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DISTRICTING COMMISSION RELEASES DATES FOR THIRD ROUND OF CITYWIDE PUBLIC HEARINGS

Public Input Will Be Sought on the Updated Revised Plan Released December 4th.

The New York City Districting Commission Chairman Benito Romano and Executive Director Carl Hum today announced the dates for the third round of public hearings related to the revised <u>plan</u> which was released to the public on December 4th. The hearings will begin in January and preregistration is now open for speaking time or testimony can be submitted via the NYC Commission's website at <u>www.nyc.gov/districting</u>.

MANHATTAN	Hunter College
Monday, January 7 th	Faculty Dining Room, 8 th Floor
6PM-9PM	695 Park Avenue
	New York, NY 10065
BRONX	Hostos Community College
Wednesday, January 9 th	Repertory Theatre, Building C
6PM-9PM	500 Grand Concourse
	Bronx, NY 10451
BROOKLYN	Saint Francis College
Thursday, January 10 th	Founders Hall Auditorium
6PM-9PM	180 Remsen Street
	Brooklyn, NY 11201
QUEENS	LaGuardia Community College
Monday, January 14 th	Little Theatre
6PM-9PM	31-10 Thompson Ave
	Long Island City, NY 11101
STATEN ISLAND	Staten Island Borough Hall
Tuesday, January 15 th	10 Richmond Terrace
6PM-9PM	Staten Island, NY 10301

OUTREACH

The Commission will continue to have outreach staff speak at local community boards and civic associations about the districting process and encourage the public to attend the hearings, submit their version of a revised plan or email hearing testimony. Interested groups who wish to have a Commission staff speak at a local meeting they can do so by calling 212-442-6940 or via email at



<u>info@districting,nyc.gov</u>. The Commission also encourages the public to view the Commission's website and use it as the central source of information to access data and maps, review materials from past hearings, and view statistical resources.

For more information about the Commission and its schedule of upcoming hearings, please visit <u>www.nyc.gov/districting</u>

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