Haven Avenue Plaza Proposal

Manhattan Community Board 12 Traffic & Transportation Committee

November 6, 2017
Agenda

Haven Avenue Plaza Proposal

- Overview
- Traffic
- Parking
- Programming
- Public Safety
73 Plazas currently in development, construction, or complete, of those

56 Plazas open to the public
Plaza Program

Program Goals

To create high quality public space in underutilized roadway. With Plazas we aim to:

• Increase Local Economic Vitality

• Enhance Pedestrian Mobility and Access to Public Transit

• Bolster Civic Engagement

• Enhance Public Safety and traffic safety
Public Meetings and Workshops

- **Public Workshop:** Tue, June 13, 2017 (701 W 168th St)
- **Public Workshop:** Mon, Sept 25, 2017 (560 W 168th St)
- **CB 12 Traffic & Transportation:** Mon, Oct 2, 2017 (530 W 166th St)
- **Public Workshop:** Wed, Oct 11, 2017 (104 Haven Ave)
- **CB 12 Traffic & Transportation:** Mon, Nov 6, 2017 (W 166th St)

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**Process**
Traffic Considerations

Existing

Proposed

*Reverse one block of W 169th St between Fort Washington Ave and Haven Ave

*Low vehicle volume street

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Traffic Considerations
Workshop
October 11, 2017
Workshop

October 11, 2017
On-Street Parking

17 displaced alternate side spaces

Replacement spaces
- 18 alternate side
- 13 metered
CUMC/NYP Parking Strategies

• Overnight parking available to community residents at employee rate

• Overnight parking available to all CU overnight employees
  • Second Shift: 4 PM – 12:30 AM
  • Third Shift: 12 midnight – 8 AM

• Other initiatives to reduce employee vehicles
  • CU now offers no-cost shuttle service to Fort Lee, NJ for daily commuters
  • Crosstown Metro-North Shuttle Bus to 125th Street Station
  • Carpool designated parking
Deliveries and Distribution

- Central loading dock at Black Building: extend daily loading dock hours to 16 hrs/day
- Alan Rosenfeld Building Loading Dock at Riverside Drive: extend daily loading dock hours to 8 hrs/day
- Additional loading docks located east of Broadway at the Russ Berrie, ICRC, and Lasker buildings
- Promote off-peak deliveries
- Push deliveries to perimeter of campus
Haven Avenue Plaza
Plaza Management

- SAPO
- Public Safety
- Maintenance
- Programming

1. Plantings – Haven Avenue
2. Site Lighting – Pennovation Center, University of PA
3. Integrated Landscape – Met Museum Plaza
4. Lawn and Plantings – Stepped Retaining Walls
5. Art and Education Installation
   Mobile Library, Brooklyn Borough Hall
6. Flexible Seating – Haven Square
Partners and Collaborators

- Grow NYC
- Chalk
- Broadway United Businesses
- NOMAA
- Cloth
- NMAC
- Chamber of Commerce of Washington Heights & Inwood
- Barnes & Noble Booksellers
- Care Center of New York
- Community Board 12, Manhattan
- New York City DOT
- Columbia University Medical Center
- NewYork-Presbyterian
Art, Music, and Dance
Green Market
**Project Timeline**

- June 2016: One day plaza event
- August 2016: CUMC applies to the NYC Plaza Program
- Ongoing outreach with elected officials, NYPD, and other stakeholders
- September 2016: One day plaza event
- January 2017: Haven Avenue application accepted into Plaza Program
- September 2017: One day plaza event
- June 2017: Public workshop
- September 2017: Public workshop
- October 2017: Public workshop
- **November 2017: CB12 T&T presentation**
- Fall 2017: CB12 Full Board
- Spring/Summer 2018: Potential interim plaza implementation with CB12 approval