#### T. Meltzer

S. Cole

 102 North End Avenue, application for new and temporary wine, beer & cider retail permit license for United Artists Theater Circuit, Inc. d/b/a Regal Battery Park Stadium 11 - Resolution Approved by a vote of 45 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused

#### Seaport/Civic Center area

1. Nautical Gourmet, Inc. d/b/a Clipper City relocating from Slip 1 in Battery Park, back to Pier 17 - Report

J. Cuccia

J. Friedman

#### C) Battery Park City Committee

- 1. West Thames Street Dog Run Report
- 2. Battery Park City Bond Outlook for 2022 and Beyond Report
- 3. The Impact of Street Closures and Resiliency Construction on Residences, Businesses and Institutions in South Battery Park City Report
- 4. BPC Parks Operations Spring Preview Report
- 5. BPC Security Update Report
- 6. BPCA Report Report

#### D) Landmarks & Preservation Committee

- 90 West Street, application for the replacement of 5 railings on the 4th floor with fiberglass posts - Resolution Approved by a vote of 45 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused
- 2. Recommendation on new LPC Commissioners Resolution (Tabled back to committee)

#### E) Transportation & Street Activity Permits Committee B. Kay

- Civilian Enforcement of Illegal Placard Parking Resolution Motion to table: By a vote of 16 in favor, 20 opposed, 7 abstained and 0 recused (Failed) Approved by a vote of 25 in favor, 14 opposed, 4 abstained and 0 recused
- Integration of NYU Bus Service at an Existing Authorized Stop on Lafayette Street at Walker Street - Resolution Approved by a vote of 44 in favor, 1 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused
- 3. Street Event American Heart Association Wall Street Run, Multiple Streets Resolution Approved by a vote of 43 in favor, 2 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused
- 4. Street Event Washington Market School Fundraiser, Duane Street Resolution Approved by a vote of 45 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused
- 5. Street Event Bike New York Five Borough Bike Tour, Multiple Streets Resolution Approved by a vote of 45 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused
- 6. Street Event 9/11 Memorial & Museum 5K Run/Walk, Multiple Streets Resolution Approved by a vote of 45 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused
- 7. Funding for the DOT Streets Master Plan Resolution Approved by a vote of 21 in favor, 10 opposed, 14 abstained and 0 recused (Failed)

# 8. OMNY Fare Payment - Report F) Environmental Protection Committee A. Blank 1. 250 Water Street Brownfield Cleanup Program - Report 2. Archaeological Plans for 250 Water Street - Report 3. Syracuse University, Cities at Risk - Report G) Waterfront, Parks & Cultural Committee P. Goldstein 1. Park Row Beautification - Resolution Approved by a vote of 43 in favor, 0 opposed, 1 abstained and 1 recused 2. Spring NYC Parks Update - Report 3. Fearless Girl Statue Public Design Commission Application - Report

# 1. High School admission progress for calendar year 2023 - Report

2. Harbor School Pool and Gym - Report

Youth & Education Committee

# I) Land Use, Zoning & Economic Development Committee P. Kennell/L. Starr

T. Joyce

- 1. South Street Seaport Concession and Request for Proposals (RFP) Report
- 2. Downtown Alliance Quarterly Update Report
- 3. Water Street Privately Owned Public Spaces (POPS) Interim Installation Regulations -Report

# J) Quality of Life & Delivery Services Committee P. Moore

- 1. DDC Street Reconstruction Projects Report
- 2. DDC Manhattan Detention Complex Demolition Project Report
- 3. Office of Cannabis Management and Quality of Life Concerns Report
- 4. Cobblestone Street Repairs and Reconstruction Report
- Community Board 1 Support for Legislation to Extend Senior Citizen Rent Increase Exemption (SCRIE) - Resolution Approved by a vote of 42 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained and 0 recused

#### New Business

H)

# Old Business

# <u>Adjournment</u>

All documents relating to the above agenda items are on file at the Community Board 1 office and are available for viewing by the public upon written request to man01@cb.nyc.gov

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