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John Sexton President, New York University Bobst Library 70 Washington Square South New York, New York 10012

Dear President Sexton,

At its Executive Committee meeting, held on August 11, 2010, Community Board 2 Manhattan adopted the resolution below. You will be notified when it is approved by the full board.

Whereas in 2006, NYU committed to a public and transparent process for their strategic plan for growth, NYU 2031; and

**Whereas** Borough President Stringer convened the Community Task Force on NYU Development and CB2 participated as an active member from its inception, and

**Whereas** the Task Force issued a set of findings and recommendations in March 2010 that outlined the community's priorities, and

Whereas the University's response to the Task Force recommendations leaves a number of unanswered questions; and

Whereas the formal public review process is beginning and CB2 and the larger community requests more information from the University.

Therefore be it resolved, CB2 thereby endorses the Task Force findings and recommendations; and

**Be it further resolved,** CB2 requests that NYU provide us with a point-by-point response to the Task Force recommendations and questions.

Sincerely,

Jo Hamilton, Chair

c: Mayor Michael R. Bloomberg
Rep. Jerrold L. Nadler
Speaker Christine C. Quinn
Manhattan Borough President Scott M. Stringer
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