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Beverly Gotay
Deputy Director for Special Applications
Department of Consumer Affairs
42 Broadway, 8th floor
New York, NY 10004

**Re: Newsstand Application
DCA Application # 1210756
Southeast Corner of West 57th Street and Ninth Avenue**

Dear Ms. Gotay:

On November 2, 2005, Manhattan Community Board No. 4 reviewed an application submitted by Dominic Carfagna to construct and operate a newsstand on the southeast corner of Ninth Avenue and West 57th Street. The newsstand plans conform to the guidelines of the Department of Consumer Affairs.

The Transportation Planning Committee initially rejected Mr. Carfagna's application at its meeting on October 21, 2005. Members of the Committee were concerned that the newsstand could potentially interfere with the free movement of passengers getting off the M57 bus, which stops at this location. However, after discussion of this issue at the full Board meeting, the Board voted to recommend approval of the application.

Sincerely,

J. Lee Compton
Chair
Manhattan Community Board No. 4

Jay Marcus
Chair
Transportation Planning Committee

cc: Applicant
Department of Transportation
NYC Art Commission