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District Service Cabinet
 April 8, 2021
 Webex Meetings

MINUTES

PRESENT: Jeremy Warneke (Chair), Matthew “Matt” Arancio (New York City DOT: Department of Transportation), Eleftheria “Effie” Ardizzone, (DEP: Department of Environmental Protection), Lisa Alfred (DDC: Department of Design & Construction), Miguel Rondon (Mayor’s Office), Richard Velez (FDNY: Fire Department), Jermaine Williams (DSS: Department of Social Services), Erica Peralta Downing, (DOHMH: Department of Health & Mental Hygiene), Cristina Calderon (Bronx District Attorney’s Office), Michelle Veliz (DCWP: Department of Consumer and Worker Protection) and Joanna Rojas (DDC: Department of Design & Construction)

EXCUSED: The New York Public Library, Bronx Borough President’s Office, Morris Park Business Improvement District, Vincent Allard (New York City DSNY: Department of Sanitation), Albert D’Angelo (Community Board 11 Chairman), the City Commission on Human Rights and City Departments of Aging, Buildings, Parks and Planning

ABSENT: Con Edison, 49th NYPD Precinct, Council Members’ and other Elected Officials’ offices and the City Department of Housing Preservation & Development

Meeting called to order at 1:05 p.m.

1. Introduction
2. [Board member](#) resignations
 - a. John Squitieri
 - b. Marnie Rodriguez
3. Board member non-renewals
 - a. Tony Signorile
4. Board member [demographics and appointments](#)
5. CB11 [Interns](#)
 - a. Yankee Awards
6. Meetings Conduct Statement
7. April 2021 CB11 meetings [calendar](#)
 - a. Housing Committee: Senator Biaggi
8. May 2021 CB11 meetings calendar

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- a. Next DSC meeting and all future ones
Jeremy shared the draft May calendar and reminded the Cabinet that there are no more regularly scheduled Pelham Parkway Task Force meetings and that—with some exceptions—all future Cabinet meetings will be held remotely.
9. Agencies
- a. DOT
 - i. Luke’s Lounge, 1808 Hone Avenue
 - ii. Colden Avenue north of Morris Park Avenue speed hump markings
 - iii. Bronxdale Avenue DSNY request
Jeremy stressed the last item and that DSNY could not be present for the meeting today.
Matt Arancio said that he had already forwarded the request to DOT’s borough engineer for no standing or some kind of enforceable signage below the train trestle at Bronxdale and Hunt Avenues. The roadway markings will change as a result of a DOT safety improvement project. Matt discussed speaking to Biaggi’s Office regarding the drinking establishment Kirvens on Lydig Avenue, which received written permission for its outdoor structure from their property owner but not the neighboring businesses, making them noncompliant with current DOT rules and regulations. Kirvens reducing the size of their outdoor structure, according to Matt, would be the best course of action.
 - b. DEP
Effie Ardizzone spoke about the end of the Westchester Creek Combined Sewer Overflow Project and seasonal hires.
 - c. DDC
Lisa Alfred, the Burr Avenue Project Liaison, said her project should be completed by the spring of 2022.
 - d. Mayor’s Office
Jeremy asked Miguel Rondon to clarify the City’s return to work plan, to which Miguel, the District Attorney’s Office and the FDNY responded.
 - e. FDNY
Richard Velez stated the fire stats for the month and year, among other items.
 - f. DSS
Jermaine Williams talked about Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program services.
 - g. DOHMH
Erica Peralta Downing talked about homebound individuals, among other items.
 - h. Bronx District Attorney’s Office
Cristina Calderon mentioned a sexual assault awareness month event.

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- i. Borough President
 - i. Diversity training
No representative from the Borough President's Office was present, but Jeremy stated that their Office may be requiring diversity training of board members.
 - j. DCWP
Michelle Veliz spoke about street vendors and free tax return preparation.
10. Old Business
- a. Pelham Parkway Reconstruction Project
Joanna Rojas, the DDC Pelham Parkway Reconstruction Project Liaison, gave an update regarding the project.
Jeremy asked if there was a need currently to have a Task Force meeting.
Joanna said no, but if any issue needs addressing, anyone can reach out to her and she will respond accordingly.
Jeremy raised an email by a constituent, which Joanna did not receive because the constituent mistyped Joanna's email.
Jeremy said he would reply all to the email but insert the correct email for Joanna.

Meeting adjourned at 1:39 p.m.

Minutes by CB11 Community Coordinator Harriet Lasky and Jeremy Warneke.

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