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### Parks & Recreation Minutes

Present: K. Lynch, B. Bieder, D. Krynicki, T. Accomando  
Absent: T. Franklin  
Guests: J. Beaugrand, J. Doyle, C. Casanova, J. Feliberty, L. Baldwin

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Ms. Jennifer Beaugrand spoke about the Bronx is Blooming Program and requested assistance in seeking funding. Ms. Beaugrand envisions it as being an educational event held in Pelham Bay Park. It was recommended that the Board do the introduction to DPR/Ms. Anderson and Council Member Gjonaj to see if they can work on providing funding.

Mr. Doyle from the City Island Civil Association discussed the property to the left of the City Island Bridge which is owned by the NYC Department of Transportation which the Association would like to be transferred to NYC Department of Parks and Recreation and developed as parkland.

Representatives from the NY Road Runners discussed the program called NYRR Open Run. NYRR Open Run is a free community running/walking program led by volunteers from within the community. Open Runs are weekly, open to all ages and experience levels, and we even welcome strollers and dog. The idea is to create a genuine community event centered around getting people moving. The first planning meeting is June 7, 2018 at the International Caterers of Distinction on Ampere Avenue; the goal is to start in Pelham Bay Park weekly commencing June 21, 2018.