

Public Hearing Fiscal Year 2012 Capital and Expense Budget Priorities

The Public Hearing on Fiscal Year 2012 Capital and Expense Budget Priorities was held at The Bronx Lebanon Hospital Center 1650 Grand Concourse; Murray Cohen Auditorium, Bronx, NY. The Hearing was called to order by the Board Chair, Pastor Wenzell P. Jackson 7:00pm.

The Board Chair gave welcoming remarks and began by giving an overview of the budget process, the Community Board's role and its responsibility involving this Charter mandate. He informed all in attendance that this portion of the meeting will be Community Board Four's Public Hearing on the FY 2012 Capital and Expense Budget Priorities.

Pastor Jackson began by outlining the hearings procedures and then announced that the Capital and Expense requests. Prior to concluding, the Board Chair made mention of the changes requested by the Board regarding the priority order of selected items.

- Capital Request: ACS-Agency to develop Day Care Centers in CB4-Final Priority 7
- Expense Request: DSNY-Maintenance of underpasses in CB4-Final Priority 4
- Expense Request: ACS-Expand CPI Initiative in CB4-Final Priority 5
- Expense Request: NYCEDC-Development of commuter taxi-Final Priority 19

At the conclusion of reading the priorities the Board Chair asked if any Board Members and meeting attendees had any further questions or objections. None being called Board Chair proceeded to officially close and conclude the Public Hearing on FY 2012 Capital and Expense Priorities.

- **Pastor Wenzell P. Jackson, Board Chair** opened the meeting by welcoming all to our General Board Meeting.
- **Bishop Earl McKay** led the invocation and pledge of allegiance.
- **Review/Correction/Adoption of General Board Meeting minutes.**
The Motion was made by Ms. Beverly Bond and 2nd by Bishop McKay with the correction being made toward Board Member Shelly Wilson's attendance. The motion duly carried.
- **Vote on FY2012 Capital and Expense Budget Priorities.**
The motion was made by Ms. Martha Reyes and 2nd by Ms. Arthuree Evans. The motion passed unanimously.
- Report by the Offices of the **Bronx Borough President, Ruben Diaz, Jr.-Representative Aurea Mangual.**
 - Youth Council
 - Borough President's Office Internships
 - Community Board Appointments/Applications
 - Bronx Defender's Clinic
 - Peace In Our Streets
 - Halloween Celebration
- Report by **Local Elected Officials** or their representatives.

- Representatives from State Senator Ruth Hassell-Thompson's Office Carolyn Jones
 - Safe Streets and Gun Violence Initiatives
 - Domestic Violence Forum
 - Veteran's Day Event
- Representative from State Senator Jose Serrano's Office Angel Santana
 - Select Bus Service
 - Press Conference Hate Crime
 - Constituent Hours

- **Committee Reports.**

Municipal Services Committee: Letter of support for New Settlement and Turner Construction to begin Saturday Construction work, for the New School to begin at 8am.

- **Motion for Letter of Support.** Motion made by Ms. Mildred James and 2nd by Mr. Jackson Strong. The Motion duly carried.

- **Public Session**

- Shagun Singh and Annie Ledbury of Architecture for Humanity are looking volunteer leaders and volunteers to take care of ART farm which is a community garden that they created.

Submitted by Jose Rodriguez, District Manager.