

## BRONX COMMUNITY BOARD NO. 8

### MINUTES OF THE YOUTH COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON JANUARY 23, 2013 AT FORT INDEPENDENCE COMMUNITY CENTER 3350 BAILEY AVENUE

#### Attendees

Lamont Parker  
Rita Pochter Lowe  
Nicole Stent  
Carmelo Alvarado  
Kathy Gilson  
Marjorie Harrow  
Sadie Mahoney  
Erik Maldonado  
Nancy Nunez  
Sara Shaikh  
Alina Williams  
Gloria Williams

#### Affiliation

CB8, Chair  
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CB 8, District Manager  
TD Bank  
Riverdale Community Center  
VCP Ice Rink  
Kingsbridge Heights Community Center  
Poet, "Advocate of Wordz"  
Riverdale Neighborhood House  
Bon Secours, NY Health System  
Fort Independence Community Center  
Riverdale Community Center

At 1:00PM the meeting was called to order.

#### Old Business

- The New York Yankees' Leadership awards will be presented at the Board Meeting on February 12, 2013.
- Work toward finalizing a date for "Youth Day" with Van Cortlandt Park Golf.
- Invite Target and Capital One Bank to attend February Youth Committee meeting.

#### New Business

1. Carmelo Alvarado spoke about TD Bank's youth workshops and is coordinating a day with the community centers to educate the youth about budgeting and bank functions.
2. Marjorie Harrow, representative from the VCP Ice Skating Rink discussed the arrangements for Youth Day on February 18<sup>th</sup>. Youths will be charged a discounted rate of \$5.00 that will include skate rentals and admission. The Rink is offering this use between 6 PM and 8 PM.
3. Sarah Shaikh from Bon Secours NY Health Systems spoke about the healthy community initiative.
4. The Committee discussed the Street Activity Permit Application for Marble Hill Youthmarket, to operate at West 225<sup>th</sup> Street between Broadway and Exterior Street, on Thursdays from July 11, 2013 through November 21, 2013. Ms. Shaikh, a community partner and leader in the youthmarket, presented information about the market, its success and future plans.
5. A resolution was presented:

**BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Youth Committee of Community Board No. 8 Bronx approves the Street Activity Permit Application for Marble Hill Youthmarket, to

operate at West 225<sup>th</sup> Street between Broadway and Exterior Street, on Thursdays from July 11, 2013 through November 21, 2013.

**Vote:** 5 in favor, 0 opposed and 0 abstentions.

In Favor:

CB 8 Members

L. Parker, R. Pochter Lowe

Community Committee Members

K. Gibson, A. Williams, G. Williams

6. Erik Maldonado spoke about the Bronx Youth Slam, being held on May 23<sup>rd</sup> at the Kingsbridge Library. He explained what the event entails and how the local community centers can be involved.

**Future Business**

- Invite Chase Bank to attend Youth Committee meeting.
- Initiate talks for a "Youth Day" with the Uptown Sports Complex.

**Adjourned Meeting**

Meeting was adjourned at 2:30 PM.

The following Youth Committee meeting will be on February 27<sup>th</sup>, 1:00PM at Kingsbridge Heights Community Center, 3101 Kingsbridge Terrace, Bronx, NY 10463.

Submitted by,

Lamont Parker, Chair  
Youth Committee