WESTCHESTER SQ. PLAZA

Community Workshop

June 20th 2017
The Westchester Square BID was established in 2012 to:
- Provide resources for businesses
- Promote and advocate for the community
- Provide sanitation and beautification services
- Coordinate events and programs

Goals of Pedestrian Plaza project:
• Creating a space that welcome patrons and community members to Westchester Square
• Strengthen relations amongst the Square's most prevalent members: the school community, merchants, workforce and residents
LETTERS OF SUPPORT

WSDMA Applied to Round 9 in 2016
SAFETY

Vision Zero and Crash History

- There have been 33 crashes at the intersection of Westchester Ave and E Tremont Ave. between 2010-2014
- 3 persons were severely injured; 1 person was killed
- E Tremont Ave is a Vision Zero Priority Corridor
- DOT installed refuge islands, 2015
EXISTING CONDITIONS  E Tremont Ave looking West
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EXISTING CONDITIONS  E Tremont Ave looking East
EXISTING CONDITIONS  E Tremont Ave looking East
EXISTING CONDITIONS  E Tremont Ave looking South
EXISTING CONDITIONS  E Tremont Ave looking North
VEHICLES VS. PEDESTRIANS VOLUMES

869 MIDDAY Peak

154/254 AM/PM Peak
PROPOSED SITE
PARKING REGULATIONS
PLAZA TOOL KIT, Fowler Square in Fort Greene, Brooklyn
MAINTENANCE RESPONSIBILITIES

The maintenance partner would be responsible for basic maintenance tasks including litter removal, snow clearance, furniture maintenance, and horticultural care.
PLAZA RULES + SIGNAGE

- New Plaza rules have recently been passed and are part of the Administrative Code.
- With every new Plaza we install rules signage.
ONE DAY PLAZA  July 2014
NEXT STEPS

• One Day Plaza Events (Summer 2017)
• Develop concept design based on community feedback from workshop
• Hold second public workshop to gather further community feedback (Late Summer/Early Fall)
• Present plan to Community Board No.10 (Fall 2017)
• Implementation (Spring 2018)
THANK YOU!

Questions?