

## COMMUNITY BOARD 11 1741 COLDEN AVENUE BRONX, NY 10462 (718) 892-6262 www.nyc.gov/bxcb11

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February 16, 2022
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## **MINUTES**

PRESENT: Joseph A. Thompson (Chair), Joanne Rubino (Co-chair), Veronica Castro, Shradhanand Pirtam and Edit Shkreli

EXCUSED: Durrell Boahen

STAFF: Jeremy Warneke (District Manager) and Chris Kirka (Community Coordinator)

GUESTS: Richard Reynoso (Board Member), Alina Duffus and Mario James (Owners of Treasure Loft/BKLOBSTER Restaurant), Bruno Gioffre (Attorney for Treasure Loft), Patrick Nicewicz (49<sup>th</sup> NYPD Precinct) and Teun Deuling and Michael Kavalar (NYC Department of Planning)

Meeting called to order at 7:33 p.m.

- 1. New Liquor License Application(s):
  - a. <u>Treasure Loft LLC</u> (trade name: BKLOBSTER), 1604
     Williamsbridge Road: LWBC (Liquor, Wine, Beer and Cider)
     Brief discussion took place amongst interested parties.
     The restaurant will open in approximately two months. The certificate of occupancy is pending.
     Motion by J. Thompson, seconded by J. Rubino, for Community Board 11 to send an email of <u>NO OBJECTION</u> to the New York State Liquor Authority (SLA) regarding the application.
     UNANIMOUSLY PASSED.
  - b. <u>S.D. DAVI INC.</u> (trade name: Jay's Tavern & Beer Garden), 1556
     Williamsbridge Road: LWBC
     The item was **unanimously** <u>TABLED</u> by the Committee until March.
- 2. Review of October 2021 Minutes

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Motion by J. Thompson, seconded by J. Rubino to <u>APPROVE</u> the October minutes, as drafted.

## UNANIMOUSLY PASSED.

3. MTA Penn Station Access Project

M. Kavalar stated that the MTA Access Project has been approved and construction will begin in 2022 and is set to be completed in 2027. T. Deuling was introduced as Community Board 11's new Planning Department liaison.

Meeting adjourned at 8:12 p.m.

Minutes by J. Rubino; edited and formatted by J. Warneke.

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