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New York Police Department
Transportation Chief Thomas M. Chan
1 Police Plaza,
New York, NY, 10038

Re: NYPD Parking Blocking MTA Bus Stop at 35th Street and Ninth Avenue

Dear Chief Chan,

Manhattan Community Board 4 (CB4) request your assistance with putting a stop to the practice of NYPD Midtown South officers parking their personal vehicles in the M11 MTA bus stop on the north west corner of the 35th street and 9th Avenue intersection. For months our board has received complaints from concerned residents about NYPD personal cars being parked in the bus stop blocking access by the bus, and causing passengers to be dropped off away from the curb. This is particularly troublesome for elderly and disabled passengers who depend on the buses ability to pull up to the curb. Residents have indicated they have made several attempts to address the situation directly with the precinct with no result. CB4 hopes you will assists us in correcting this problem.

Thank you for your assistance and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Christine Berthet
Chair

Jay Marcus
Co-Chair, Transportation
Planning Committee

Ernest Modarelli
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cc

Congressman Jerry Nadler
DOT Manhattan Borough Commissioner Margaret Forgione
Councilmember Cory Johnson
NYPD Midtown South Inspector Edward J. Winski
Manhattan Borough President Gale Brewer
MTA Bus Company, President Darryl Irick
Assemblymember Richard Gottfried
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Americans with Disabilities

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