

**MANHATTAN COMMUNITY BOARD 6
FULL BOARD MEETING MINUTES
Wednesday, October 12, 2011
NYU MEDICAL CENTER
550 FIRST AVENUE**

Hon. Mark Thompson, Chair

ATTENDANCE

Members answering first roll call:

Arcaro, Badi, Barrett, Buchwald, Collins, Curtis, Dankberg, Disman, Dubnoff, Eggers, Figueroa, Frank, Garland, Haile, Hollister, Humphrey, Imbimbo, Judge, Keane, McIntosh, McKee, Nariani, O'Neal, Paikoff, Papush, Parrish, Pellezzi, Reiss, Rubin, Scala, Schaeffer, Scheyer, Seligman, Sepersky, Sherrod, Simon, Steinberg, Thompson, Vigh-Lebowitz, Weder, West, Winfield

Members answering second roll call:

Arcaro, Badi, Barrett, Buchwald, Collins, Curtis, Dankberg, Disman, Dubnoff, Eggers, Figueroa, Frank, Garland, Haile, Hollister, Humphrey, Imbimbo, Judge, Keane, Landesman, Marton, McIntosh, McKee, Moses, Nariani, O'Neal, Paikoff, Papush, Parrish, Pellezzi, Reiss, Rubin, Scala, Schaeffer, Scheyer, Seligman, Sepersky, Sherrod, Simon, Steinberg, Thompson, Vigh-Lebowitz, Weder, West, Winfield

Excused: Friedman, Gonzalez, Negrete, Schachter

Absent:

Guests signed in: Enrique Lopez-Sen. Tom Duane; Elena Arons – C/M Garodnick; Shelby Garner-Cg/M Maloney; Sen. Liz Krueger; A/M Dan Quart; Pres. Mitchell Wallerstein, Baruch; Assistant Principal Gary Shevell, P.S 116; Elise Wagner, Kramer Levin; Judith Duncan; Barbara Hess, H+R Block; Joy Garland; Carol Rinzler, Turtle Bay

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Meeting Called to Order

Mark Thompson, Chair, called the meeting to order.

Agenda Adopted

Roll Call – Aaron Humphrey

PUBLIC SESSION

Senator Liz Krueger reported: **1)** On the upcoming Fifth Annual Senior Fair which includes 50 exhibitors providing information for older adults on November 3rd. **2)** Informed the public that they may be eligible for the Supplemental Assistant Program (SNAP), the official name of the food stamp program that helps people low income residents buy the food they need, by visiting the website www.foodstampshelp.com or by calling the New York City Food Bank at (212) 894-8060.

For more information on these and other reports see the Senator's Community Bulletin or go to www.lizkrueger.com

Assembly Member Dan Quart reported: **1)** As an introduction he informed the public that he is now covering A/M Bing former district. **2)** Introduced Matt Walsh as CB6 liaison to his office.

For information on this and other reports, see the Assembly Member's Community Update or go to <http://assembly.state.ny.us/mem/Dan-Quart>

C/M Rosie Mendez reported **1)** Introduced her new Chief of Staff and CB6 Liaison Jessica Nepomiachi. **2)** On September 13th, C/M Mendez presented testimony at the public hearing on new rules that will strengthen and clarify many aspects of the administration of Mitchell Lama housing developments. C/M Mendez stated the issue of primary importance to her was the process by which a Mitchell-Lama may explore and possibly vote to dissolve the original corporation and reconstitute as an unregulated market-rate one, a process that is happening in an alarming number of developments throughout the City. **3)** On September 21st the council voted 46-4 to enact a new law which would provide for around-the-clock operation of the Manhattan full service shelter, continue two additional shelters in Brooklyn and Staten Island and expand to 12 hours of operation two additional drop-off facilities in the Bronx and Queens.

For information on these and other reports, see the Council Member's Community Board 6 Report or go to <http://council.nyc.gov/d2/html/members/home.shtml>

Congress Member Carolyn Maloney reported **1)** Cg/M Maloney introduced CB6 new Liaison, Shelby Gardner. **2)** On October 5 Cg/M Maloney wrote to the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) urging the agency to study the dangers posed by unfettered helicopter flights over New York City. **3)** On September 26, 2011 the City University of New York's community colleges were awarded a \$19.86 million federal grant that will help them train workers who want to change careers.

For full reports, see the Congress Member's Community Report or go to www.maloney.house.gov

Enrique Lopez representing Sen. Thom Duane reported: **1)** Sen. Duane sent a letter to Adam Rose Associates, the managing agent for Stuyvesant Town and Peter Cooper Village (ST-PCV) regarding tenant's complaints of trash left for days on the sidewalk throughout the complex prior to scheduled New York City Department of Sanitation (DSNY) pickups. **2)** Sen. Duane recently joined Council Speaker Christine Quinn and New York State Assemblymember Dick Gottfried in submitting a letter to the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) in response to their elimination of important safety rules regarding airspace for helicopters and public planes without any public notification. **3)** On September 28, the New York State Department of Environment Conservation (DEC) released its proposed regulations for high volume hydraulic fracturing as well as its schedule of public hearings on the agency's recently released revised Draft Supplemental Generic Environment Impact Statement (DSGEIS) on the natural gas drilling method. The two hearings in New York City will be held at the BMCC Tribeca Performing Arts Center (199 Chambers Street, New York, NY) on November 30, 2011 at 1:00pm and 6:00pm.

For information on these and other reports, see the Senator's Community Report or go to <http://www.tomduane.com/index.html>

Elena Arons representing C/M Dan Garodnick reported: **1)** Mayor Bloomberg, Assembly Speaker Sheldon Silver, Senator Liz Krueger, Assemblymember Brian Kavanagh and C/M Garodnick jointly announced a historic Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) that provides a framework for the United Nations to make a substantial investment in its New York City campus, while also creating a source of financing for a long-awaited East River Esplanade between E. 38th and E.60th Streets and additional park space. **2)** At the release of Congresswoman Carolyn Maloney's third annual report card on the Second Avenue Subway construction, Council Member Garodnick reaffirmed the project's importance to the East Side and the importance of the 16,000 construction jobs it has generated – but also said the MTA must find ways to reduce the construction's impacts on merchants and residents.

For a complete report on these and other issues, see the Council Member's Community Bulletin or call the district office at (212) 818-0580 to obtain a copy

President Mitchell Wallerstein, Baruch College: In support of Baruch College 25th Street Open Campus request.

Gary Shevell, P.S.116 Assistant Principal: in support of the Zoning/Incubation PS/IS 281.

BUSINESS SESSION:

Chair's Report – Mark Thompson

1. Mark asked that everyone submit that was interested to submit payment to Bea Disman for the Annual Dinner Meeting, which is on October 26 at Lamazou Restaurant.
2. Welcomed Baruch College students, in the Community Outreach Committee.
3. Thanked everyone especially the Land Use & Waterfront Committee involved in the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for the alienation of Robert Moses Playground and the development of the waterfront esplanade that was recently signed.

District Manager's Report — Toni Carlina

1. Thanks to Joy Garland, Barbara Bienenfeld will intern at CB 6 starting tomorrow.
2. FDR roadway collapse 15th north bound lane caused by a bulk head collapse and an aging infrastructure; NYC DOT is currently doing reconstruction work; job is expected to be completed in 4-6weeks. Con Edison's only involvement is because of the close proximity to their underground cooling system for their steam operation.
3. Public Plaza Task Force; I would like to thank Lou and Fred for attending, their input was helpful. The meeting was held to review and discuss with the DCP the violations noted by our former Urban Fellow, Michael Keane with that of the DOB's violations. Present from DCP were Asst. Dir., Adam Wolf, two members from their Legal Dept and a staff member astute with Public Plaza rules. After some discussion we prioritized the 30-violations and DCP will investigate and get back to us.
4. George Brown, President of Tudor City has appointed Brian Thompson, Chair of their Development Committee. Brian took Tim Laughlin and I on a tour of Tudor City and described the environment they would like to create at Tudor City. Presently Tim and I are doing some research for the Association, such as where all their private property is and what areas are under the jurisdiction of NYC, are the sidewalks landmarked and various other jurisdiction issues. Once a plan is developed they would like to make a full board presentation.

Elections

Votes to be counted at board office.

Treasurer's Report - Bea Disman

Bea reported no expenses for the month of October. She then informed the Board members that all checks written for the dinner are to be made out to her & mailed to the Board office to be placed on record.

Borough President's Report – Kirstin Ellis

1. In an unprecedented study, the Borough President's surveyed all 129 stalled construction sites in Manhattan and found that 37% had problems with litter; 60% had fencing that was in disrepair or vandalized, and half of the sites had sidewalk obstructions. New York may be living with these eyesores for several years, the study found, because even if the economy turned around today there would be a considerable lag time before construction resumed and was finally completed on all 646 of these stalled sites citywide.
2. Every year the Borough President's Office offer's training to new and returning Community Board members on a variety of topics of interest, the schedule for upcoming trainings is: Conflicts of Interest & Equal Employment Opportunity, Monday, November 7th at One Centre Street and Monday, November 14th at Harlem State Office Building; NYC Budget

Cycle, Tuesday, October 18th at One Centre Street and Thursday, November 10th at Harlem State Office Building; Land Use, Planning, Development & ULURP, Thursday, October 27th at One Centre Street and Wednesday, November 2nd at Harlem State Office Building.

3. On October 17th the Borough President will be hosting a Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration at Silberman School of Social Work building at 2180 Third Avenue and 119th St, 6:00-8:00pm.

For more information on this and other reports see the Borough President's Report at www.mbpo.org or call 212-669-7877.

Committee Resolutions & Reports

1. Health, Seniors & Disability Issues – Wilbur Weder, Chair

- a. **Report:** Chair waived report.

2. Youth & Education – Maxine McIntosh, Chair

- a. **Reso:** The zoning and incubation of PS/IS 281 for the 2012-2013 school year.

Re: The zoning and incubation of PS/IS 281 for the 2012-2013 school year

Whereas, overcrowding in Community Board Six public schools has been an ongoing and increasing problem; and

Whereas, Midtown East is now the fastest growing neighborhood in terms of housing starts; and

Whereas, at close to 800 students, PS 116 is 120 students above the Department of Education (DOE)'s stated capacity of 680; and

Whereas, in just one year, the Kindergarten enrollment at PS 116 went from 128 students in 2010-2011 to 156 in 2011-2012, each of the now six Kindergarten classes having 26 students per class; and

Whereas, this year and for the past two years, 2nd grade class sizes at PS 116 reached or surpassed 30 students; and

Whereas, PS 116 has forfeited its Gifted & Talented program, sacrificed its pre-K program, collapsed its classrooms and given up specialty teachers; and

Whereas, families of PS 116 have raised significant funds to place Teacher Assistants in classrooms in Kindergarten through 2nd grade to reduce teacher/student ratios; and

Whereas, the sustainability of PS 116 is impossible at the current rate of growth, even for another year; and

Whereas, there is space at PS/IS 47 on East 23rd Street that the DOE has proposed in the past two years for temporary use by other District 2 schools; and

Whereas, PS/IS 281, slated to open in 2013, is proposed to alleviate the overcrowding in Midtown East; now

Therefore, be it

Resolved that Community Board Six strongly urges the DOE to work in partnership with the CECd2 to immediately create a zone for PS/IS 281 and incubate at least two kindergarten sections at PS/IS 281 at a satellite location for the 2012-2013 school year, as per precedent set by the DOE, past and present.

VOTE: 45 in Favor 0 Opposed 0 Abstention 0 Not Entitled

b. Report: Maxine McIntosh informed the public of Youth & Educations upcoming Legislative Breakfast.

3. Public Safety, Environment & Transportation – Fred Arcaro. Chair

a. **Reso:** Continue discussion on Baruch College on their 25th Street Open Campus for restricted use.

Whereas, Baruch College is an active commuter campus which serves as a home to a large student body, and also a neighborhood institution, providing an anchor to dozens of surrounding businesses, as well as education the community through both degree and continuing studies programs; and

Whereas, the college has, due to the realities of an urban campus, severely inadequate communal space with no green or outdoor space; and

Whereas, the pedestrian traffic flow is heavy with more than 10,000 students crossing daily; and

Whereas, the block of East 25th Street between 3rd Avenue & Lexington Avenue, situated between several of the college's most trafficked buildings, already acts as the unofficial college quad and is a positive extension of the college's culture and atmosphere; and

Whereas, the transformation of said block into a Restricted Use Street would result in both a safer and more community-oriented gathering spot for students, as well as a valuable neighborhood asset that can be used by the public year around; and

Whereas, the space would be publicly accessible at all times; and

Whereas, access would be maintained for emergency and maintenance vehicles only; and

Whereas, the college would retain full responsibility for the maintenance & upkeep on the space; and

Whereas, East 25th Street dead-ends at Madison Square Park and parking on the block is primarily authorized for college faculty & staff only with 16 parking spaces total; and

Whereas, the traffic study by Philip Habib & Associates indicates minimal impact on traffic in the neighborhood; and

Whereas, nearby East 25th Street business & property owners support the project; now

Therefore be it,

Resolved, Community Board Six supports, in principal, the plans for a Restricted Use Street on East 25th Street between 3rd Avenue & Lexington Avenue but must wait till Department of Transportation issues its report on the impact of such “Restricted Use Street”.

VOTE: 40 in Favor 1 Opposed 2 Abstention 2 Not Entitled

e. **Report:** Chair waived report.

4. Parks, Landmarks & Cultural Affairs – Gary Papush, Chair

a. **Reso:** temporary sculpture placement in Dag Hammarskjold Park

WHEREAS, the Department of Parks & Recreation plans to install in Dag Hammarskjold Park a sculpture by the artist, Rachel Owens, consisting of two hummers welded together in a monumental pyramid shape with a soundtrack emanating from speakers in the trunk and the headlights on the cars dimming and brightening; and

WHEREAS, the Parks Department will ensure that the sound and light components are not invasive and noticeable only in the immediate vicinity and only operate from 9AM until early evening; and

WHEREAS, Parks will have posted telephone numbers where complaints can be received; and

WHEREAS, the work will be in place from November until May and be located in the eastern half of the park near the food concession and parks assures us that neither pedestrian access through the park or the operation of the concession will be affected; now

THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, Community Board 6 has no objection to the installation of this temporary sculpture.

VOTE: 43 in Favor 1 Opposed 1 Abstention 0 Not Entitled

c. **Report:** Chair informed the public of Borough Board resolution which is to be voted on later in the month, requiring Landmarks and Preservation Commission (LPC) to give Community Boards 45 days to review LPC applications.

5. Land Use/Waterfront – Edward Rubin, Chair

a. **Reso:** BSA # 40-05BZ and 290-03BZ for 1095 & 1097 Second Ave, btn E. 57th & 58th Sts. - to extend the term of a special permit for physical culture establishments.

WHEREAS, the Land Use and Waterfront Committee met at the Hospital for Joint Disease on East 17th Street and has reviewed the application for the extension of the special permit for the physical culture establishment. NOW,

THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED that CB6 has no objections to an extension of the special permit for five years.

VOTE: 45 in Favor 0 Opposed 0 Abstention 0 Not Entitled

b. **Reso:** BSA # 742-59 BZ, for 134-136 E 55th St., btn Lex. & 3rd Aves. - 10-year extension for accessory garage for transient parking.

Whereas Mr. Harold Robertson appeared before the Land Use committee of Community Board 6 on Wednesday May 7 2011 to request a simple extension of term for a 10 year lease, and

Whereas BSA#742-59BZ for 134 East 55th Street, between Lex and Third Avenues requests a ten year extension for an accessory garage for transient parking, and

Whereas the Land Use Committee unanimously approved the application, now

Therefore be it

Resolved that Community Board 6 approves the application for a simple extension of the 10 year term for parking.

VOTE: 45 in Favor 0 Opposed 0 Abstention 0 Not Entitled

- c. **Reso:** BSA # 152-11-BZ, for 240 E. 38th St. btn. 2nd & 3rd Aves. - Variance to allow modifications to the bonusable plazas & arcades associated with the existing building-NYU Langone Medical.

WHEREAS, NYU Langone Medical Center has acquired a condominium interest for the lobby and floors 13 to 24 of the building located at 240 East 38th Street for the purpose of creating an ambulatory care center (“the Ambulatory Center”); and,

WHEREAS, by its nature, the Ambulatory Center requires patients who are acutely or chronically ambulatory to have ready access to the lobby of the Ambulatory Center from motor vehicles and such patients must be protected from snow, sleet and rain so that they can safely enter and leave the Ambulatory Center while transferring to and from such motor vehicles on crutches or in wheel chairs; and,

WHEREAS, NYU Langone Medical Center has proposed changes to the existing public plaza arcades on the north and south sides of 240 East 38th Street, including a semi-circular, two-lane drop-off driveway and a protective awning on the 38th Street side of the premises to protect ambulatory patients from the elements in the aforementioned fashion; and,

WHEREAS, the Chair, Department of City Planning (“DCP”), pursuant to Article III (Commercial District Regulations), has determined that

- a. pursuant to Section 37-625, of the New York City Zoning Regulations (the “Zoning Regulations”) the modifications proposed by NYU Langone Medical Center would not result in a plaza that is in greater accordance with the standards set forth in Section 37-70 (PUBLIC PLAZAS) of the Zoning Regulations; and,
- b. furthermore, that the driveway is located within ten feet of the arcade,
- c. planters and seating are located in the plaza arcade beneath a height of 12 feet,

both of which proposed plaza arcade changes are contrary to Section 37-80 of the Zoning Regulations; and,

WHEREAS, as a consequence of the DCP’s determination, NYU Langone Medical Center has filed an application for a variance from those elements of its proposed changes that violate the Zoning Regulations in order to proceed with its plaza arcade renovations; and,

WHEREAS, NYU Langone Medical Center has presented its application for a variance to the Land Use and Waterfront Committee of Manhattan Community Board Six at a meeting on October 5th, 2011; and,

WHEREAS the Land Use and Waterfront Committee suggested only that NYU Langone Medical Center post private signage and paint curbs and the drop-off driveway in such a fashion as to make clear to users that there is absolutely no parking or standing whatsoever; and,

WHEREAS NYU Langone Medical Center indicated that the North plaza arcade drop-off driveway would be attended by a patient concierge who would immediately address vehicles that violate the parking prohibition;

Now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED that Manhattan Community Board Six recognizes that the Ambulatory Center will be a valuable community healthcare facility for residents of our community board district; and,

BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED, that, in view of the valuable community use for which the plaza arcade variance is intended, Manhattan Community Board Six hereby expresses no objection to the variance requested by NYU Langone Medical Center, provided that

- a. the drop-off driveway and curbs are painted and private signage is posted in the North plaza arcade in such a fashion as to visibly and unambiguously discourage parking or standing in the drop-off driveway; and,
- b. a patient concierge is posted on the North Plaza arcade during all hours of operation for the Ambulatory Center who will immediately addresses any vehicle parking or standing in the North plaza arcade so as to ensure there is no parking.

VOTE: 45 in Favor 0 Opposed 0 Abstention 0 Not Entitled

d. **Report:** Chair reiterated the Board was not giving enough time to draft a resolution regarding the MOU.

6. Housing, Homeless & Human Rights Committee – Claude L. Winfield, Chair

a. **Report:** Chair waived report.

7. Business Affairs & Street Activities Committee – Carol A. Schachter, Chair

a. **Reso:** New OP license for Café AKA SP, LLC d/b/a TBD, 330 E. 56th St btn 1st & 2nd

Aves.

WHEREAS, Owners Robert Grossman and Larry Korman appeared at the September 22 meeting of the Business Affairs and Street Activities Committee of Community Board 6 Manhattan (CB6M) having jurisdiction of the premises in the license application process; and

WHEREAS, the space was formerly Il Valentino Restaurant, a high-end venue known to the community; and

WHEREAS, the space will be changed to have access to the restaurant via the hotel lobby and that the hours of operation are 7 A.M. (for breakfast) to 11 p.m. daily; and

WHEREAS, a license agreement was signed to that effect; now

THEREFORE, be it

RESOLVED, that pursuant to the presentation made by the Representative at the meeting of the Business Affairs and Street Activities committee held on September 22, 2011 and pursuant to all other considerations, CB6M objects to the application unless the Applicant adheres to all the

Representations made by the Representative to the Committee, including the license agreement, in which case the board has **no objection** to the application.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, if the SLA application, **however**, contains a different method of operation than has been presented to CB6M as stated in this Resolution, **including** “Hours of Operation” that differ in **any way** from those described above, then CB6M **opposes** the application and **urges** the SLA to deny the application based on such misrepresentation to Community Board 6 Manhattan.

VOTE: 8 in Favor 0 Opposed 0 Abstention 0 Not Entitled

b. **Reso:** New Alteration OP license for Karin Co Co Inc d/b/a Uncle Charlies, 139 E. 45th St. btn 3rd & Lex. Aves – Additional Service Bar.

WHEREAS, Owner Michael Ng appeared at the September 22 meeting of the Business Affairs and Street Activities Committee of Community Board 6 Manhattan (CB6M) having jurisdiction of the premises in the license application process; and

WHEREAS, this is a non-residential area and the premises is a second floor venue

WHEREAS, there was no one from the community to approve or disapprove of this venue; now

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c. **Reso:** New OP license for Jewman LLC d/b/a Sette Vizi, 735 2nd Ave. btn E. 39th & 40th Sts.

WHEREAS, Owner Sara A. Kjar and Attorney Terrence Flynn appeared at the September 22 meeting of the Business Affairs and Street Activities Committee of Community Board 6 Manhattan (CB6M) having jurisdiction of the premises in the license application process; and

WHEREAS, the space would be a restaurant with a bar open until 2 a.m. and the back yard hours would be 10 p.m. Sunday through Thursday and 12 midnight Friday and Saturday, with no music in the outdoor yard; and

WHEREAS, a license agreement was signed to that effect; now

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VOTE: 8 in Favor 0 Opposed 0 Abstention 0 Not Entitled

- d. **Report:** Steve Dubnoff announced the Committee’s new change agreement, specifically the portion on Hours of Operation. Positively impacting the surrounding residents, whereas now Bars are agreeing to close earlier.

8. Budget & Governmental Affairs– Richard Eggers, Chair

- a. **Reso:** Capital Budget FY 2013

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Community District 06, Manhattan

Capital Budget Priorities and Requests

Priority		Project Information
New	Old	
01	01	<p>Request: Construct Continuous Esplanade and Bikeway Along Waterfront from 14th Street to 59th Street.</p> <p>Explanation: Community Board 6 has been advocating for an esplanade along the east river for decades. A Memorandum of Understanding is now in place and this may facilitate construction. However, there are many contingencies to the proposed arrangement and completion of an esplanade is far from certain. The construction of the esplanade will remain a top priority of this Board whether or not the proposed elements come to fruition. Community Board 6 is committed to the goal of a continuous esplanade and will insist that the City continue its commitment.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Economic Development Corporation</p> <p>Council Districts: 4, 5</p>
02	02	<p>Request: Develop an Adult Day Care Center and Community Lounge/ Life Long Learning Senior Center of Community District 6.</p> <p>Explanation: In the 2000 Census, Community District 6 had 20,300 residents aged 65 or older, 15% of the entire district. The mean age of residents is the oldest of any district in City. While 2010 census data is not readily available at this time, interim survey information estimates that in CB6 there has been a 5% increase in the number of persons age 65 and older and of this age group almost 50% were 75 and older. Based on NYC Center for Economic Opportunity data, 34% of people aged 65 and over in Manhattan live in poverty, just slightly higher than the citywide rate. We need improved services for the elderly yet the city has provided few new resources in this District in the past decade. The northern part of the District could benefit most from a new Center. The Community Board recognizes the importance of additional federal and state funds, but asks DFTA to aggressively advocate for such funds and seek city funds, perhaps in conjunction with</p>

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Community District 06, Manhattan Capital Budget Priorities and Requests

Priority		Project Information
New	Old	
		<p>other agencies, to ensure adequate services to our aging population. CB6 also takes note of DFTA's stated objective to provide innovative senior centers, generally in existing locations. If an additional location is not feasible at this time, we ask that the senior centers in our District have these enhanced programs.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department for the Aging Council Districts: 2, 3, 4, 5</p>
03	04	<p>Request: Repair bathrooms in PS 116 and PS 40 Explanation: The bathrooms at these two schools are in need of complete rehabilitation including floors, walls, and fixtures. The health and safety of school children are at stake. We understand that some repairs have begun at PS 116. Council Districts: 2, 4</p>
04	06	<p>Request: Replace or install new fiber optic cabling and electrical wiring in all schools in the District Explanation: Our schools need to be equipped with up to date computers with internet access including wifi access. Cabling for the computers is currently inadequate or nonexistent. The schools also need electrical wiring upgrades to meet current requirements including computer use as well as to allow for air conditioning that would provide for more effective year-round utilization of school facilities. Council Districts: 2, 3, 4, 5</p>
05	10	<p>Request: Restore Fountains in East River Esplanade Park (Glick Park). Explanation: Glick Park, part of the Esplanade, is underutilized. Restoration of function to the fountains by replacing the pumps for water recirculation and the electrical systems would add considerably to the attractiveness and use of the Park. Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation Council Districts: 4</p>
06	15	<p>Request: Preserve Existing and Develop Additional Low and Moderate Income Housing in Community District 6. Explanation: Due to loss of Mitchell-Lama and Section 8 housing and loss of rent controlled and rent regulated housing, areas in Community District 6 are becoming increasingly income segregated. This segregation is aggravated when 421a related construction transfers the affordable housing units to areas outside of Community District 6. In order to support and retain population and economic diversity, Community Board 6 calls on the city to commit \$20 million to provide new or reclaimed low and moderate-income housing within Community District 6 in the forthcoming year. Responsible Agency: Department of Housing Preservation & Development Council Districts: 2, 3, 4, 5</p>
07	20	<p>Request: Install a new boiler for Asser Levy Recreation Center Explanation: The existing boiler is beyond its useful life and should be replaced Council District: 2, 4</p>
08	09	<p>Request: Replace or Repair Stairs that Lead Up to the Pedestrian Overpass at Peter Detmold Park. Explanation: Community Board 6 requests repair of the stairs for the pedestrian overpass at Peter Detmold Park. The Board has the understanding that these stairs have deteriorated to the point of being dangerous. Responsible Agency: Department of Parks Council Districts: 5</p>
09	07	<p>Request: Install an Irrigation System at Stuyvesant Cove Park. Explanation: Solar One conducts numerous educational programs in the Park using</p>

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Community District 06, Manhattan Capital Budget Priorities and Requests

Priority		Project Information
New	Old	
		<p>indigenous and exogenous varieties of plants as part of its instruction for responsible environmental practices. An irrigation system is essential for survival of the plants used throughout the Park. It is anticipated that this project will cost less than \$100,000.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Economic Development Corporation Council Districts: 4</p>
10	12	<p>Request: Develop Additional Housing for the Homeless Mentally ill Population in Community District 6 as Per New York New York III.</p> <p>Explanation: Too many mentally ill people are on the streets, in shelters or in jails where they do not receive support and medications. For these individuals, supportive housing will sharply reduce shelter recidivism and greatly improve our quality of life. More NY/NYII (NY/NYIII) apartment units developed by HPD contracts with SOMH are needed citywide. Our community seeks its fair share of these units.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Housing Preservation & Development Council Districts: 2, 3, 4, 5</p>
11	28	<p>Request: Repair or Replace floor in cafeteria of PS 40</p> <p>Explanation: The Board has received reports that the flooring in the cafeteria of PS 40 is chipped, broken, and peeling. This raises concern about safety and possible asbestos exposure and should be addressed promptly.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Education Council District: 2</p>
12	11	<p>Request: Rehabilitate Cement and Asphalt Medians Along the FDR Service Road (Ave C,) Between 34th and 42nd Streets</p> <p>Explanation: Community Board 6 requests rehabilitation of medians along the FDR service road in Community District 6. Some rehabilitation has been completed along some portions of the Service Road but the area between 34th and 42d streets has not been addressed.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation Council Districts: 4, 5</p>
13	14	<p>Request: Develop Additional Permanent Housing for Homeless Families in Community District 6.</p> <p>Explanation: There is an insufficient supply of housing for homeless families. HPD needs to allocate to homeless families just five percent more of the vacant units that become available annually from the City's existing affordable housing resources. These resources include public housing, Section 8 rent subsidies and units developed by HPD (i.e. The New Market Place) and inclusionary zoning on rezoned manufacturing and Brownfield sites. This community seeks its fair share of these units in order to meet our needs.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Housing Preservation & Development Council Districts: 2, 3, 4, 5</p>
14		<p>Request: Replace AHU CS-2 and retrofit AHU CS-1 & CS-6 Air Handlers servicing the Mezzanine Level, Hospital Building, and CPEP area of Bellevue Hospital Center</p> <p>Explanation: The equipment is over 40 years old and has surpassed its useful life. The units' coils and supply fans are deteriorated resulting in poor air distribution.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Council District: 2</p>
15	18	<p>Request: Reconstruct Ralph J. Bunche Park With Special Attention to Isaiah's Wall</p> <p>Explanation: Reconstruct the park including replacement of pavement, benches and fencing as well as refurbish the landscape. Restore Isaiah's Wall, clean artwork and stone markers. Install water service for plant material.</p>

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		<p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation Council Districts: 4</p>
16	19	<p>Request: Install Audible Crossing Signals in at Least 10 Heavily Traveled Intersections in Community District 6. Explanation: In December 2009, Community Board 6 passed a resolution requesting more audible crossing signals in the District. The “medical corridor” along First Avenue is of primary importance including the intersections at 18th, 20th, 23rd, 28th, 30th, 31st, 33rd and 34th Streets. We also identified Avenue C and 23rd Street, Second Avenue and 23rd Street and Third Avenue and 23rd, 24th and 25th Streets. These intersections are part of the access to Beth Israel Medical Center, NYU Hospital for Joint Diseases, VA Medical Center, Bellevue Medical Center, and NYU Langone Medical Center as well as numerous medical offices. Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation Council Districts: 2, 4, 3, 5</p>
17	16	<p>Request: Build an Adequate Number of Schools at the Appropriate Grade Levels from Pre-K to 12 to Meet the Needs of Community District 6. Explanation: The Community Board requests a comprehensive education construction plan throughout Community District 6. PS 116 is reported to be above 100% capacity, and other schools are near or above capacity, despite some contradictory statements. This condition is unacceptable. The school slated to open at the Solow property (616 First Avenue) will only meet the increased demand created by the Solow units, so the current overcrowding will not be addressed once the residential units on that site are completed. Responsible Agency: Department of Education Council Districts: 2, 3, 4, 5</p>
18	21	<p>Request: Build a Pedestrian Overpass Between Murphy Park and Stuyvesant Cove Park. Explanation: Due to the heavy and fast traffic coming off the FDR, the access to Stuyvesant Cove Park is dangerous to pedestrians. The Community Board requests an overpass access between Murphy Park and Stuyvesant Cove Park. Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation Council Districts: 2, 3, 4, 5</p>
19	22	<p>Request: Rehabilitate the Stuyvesant Square Park Comfort Station to provide full ADA Compliance and address ADA compliance for all Comfort Stations Within the District. Explanation: Community Board 6 requests that all park comfort stations be made ADA compliant. In Stuyvesant Square Park, this requires complete rehabilitation of the comfort station. We believe that all our parks, including the comfort stations in those parks, should comply with both the requirements of and the spirit of the Americans with Disabilities Act even in instances where the City is not legally required to update certain facilities at this time. Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation Council Districts: 2</p>
20	25	<p>Request: Repair and Renovate Auditoriums in PS 40, PS 47, and the High School for Health Professions and Human Services Explanation: These auditoriums should be refurbished and provided with up to date equipment. The equipment should include audiovisual equipment, lighting, soundproofing, new seats, new theatrical equipments such as curtains, backstage and fly systems so that the auditoriums can provide for educational and theatrical uses, including after school uses, encouraging students to expand their educational experience. The auditoriums would also then be available for community events. Council Districts: 2, 4</p>

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21	26	<p>Request: Purchase a Bobcat Vehicle Equipped with a Brush to be used In CD6 Parks Explanation: The Parks Department uses this type of vehicle to clean debris in our parks. Proper maintenance of our parks is essential.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation Council District: 2, 3, 4, 5</p>
22	27	<p>Request: Purchase Additional Basket Truck for Sanitation Pickups for Community District 6 Explanation: CB6 supports the Sanitation Department’s request for a new vehicle for their 4pm to 12pm shift. This is consistent with the request in our District Needs Statement to address overflowing trash baskets.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Sanitation Council Districts: 2, 3, 4</p>
23	13	<p>Request: Provide a Solution for the “choke point” in the Riverfront Esplanade between 13th Street and 15th Street Explanation: From 13th to 15th Street, the esplanade heads north of East River Park past the Con Edison pier. While this section has been reconstructed to allow a wider path for bikers and pedestrians, there is a section of the path that remains narrow. A simple widening of the path has been determined to be unfeasible, yet some solution must but found.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of City Administrative Services Council Districts: 2, 4</p>
24	29	<p>Request: Reconfigure North Bound E. 23rd Street Exit of FDR to permit a left turn onto Avenue C Explanation: The design of this exit ramp has been flawed since the ramp was moved in order to build Stuyvesant Cove Park. A median prevents motorists from making an immediate left hand turn. For the purposes of safety and traffic flow, this should be remedied.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation Council District: 3, 4</p>
25		<p>Request: Renovate Family Waiting Rooms and Patient Visitor Areas at Bellevue Medical Center Explanation: The current waiting rooms and patient visitor areas need to be improved to provide visitors with a comfortable and supportive environment to visit with family and loved ones. The existing rooms need replacement of flooring, upgraded lighting, patching and painting as well as new furniture, artwork and technology. Total project cost is estimated at \$74,800.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: HHS Council District: 2</p>
26		<p>Request: Expand Space for Patient Advocate Offices at Bellevue Medical Center Explanation: The Patient Advocates Office helps respond to all patient complaints and provides services to patients needing assistance navigating Bellevue for their health care. The project would include combining adjacent space to expand the existing space</p>

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		to provide proper room for staff and space for confidential interviews with patients and families. With the closing of St. Vincent's Hospital, Bellevue has experienced an increased from 25 to 40 daily patient visits to the existing space jeopardizing privacy of sensitive conversations. Total Project cost is estimated at \$64,900 Responsible Agency: HHS Council District: 2
CS	CS	Request: Build a Full Length 2 nd Avenue Subway. Explanation: The East Side of Manhattan is underserved by the subway system. The Lexington Avenue lines are grossly over-crowded; many Eastside residents and commuters walk over a half-mile to already over-crowded trains. Phases 3 and 4 of the 2nd Avenue Subway are expected to benefit Community District 6. We eagerly await the completion of this work and ask the City to block any efforts to further delay work. Responsible Agency: Transit Authority Council Districts: 2, 3, 4, 5
CS	CS	Request: Complete the Third Water Tunnel. Explanation: This remains a board priority. Responsible Agency: Department of Environmental Protection Council Districts: 2, 3, 4, 5
CS	CS	Request: Reconstruct Trygve Lie Plaza Including Installing Water Service for Plants. Explanation: Reconstruct pavement and refurbish the landscape. Install water service for plant material. Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation Council District: 4
CS	CS	Request: Convert the Roof Into Outdoor Passive Recreation Space at the 54th Street Recreation Center. Explanation: Community Board 6 supports the Department of Parks proposal to convert the roof of the 54th Street Recreation Center into a passive recreation space. Work has begun on this project but was not completed at the time these requests were prepared. Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation Council Districts: 5
CS	CS	Request: Improve the 25 th St Bridge Over The FDR for Handicap Accessibility Explanation: Waterside has an existing pedestrian bridge at 25 th Street that should be modified to allow handicap access at its western end. The agency should also work with Waterside to make sure that resident concerns are addressed including the installation of safer surfaces that reduce problems in snow and rain, improved lighting and other safety concerns. It is our understanding that the project is in the Ten-Year Plan but we want to ensure that the funds remain and that the project is completed. Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation. Council District: 4
CS	05	Request: Restore Stuyvesant Square East Park Fence and Restore Bluestone Sidewalk. Explanation: The Stuyvesant Square Park East fence has been a top priority of the Board for many years. We now have substantial work being done and the promise that the work will be completed. Many individuals including our elected officials, Community Board members, and concerned citizens have worked together to get the project completed to this point. We will continue to review progress to ensure that the project is completed.

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		<p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation Council Districts: 2</p>
CS		<p>Request: Install Pedestrian Ramps on the Southwest Corner of Second Avenue and 24th Street Explanation: Community District 6 has many intersections that still impose barriers to full mobility. Of particular importance is the southwest corner of Second Avenue and 24th Street. Many individuals with wheelchairs visit ICD, Bellevue, and the Veterans Hospital and cross the avenue at this intersection. The Community Board asks that this intersection be addressed immediately and that other intersections be addressed as soon as possible. (Formerly listed as an Expense Budget item) Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>

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b. **Reso:** Expense Budget FY 2013

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01	01	<p>Request: Increase Patrol Staffing Levels for 13th and 17th Precincts. Explanation: Police precincts operating in the District must be adequately staffed so that basic public policing can be fully performed. We understand that both the 13th and the 17th precinct staffing are down. We believe some enforcement issues, particularly those related to the safety of the aging population in the District, to pedestrian safety, and to quality of life issues cannot be aggressively pursued at current staff levels. Therefore, in addition to maintaining sufficient staffing to protect residents from physical harm and economic loss, we would like to see staffing increased in both precincts to meet the following concerns:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enforcement against illegal bike riding and similar threats (such as skateboards, motor scooters, and parked cars) to pedestrian safety. • Increased policing to protect the safety of pedestrians and bike riders in light of illegal and sometimes legal but dangerous use of the new bicycle lanes. • Expanded enforcement of traffic and noise violations. • Expansion of the number of bicycle-equipped police officers. • Greater vigilance on issues arising from an increase in the homeless population on the streets and in and around the 30th Street shelter and other shelters. <p>Responsible Agency: New York Police Department</p>
02	02	<p>Request: Hire Additional Parks Maintenance and Operations Personnel and a District Gardener dedicated solely to Community District 6 Explanation: Current levels of maintenance and operations staff are not adequate to maintain the parks in Community District 6. The District Gardener is currently shared with the Union Square Partnership. Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p>

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03	04	<p>Request: Sustain Funds For Full-Service Hours At Kips Bay, Epiphany And Grand Central Libraries And Protect Six Day Service In 2012.</p> <p>Explanation: Community Board 6 requests that all previous library service cuts be restored and baselined in the 2013 budget. The City must maintain a minimum of six-day service and increase the number of hours the libraries are open each day. In these challenging economic times it is particularly important that the libraries' resources, including computer resources, are available to all members of our community when needed.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: New York Public Library</p>
04	05	<p>Request: Increase Operating Funds for Community Boards to \$250,000.</p> <p>Explanation: The 2012 budget maintained the previous year's allocation for Community Boards but that action did not restore cuts from previous years nor did it take into account the fact that Community Boards have not had a budget increase in over 20 years. Inflation alone has eroded the purchasing power of the budgets and despite efforts to reduce expenditures wherever possible, the Boards face ever-increasing costs.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Office of Management and Budget</p>
05	06	<p>Request: Increase Funding for Parks Enforcement Patrol in Community District 6.</p> <p>Explanation: Increased presence of patrols in parks reduces illegal or inappropriate behavior in parks and increases the opportunity for peaceful and safe enjoyment of the parks by children and adult park users. Current levels of "roving" enforcement are not sufficient to address quality of life issues in our parks.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p>
06	07	<p>Request: Obtain Additional Traditional and Electronic Library Resources for the Kips Bay, Epiphany, and Grand Central Libraries, Including New or Upgraded Computers and WiFi Access.</p> <p>Explanation: Up to date traditional (books, magazines, music) and electronic resources are essential to our library system. Computers require periodic upgrades for hardware and software to continue to meet the changing needs of users. It is important to meet the increased demand for computer access in our libraries so that the community can use these resources for job searches, improving their skill sets, and pursuing a variety of academic and personal research. In this electronic information age, it is particularly important to assist those members of the community who cannot afford computers and internet access for their home use. We ask that funding be restored and increased to meet current needs.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: New York Public Library</p>
07	08	<p>Request: Expand the Number of Traffic and Parking Enforcement Agents in Community District 6 and Improve the Quality of Training.</p> <p>Explanation: We have elsewhere requested an increase in staffing at the 13th and 17th precincts. This request is specifically directed at the need for increased enforcement of parking and traffic violations, which is under a separate command in the Police Department. Residents are pedestrians and view traffic as a nuisance. Vehicles in pedestrian crosswalks or traveling in a dangerous manner are a threat to all residents but particularly our aging population. In addition, drivers who cause a nuisance through noise from horns or unmuffled exhausts should be penalized. As a recent development, the new bike and bus lanes are not being respected. Additional enforcement is necessary to prevent illegal parking in the bus and bike lanes.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Police Department</p>

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08	09	<p>Request: Allocate Additional Funding for Home Assistance Programs for the Elderly Served by Agencies for Seniors in Community District 6.</p> <p>Explanation: Fifteen percent of the population of Community District 6 is over age 65 and the mean age in the district is the oldest in the city. The Community Board requests a higher level of attention to its elderly population. Increased availability of home assistance may become particularly important after the cutbacks in services at senior centers throughout the area. We appreciate the Agency's stated commitment to advocating for federal and state funds and to work with other city agencies.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department for the Aging</p>
09	16	<p>Request: Fund a Shopping and Companion Service for the Frail and Homebound.</p> <p>Explanation: Sometimes the simplest of services can add significantly to the seniors' quality of life. We recognize that city services to the elderly have been impacted by reduction in federal and state funding. However, with the reduction in services at Senior Centers citywide, a service to assist individuals in taking care of basic activities of daily life in the community is a necessary and low-cost response to the needs of our elderly neighbors. If city funds are not available to provide these services directly, we ask that the City expend funds to partner with community organizations to provide the services.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department for the Aging</p>
10	11	<p>Request: Increase Funding for Youth Services and After-School Youth Programs, including arts, cultural, educational, and sports programs, in Community District 6.</p> <p>Explanation: The Board requests the development of youth services targeted at children in Community District 6. The overcrowded conditions in our schools require that we provide every opportunity possible to focus on the needs of our school-age children. We recognize that federal and state funding are critical components for financing such projects but we ask that the City take greater responsibility for providing youth services within the District and increase efforts to procure the necessary funding from city, state, federal and private sources.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Youth & Community Development</p>
11	12	<p>Request: Provide Additional Highway Inspection and Quality Assurance (HIQA) Inspectors to be Deployed in Community District 6.</p> <p>Explanation: HIQA is charged with enforcing the laws and rules that govern the way utilities, plumbers, contractors, other governmental agencies, and property owners perform work on the City's sidewalks, roadways and highways. Inspectors also review work sites for compliance with permit stipulations, and issue violations when they find non-compliance with the laws and rules. Community Board 6 requests that the Department of Transportation provide a sufficient number of full-time HIQA inspectors to provide all these services and in particular to verify that all street openings in the District are properly overseen and that final resurfacing meet regulatory requirements to restore the street to good condition.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>
12	13	<p>Request: Provide Additional Computers and Smart Boards as Needed in Schools Throughout the District</p> <p>Explanation: Our schools have fallen behind in the technology necessary to improve classroom instruction. Additional computers and the smart board technology will assist teachers and students in the learning process.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Education</p>
13	14	<p>Request: Upgrade Security Lighting And Panic Bars In Schools</p> <p>Explanation: The security of our school children is of paramount concern. We understand that the schools need these security upgrades.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Education</p>

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14	17	<p>Request: Increase Staff for the Landmarks Preservation Commission to Aid and Expand Enforcement and Operations in Community District 6.</p> <p>Explanation: There are currently 6 designated Historic Districts within the Community District that need to be monitored and additional areas should be considered for designation.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Landmarks Preservation Commission</p>
15	18	<p>Request: Add Air and Noise Pollution Control Inspectors for Community District 6.</p> <p>Explanation: DEP Hansen reports indicate that noise is the #1 complaint in the District. In addition to late night noise from bars and other establishments, we are experiencing an increase in traffic congestion due to the reduction in traffic lanes when bike lanes and bus lanes were implemented. The result has been slower traffic, more noise, and more pollution. We ask for additional air and noise pollution control inspectors to ensure that the agency can be proactive in addressing violations 24 hours a day. Relying solely on a complaint-based system means that investigations may not provide for a timely response to address on-going violations.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Environmental Protection</p>
16	24	<p>Request: Add another Paving Crew (10 people) for Work in CD6</p> <p>Explanation: We have been informed that additional staffing is necessary to meet the needs of maintenance and repair of streets in our District.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>
17	21	<p>Request: Allocate Additional Funding for Respite Care for Caregivers for Seniors in Community District 6.</p> <p>Explanation: The provision of respite care encourages people to continue to care for aging spouses and parents in their homes rather than resorting to disruptive, impersonal, and expensive alternatives. This is a request for city-funded services, not for an expansion of Medicaid services. We appreciate the agency's assertion that they will continue to advocate for federal and state funds and to work with other city agencies.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department for the Aging</p>
18	22	<p>Request: Provide 5 new computers for the Asser Levy Recreation Center</p> <p>Explanation: Community Board 6 values highly the services provided by the Asser Levy Recreation Center and supports its request to have up to date computers.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p>
19	23	<p>Request: Expand TLC Enforcement by Adding Additional Inspectors for CD 6.</p> <p>Explanation: Community Board 6 requests that TLC increase its number of inspections of illegal idling, pickup, parking and other practices within the District. The District includes the UN area and several corporate headquarters. "Black cars" appear to be disregarding traffic regulations.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Taxi and Limousine Commission</p>
20	25	<p>Request: Increase Funding for Housing Preservation Inspectors for Affected Properties in Community District 6.</p> <p>Explanation: The Board asks for additional inspections to ensure that properties are up to Code and are being maintained to provide a safe, secure, and healthy environment for all residents.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Housing Preservation & Development</p>
21	27	<p>Request: Fully fund the FDNY CPR initiative</p> <p>Explanation: Community Board 6 endorses this borough-wide initiative. We understand that funding constraints have, in the past, limited the full implementation of this important community program.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: FDNY</p>
22		<p>Request: Provide ID Scanners for 13th and 17th Precincts</p> <p>Explanation: Community Board 6 supports NYPD's expressed need for these scanners</p> <p>Responsible Agency: NYPD</p>

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23		<p>Request: B-First software and mobile computer hardware for Department of Buildings</p> <p>Explanation: Community Board 6 supports advanced technology solutions to improve the quality and frequency of inspections.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Buildings</p>
24	03	<p>Request: Establish Full Day Pre-Kindergarten in Community District 6.</p> <p>Explanation: According to news reports, the population of children under age 6 in areas of Community District 6 has increased by 30% since the last census. The need for pre-Kindergarten intensifies.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Education</p>

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c. **Report:** Chair waived report.

Old/New Business:

Second Roll Call – Aaron Humphrey

Meeting Adjourned at 10:00 pm