CB12M- Youth & Education Committee

Meeting Minutes Monday, September 11, 2017 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.

Location: 530 West 166th Street, 6th Floor

Committee Members Present: Maria Luna

Committee Member (s) Excused; Fe Florimon, Chair, Glennis Aquino; Vice Chair

Committee Member (s) Absent: Ayisha Ogilvie, Derek Peralta, Hjordys Perez-Matos, Luis Tapia.

Community Members: Raysa Ramirez – Broadway Housing, Samantha Bonnet – Broadway Housing, Joseph Negron-KIPP NYC, Joel Yoffie, Walter Rendon-School in the Square, Evan Meyers-School in the Square.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30, there was no quorum and Maria Luna was the only member present.

DECISION TO HEAR PRESENTATION FOLLOWING AGENDA:

Mr. WALTER RENDON FROM ST. SPYRIDON CHARTER SCHOOL IN THE SQUARE SPOKE ABOUT THE MISSION OF THE SCHOOL THAT SERVES 6^{TH} AND 7^{TH} GRADES. HE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW HOW TO GET A CROSSING GUARD FOR THE INTERCESSION 179^{TH} STREET @ AUDUBON AVENUE VERY CONGESTED AREA.

MS. RAYSA RAMIREZ AND SAMANTHA BONNET FROM BROADWAY HOUSING ON WEST 155^{TH} ST @ ST. NICHOLAS CAME TO INTRODUCE VARIOUS PROGRAMS FOR YOUTH AT THEIR SITE, INCLUDING SPEAKING ABOUT THE CHILDREN MUSEUM, STORY TELLING ETC.

MR. JOSEPH NEGRON FROM KIPPS, NYC WAS ALSO IN ATTENDANCE AND SPOKE BRIEFLY. MR. DAVID CRENSHAW (COACH) CAME TO SPEAK ABOUT THE U.N. YOUTH INTERNATIONAL DAY AND THE YOUNGSTERS FROM OUR AREA THAY HE TOOK TO THE U.N. AND THEIR EXPERIENCE, ON HOW THE UNITED NATIONS OPERATES FROM SECURITY TO PROTOCOL TO INTERNATIONAL BEHAVIOR.

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE WAS JOEL YOFFEE, WHO EXPRESSED HIS SENTIMENTS REGARDING CHARTER SCHOOLS, PUBLIC SCHOOLS ETC. VERY LIVELY INTERACT.

AS I WAS VERY EMBARASSED THAT NOT MEMBERS OF THE YS&E COMMITTEE WERE IN ATTENDANCE I INVITED EVERY ONE TO RETURN TO A FUTURE MEETING TO SPEAK AGAIN.

MEETING WAS ADJOURNED AROUND 8:15pm

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED

MARIA A. LUNA