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Borough Commissioner Margaret Forgione Department of Transportation 59 Maiden Lane, 35th Floor New York, NY 10038

Re: Parking Regulations, 7th Avenue, West 19th to West 20th Street

Dear Commissioner Forgione:

Community Board #4, Manhattan requests that the Department of Transportation install car parking meters (operational from 7am to 6pm) on the east side of 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue between West 19<sup>th</sup> and West 20<sup>th</sup> Street and that the current No Standing Anytime signs be removed.

We make this request to accommodate both the residents in the area, who are concerned about delivery trucks parking on the block (and whom feel the "No Standing Anytime" installed earlier this year has assisted in reducing) and the nearby Pre-School. Parents of children attending the Pre-School for the Arts typically park for a few minutes along 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue to drop off and/or pick up their children, since the fire station on West 19<sup>th</sup> precludes them from using that block. Installing parking meters operational from 7am to 6pm both the school administrators and block residents felt would meet both their needs.

As always, we greatly appreciate your assistance and cooperation.

Sincerely,

J. Lee Compton

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cc: NYPD 10th Precinct