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March 11, 2005

Beverly Gotay Assistant Director of Licensing Department of Consumer Affairs 42 Broadway, 8th floor New York, NY 10004

Newsstand on Southwest Corner of West 19th Street and Seventh Avenue Re:

Dear Ms. Gotay:

At its February 16, 2005 meeting, Manhattan Community Board No. 4's Transportation Planning Committee reviewed plans for a newsstand to be placed on the southwest corner of West 19th Street and Seventh Avenue.

Transportation Committee members and a local business owner had several questions about the newsstand's operating plans, trash removal, and street maintenance. Since the applicant did not attend the Committee meeting, we could not have these questions answered.

As such, Community Board No. 4 recommends that the application for a newsstand on the southwest corner of West 19th Street and Seventh Avenue be denied, without prejudice.

Sincerely,

Walter Mankoff

Chair

Manhattan Community Board No. 4

Jay Marcus

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Transportation Planning Committee

cc: **Elected Officials**

Applicant