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REV. FREDERICK CRAWFORD
CHAIRPERSON

ETTA F. RITTER
DISTRICT MANAGER

BOARD MINUTES

Date: 3/12/2024
 Place: 1332 Fulton Avenue, Bronx, NY 10456
 Time: 6:00 P.M.

Members Present

Kolaco Acqui
 Joetta Brown
 Robert Brown
 Dawn Carter
 Rev. Frederick Crawford
 Vladimir Cruz
 Joyce Diggs
 Randy Dillard
 Francis D'Souza
 Wanda Ellis
 Beverly Emers
 Michele Gantt
 Maurice Gray
 Linda Johnson
 Kathy Morris
 Abraham Jones
 Rita Jones
 Victor Latimer
 Tracie Lucas Lord
 Paul Navarro
 Arona Testamark
 D'Andra Van Heusen-Thomas

Staff Present

Etta F. Ritter
 Courtland W. Hankins

Members Excused

Gloria Alston
 Xiomara Ariola
 Gilberto Constantinez
 Aaron Dumfeh
 Linda Kemp
 Una Lawrence
 Christian Matthew
 Aubrey Mike
 Anddy Perdomo
 Amanda Reed
 Laredo Regular
 Keziah Sullivan-Norman
 Bryan Wigfall
 Patrick Willis

Members Absent

No Members Absent

Mayor's Office (CAU)

Leonardo Coello

Bronx Borough President's Office

Vanessa L. Gibson
 Kenny Agosto

Congressmember Ritchie J. Torres' Office

Joanna Rivas

NYC Public Advocate's Office

Gina Williams

Councilmember Rafael Salamanca's Office

Shanna Knotts

Councilmember Althea Stevens' Office

Lisne Bautista

Councilmember Oswald Feliz

Juan Lopez

Bronx District Attorney's Office

Senovia Simpson

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CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Joetta Brown, 1st Vice Chairperson of Bronx Community Board Three, called the meeting to order at 6:11 pm.

INVOCATION

Kenny Agosto opened the meeting in prayer.

PRESENTATION

Ms. Joetta Brown, 1st Vice Chairperson of Bronx Community Board Three, introduced the following presenter:

- **Mr. Fred Yonghabi, Deputy Program Manager of Residential Energy Efficiency Programs, Con Edison**

Topic: Discuss Con Edison's Clean Heat Program which is a groundbreaking initiative offering substantial financial incentives for upgrading to energy-efficient heat pumps.

Mr. Yonghabi stated that as part of Con Edison's commitment to the clean energy transition, they are providing incentives to help customers go green and save money on their utility bill as follows:

- Creating a more comfortable home year-round
- Reducing consumers maintenance costs
- Lowering the use of fossil fuel consumption
- Reducing the carbon footprint

Mr. Yonghabi gave an overview of the Clean Heat Program as follows:

1. Clean Heat
 - a. Air Source Heat Pumps – moves air from inside and outside of the home to heat and cool respectively.
 - b. Geothermal – transfers heat stored in the earth into the home during winter, and deposits heat in the ground in the summer.

Option 1: Disable or remove your old heating system			
Home Type	Incentive (up to 50% of project costs)	Enhanced Incentive for Disadvantaged Communities* (up to 70% of project costs)	Available Tax Credits
Single-Family Homes	\$8,000 \$10,000**	\$10,000 \$12,000**	\$2,000
Apartments (per dwelling unit)	\$4,000 \$6,000**	\$5,000 \$7,000**	\$2,000
Option 2: Keep your old heating system and install integrated controls			
Home Type	Incentive (up to 50% of project cost)	Enhanced Incentive for Disadvantaged Communities* (up to 70% of project costs)	Available Tax Credits
Single-Family Homes	\$2,500	\$4,500	\$2,000
Apartments (per dwelling unit)	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$2,000

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All Projects: Disable or remove your heating system			
Home Type	Incentive (up to 50% of project costs)	Enhanced Incentive for Disadvantaged Communities* (up to 70% of project costs)	Available Tax Credits
Single-Family and 2- to 4-Family Homes	\$25,000 \$35,000**	\$35,000 \$45,000**	Federal: 30% of installation cost NY State: 25% of installation cost up to \$5,000

2. Weatherization

a. Incentives for gas, oil, or electric heat.

Home Type	Incentive	Enhanced Incentive for Disadvantaged Communities*	Available Tax Credits
Single-family building	\$2,000	\$2,500	\$1,200
Two-family building	\$2,500	\$3,000	\$1,200
Three-family building	\$3,000	\$3,500	\$1,200
Four-family building	\$3,500	\$4,000	\$1,200

b. Incentives for Geothermal or Air-Source Heat Pumps

Home Type	Incentive	Enhanced Incentive for Disadvantaged Communities*	Available Tax Credits
Single-family building	\$1,000	\$1,250	\$1,200
Two-family building	\$1,250	\$1,500	\$1,200
Three-family building	\$1,500	\$1,750	\$1,200
Four-family building	\$1,750	\$2,000	\$1,200

3. Retail Products

- a. Receive up to \$100 off energy efficient products through participating retailers.
- b. Offered in retail stores within the Con Edison Service Territory, i.e. Home Depot, Lowes, & Dollar Tree.
- c. Look for Con Edison Instant Discount sticker at participating retailers.

4. Smart Thermostats

- a. Enrollees allow Con Edison to make brief, limited adjustments to customer thermostat settings to reduce strain on energy.
- b. The customer is always in control and can override settings at any time.
- c. Summer adjustment period for participants lasts no longer than 4 hours and occurs between 11am and 4pm on weekdays.

5. Smart Usage Rewards

- a. Get rewarded for reducing your energy use on select summer days when energy use is at its highest.

6. SmartChargeNY

- a. Offers cash incentives to EV drivers for charging their EV's at off-peak times, which reduces stress on the energy grid.

Questions and concerns were entertained and answered satisfactorily.

Hon. Vanessa L. Gibson – Bronx Borough President

Ms. Joetta Brown introduced the Hon. Vanessa L. Gibson, Bronx Borough President, to the community at large.

Hon. Vanessa L. Gibson, the Bronx Borough President (BP), stated that she was happy to be home in the district that started her political career.

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Bronx Borough President Gibson made the following announcements:

- The newest Business Improvement District (BID) is in the Castle Hill section of The Bronx.
- The Bronx Economic Development Corporation's "**Storefront Improvement Initiative**" is focused on enhancing the appearance of local storefronts.
- Bronxweek 2024, which aims to highlight all that is positive in The Bronx, begins on 4/6/24 and continues through 4/19/24.
- The BP is focused on working with unions around apprenticeship opportunities.
- The BP's office is partnering with community boards and community-based organizations around fire safety education.
- The BP's office is working with the Bronx District Attorney's Office to address the fentanyl crisis.
- The community board application process was a success with 542 total applications received and 41 applications received for Bronx Community Board Three. The Borough President's Office will continue to educate and train community board members in order to build strong boards.
- The BP will continue to invest in community spaces that serve the youth.
- The BP will work to provide affordable housing for families and veterans.

PUBLIC SESSION

Ms. Joetta Brown introduced Ms. Sandra Horne, Foster Parent Recruiter, at Abbott House.

Ms. Horne stated that the goal of Abbott House is to help children and adolescents create a lasting sense of family, home, and community, and prepare them for a promising future.

Ms. Horne mentioned that families are needed for children of all ages and experiences, including:

- Infants, toddlers, and teenagers
- Siblings able to stay within the same home
- Children with complex medical needs
- LGBTQ youth
- Teenagers transitioning from foster care to independent living

Ms. Horne concluded by stating that she is available for in-person or virtual meetings with community members regarding the urgent need for foster parents in the Bronx. Ms. Horne can be reached via email at shorne@abbotthouse.net or via phone at 917.978.0008.

Ms. Joetta Brown, in her role as a Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) representative, spoke to the community at large about CERT's recruiting efforts. CERT is looking for new volunteers who want to help their families, friends, neighbors, and communities before, during, and after emergencies. Stakeholders can get more information by visiting <https://www.nyc.gov/site/em/volunteer/nyc-cert-join.page>.

ELECTED OFFICIALS' REPORT

CM Rafael Salamanca's Report – 17th District

Ms. Shanna Knotts, Director of Constituent Services, provided a written report which was emailed to Bronx Community Board Three's listserv. The CM Rafael Salamanca's written report is as follows:

Legislation

At the NYC Council Stated meeting that was held on February 28, 2024 the following 3 bills were re-introduced for consideration;

- Re-introduction of **Intro 199** - Council Member Salamanca's legislation that would require letter grades for food service establishments operated in our City's schools. This bill would require the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene to **establish a letter grading system**, similar to the one used for restaurants, for sanitary conditions of school cafeterias and kitchens. The Department of Education (DOE) would be required to post letter grades in a publicly visible location near the front entrances and cafeteria entrances of schools, and to post inspection results and letter grades of school cafeterias and kitchens on its website. DOE would also be required to inform parents and legal guardians of school children that such information is available on their website, and to inform parents and guardians of the school cafeteria's letter grade on no less than an annual basis and promptly inform parents and legal guardians whenever a letter grade of C or below is issued.
- Re-introduction of **Intro 0426** - Council Member Salamanca's legislation that would allow a business entity registered by the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene as a tobacco bar to seek the transfer of its registration, as well as a one-time transfer of its tobacco retail

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dealer license, upon a showing of financial hardship and that registration for a new location is warranted, to operate within the same or a different community district.

- Re-introduction of **Intro 0434** - Council Member Salamanca's legislation that would require a large building, a building with a water device, or a building which primarily houses people older than 65 or a building that has multiple housing units and a centralized hot water system, to develop and implement a building water system or water device management program and plan to minimize the growth and transmission of Legionella bacteria in the building's water system. This bill also lists requirements for system maintenance, inspection and testing, cleaning and disinfection, sample monitoring, recordkeeping, and reporting. The bill lays out an enforcement scheme, including DOHMH investigation and civil penalties. The bill additionally requires DOHMH to provide guidance and information sessions to building owners, and requires DOHMH to submit a report.

Office Operations

- Our office remains open and in full operation to offer a variety of constituent services. Those looking for assistance can give us a call, submit an email or visit us in person at the district office.
- We also have an immigration attorneys available to provide constituents with free consultation and application assistance. However, this service is offered by-appointment only. For more information or to set up an appointment please contact our office directly.

Upcoming Events

- On Thursday, March 21st CM Salamanca will host his 2nd Annual Women of Distinction Event in partnership with AM Septimo and AM Zaccaro at the Bronx Zoo' Schiff Hall 2300 Southern Blvd. Bronx, NY from 6pm - 9pm. RSVP's are required and can be submitted by phone or email. * Flyer Attached*

How to connect with Team Salamanca

We strongly encourage interested parties to follow us on one of our social media platforms. This is to help individuals stay informed and up to date about legislation, upcoming events and other pivotal information.

- Facebook: [Facebook.com/CMSalamanca](https://www.facebook.com/CMSalamanca)
- X (Twitter): @CMSalamancaJr
- Instagram: @cmsalamancajr_d17

Councilmember Althea Stevens' Report – 16th District

Lisne Bautista, Scheduler for Councilmember Althea Stevens, provided a written report which was emailed to Bronx Community Board Three's listserv. The CM Althea Stevens' written report is as follows:

Upcoming Events

1. Black Girl Magic - Economic Empowerment Event - THIS Saturday March 16th, 2024 - The Black Girl Magic - Economic Empowerment event will feature a dynamic panel discussion with esteemed guests including the Bronx Borough President Vanessa L. Gibson, Bronx District Attorney Darcel Clark, and Assembly Member Chantel Jackson. Attendees will also enjoy special performances and have the opportunity to explore a showcase of Black-women owned businesses.
2. Mobile Breast Cancer Screening – Friday, March 15, 2024.
3. Bronx Zoo Community Day – Saturday, March 30, 2024.
4. HRA Mobile Event – Tuesday, March 19, 2024, HRA will be at the CM's district office located at 1377 Jerome Avenue, to assist with applying for benefits.
5. Free Tax Preparation Services at the CM's office located at 1377 Jerome Avenue – Thursday, March 28, 2024.
6. Free or affordable child care requests for referrals can be made at the CM's office located at 1377 Jerome Avenue.

Community Updates

1. Food distribution location requests can be submitted to the CM's office via telephone 718.588.7500 or email district16@council.nyc.gov.
2. Participatory Budgeting- There will be 2 projects on the ballot that fall within Community Board 3. Vote

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week is April 6th-14th. The voting sites will be forwarded to Bronx Community Board 3 when they are finalized, to be distributed to Bronx Community Board 3's listserv.

Legislative Updates: N/A

District 16 In-Office Services

<u>Service Agency</u>	<u>Frequency</u>
Choice of NY	Every other Wednesday
CUNY Citizenship Now	Every Monday
NAICA	By referral
Department of Buildings	Every other Wednesday
CUNY Law	First Tuesday of every month
OATH NYC	Request referral from our office

Join our District 16 Advisory Councils

	Youth	Tenant Block & Neighborhood	Seniors	Health & Wellness	Multicultural
Date:	March 13th	March 18th	March 21st	April 2nd	April 4th
Time:	4:30pm	6:00pm	2:00pm	5:30pm	5:30pm

For anyone who would like to sign up for Council Member Althea Stevens E-Newsletter - Follow this link : <https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/su/2PxkaUc>

Constituent Service Hours

Mondays & Wednesdays (9am -5pm)	Tuesdays & Thursdays (9am -5pm)	Fridays (9am - 5pm)
<i>*No Walk-Ins*</i> Appointment Only!	Walk-Ins & Follow Up Appointments	<i>*Fridays are administration days, no walk-ins or appointments will be accepted. *</i>

How to make an appointment:

Email: District16@council.nyc.gov or Call: (718) 588-7500

Make sure to include:

- o Full name
- o Address
- o Contact information
- o Description of case

*See attached flyers

Councilmember Oswald Feliz's Report – 15th District

Mr. Juan Lopez, Community Affairs Liaison for Councilmember Oswald Feliz, did not provide a written report. Mr. Lopez invited constituents to utilize the CM's office for issues surrounding housing, education, public benefits, & immigration. The Bronx district office is located at 573 E. Fordham Rd., Bronx, NY 10458. You can contact the office directly at 718.842.8100. (flyer attached).

Bronx District Attorney Darcel Clark's Report

Senovia Simpson, Community Engagement Coordinator for Bronx DA Darcel Clark, provided a written report as follows:

Prom Dress and Suit Drive:

In collaboration with Bronx Fashion Week, Darcel D. Clark, Bronx District Attorney, is hosting a Prom Dress and Suit Drive until Friday, April 19th. We invite you to join us in this initiative by donating gently worn formal dresses, suits, shoes, accessories, and handbags. If you would like to

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contribute, simply drop off your donations at the designated bin located in the welcoming lobby of 198 E 161st Street from 9am to 5pm. If anyone has any inquiries or further details, please don't hesitate to contact our Community Engagement team at CEU@bronxda.nyc.gov.

Court Tours:

Our office tour aims to provide students with a basic understanding of the criminal justice system while focusing on the three essential parts of the process : Arraignments, the Detective Squad, and the Complaint Room.

- Arraignment: Students can understand the roles and procedures involved in the court process and how it works for both sides.
- Detective Squad: Students are given a unique understanding of how Law Enforcement Officers use skills and technology to apprehend criminals.
- Complaint Room: Students are given a walkthrough of where the Assistant District Attorneys are initially presented with the cases and the victims.

To book a tour and for further details please email CEU@bronxda.nyc.gov.

*See attached flyers

Congressman Ritchie Torres' Report

Joanna Rivas, Constituent Services Representative for Congressman Ritchie Torres, did not provide a written report. Ms. Rivas stated that constituents can reach out to the congressman's office regarding assistance with housing issues, repairs, assistance with federal grant applications, and assistance with federal agencies. The Bronx district office is located at 540 East Fordham Road, Bronx, NY 10458, telephone 718.503.9610.

SS Luis Sepulveda's Report – 32nd Senate District

Christian Cardus, Community Liaison for Senator Luis Sepulveda, did not provide a written report. Mr. Cardus stated that Senator Sepulveda's office offers free legal assistance, assistance with HRA services, income tax returns, and ERAP. Feel free to contact Senator Sepulveda's office at 718.991.3161 to set up an appointment.

Mayor Eric Adams' Report

Leonardo Coello, Bronx Borough Director for Mayor Adams, did not provide a written report. Mr. Coello shared the following information:

- The Plate Task Force seized 70 cars near the Triboro Bridge and made several arrests. The Plate Task Force uses electronic license plate readers to identify vehicles with fake temporary paper plates (also known as ghost plates), and issue summonses, vehicle seizures, and arrests.
- There are currently 4.7 million jobs in NYC, a record high, with 300,000 jobs added during the Adams administration. The Adams administrations' goal is to reach 5 million jobs in NYC.
- Mayor Adams administration has partnered with Small Business Services which has given out over 1000 small business loans.
- The Mayor's Office is working with Kathy Hochul, NYS Governor, to create a shoplifting task force to address the increase in shoplifting theft in NYC.

Public Advocate Jumaane Williams Report

Ms. Gina Willams, representing the Jumaane Williams, the NYC Public Advocate, did not provide a written report. Ms. Williams shared the following updates:

- The Public Advocate advanced legislation in the City Council which would prohibit discrimination in issuing credit and mandate transparency in the process. The bill would protect against discrimination which has pervaded lending practices for decades.
- The Public Advocate is conducting a review to address issues related to the increased population of asylum seekers in NYC.
- **The Reset Show** debuts on Facebook Live on Friday, March 22, 2024, at 10 am. The show, featuring the Public Advocate, covers a wide variety of issues within NYC.
- Please email Getthehelp@advocate.nyc.gov or Gwilliams@advocate.nyc.gov for constituent issues and questions.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Mr. Rey Allen, Ms. Debra Romero, and Ms. Felicia Yarber all representing The Harriet Tubman Charter School spoke on the following:

The Harriet Tubman Charter School services grades K-8 and has two locations.
The Harriet Tubman Charter School outperforms 87% of all schools in the district, city, and state.
The school receives funding based on enrollment and is looking to increase enrollment numbers.

ROLL CALL

Ms. Joetta Brown, 1st Vice-Chairperson of Bronx Community Board Three, called the roll, and a quorum was established.

MEMBERS REQUESTING TO BE EXCUSED

- Gloria Alston
- Xiomara Ariola
- Gilberto Constantinez
- Aaron Dumfeh
- Linda Kemp
- Una Lawrence
- Christian Matthew
- Aubrey Mike
- Anddy Perdomo
- Amanda Reed
- Laredo Regular
- Keziah Sullivan-Norman
- Bryan Wigfall
- Patrick Willis

MOTION

It was motioned by Ms. Tracie Lucas Lord and seconded by Mr. Victor Latimer to excuse the following member(s):

- Gloria Alston
- Xiomara Ariola
- Gilberto Constantinez
- Aaron Dumfeh
- Linda Kemp
- Una Lawrence
- Christian Matthew
- Aubrey Mike
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ALL IN FAVOR

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PRIOR MEETING

It was motioned by Rita Jones and seconded by Kathy Morris, to approve the February 13, 2024, General Board minutes, with any necessary corrections, if there be any.

ALL IN FAVOR

MOTION CARRIED

AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA

There was no amendment to the agenda.

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CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT

Rev. Frederick Crawford, Chairperson of Bronx Community Board Three, announced that Union Grove Missionary Baptist Church is hosting a **Your Health Matters** event on Saturday, April 6, 2024, from 10am to 2pm at 1488 Rev. Dr. Fletcher C. Crawford Way. There will be free **Blue Print for Wellness** (BFW) screenings offered.

DISTRICT MANAGER'S REPORT

The following represents a brief summary of issues of importance affecting Bronx Community District Three during the period of February 13th to the present:

ACCESS HRA Updates

Appointment-only model across all 10 of IDNYC's enrollment sites

Appointments for in-person enrollment are released each week on Friday afternoons for the following Monday through Friday and can be booked by visiting the [IDNYC Online Portal](#). If clients are not able to book an appointment, we ask they check back as availability changes daily.

Click [HERE](#) for IDNYC Enrollment Center locations.

About IDNYC

IDNYC is a free, municipal photo identification card for New York City residents ages 10 and up to use in the five boroughs which provides access to a wide variety of services and programs offered by the city. For cardholders 16 and older, cards are valid for five years from the date the application was approved. For cardholders under the age of 16, cards are valid for two years from the date the application was approved. IDNYC cardholders enjoy [benefits and discounts](#) offered by businesses and cultural institutions across the five boroughs. IDNYC can be used as your public library card, to access your own and your child's immunization records, and to open a bank account at select financial institutions.

Please note the following:

- IDNYC **does not** provide work authorization.
- IDNYC **does not** impact immigration status.

Document Guidance

An applicant must present four (4) total points of documents:

- Three (3) points of documents proving identity *and*
- One (1) point of documents proving NYC residency (A "Care Of" letter will suffice for 1 point of NYC residency housed in NYC agencies).
 - IDNYC cards with a Care Of address **MAY NOT** be used as proof of address.

If the IDNYC application is **approved** a card will be mailed within 10-14 business days to the address provided on the Care Of/Residency Verification Letter.

Clients **cannot use** IDNYC to: 1) drive 2) purchase alcohol or tobacco, or 3) travel by plane or across land or sea borders

Asylum Seekers may provide other documents to prove identity:

- Notice to Appear form I-862
- Alien Booking Record form I-385
- Order to Release on Recognizance form I-220A
- Order of Supervision form I-220B
- Copy of Foreign Passport*
- Copy of Foreign Birth Certificate*

*These must be accompanied by an ICE form before they can be accepted.

Please refer to IDNYC [Document Calculator - How to Apply - IDNYC](#) for additional information.

NYC Department of Transportation

Accessible Pedestrian Signals

The NYC Department of Transportation (NYC DOT) installs Accessible Pedestrian Signals (APS) to assist pedestrians who are blind or have low vision in crossing the street. These devices provide information in non-visual formats, such as audible tones, speech messages, and vibrating

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surfaces, to alert vision-impaired pedestrians when the “walk” phase is available at a given intersection. A list of all signalized intersections with APS is available on NYC DOT’s website (<http://www.nyc.gov/dot>www.nyc.gov/dot). It is not sorted by borough nor community board.

Open Streets Application

New York City’s Open Streets program transforms streets into open public spaces. Open Streets program transforms streets into public spaces open to all. These transformations allow for a range of activities that promote economic development, support schools, and provide the public with opportunities to enjoy cultural and community programs.

DOT has considered for approval the Open Street located on **Jennings Street from Prospect Avenue to Chisholm Street** and will operate from **Monday through Saturday from 11:00 am –7:00 pm starting from June 8, 2024, to October 31, 2024**. It is a full street closure. DOT will work with Caldwell Enrichment Program Inc., the community partner on the safe and successful execution of this Open Street. Additionally, parking regulations on the Open Street corridor will be updated to reflect hours of operation. Bronx Community Board Three has 45 days to offer any comments to NYC DOT relating to this Open Street Application

NYC Department of Building

Renderings from [KSS Architects](#) are the first to reveal the new permanent home of the Bold Charter School at 1472 Boston Road in the [Crotona East Park](#) neighborhood of The Bronx. The new building will comprise 81,590 square feet and will serve students currently enrolled in two temporary facilities at 1093 Southern Boulevard and 1090 Close Avenue, also in The Bronx.

When complete, the building will stand eight stories tall with a brick and gray clad exterior. The massing features a large setback above the fourth floor to make room for an outdoor terrace, and additional outdoor play areas on the roof of the building. Inside, the school will offer 27 classrooms, a full-size gymnasium, and a cafeteria. The school is expected to open for the 2025/2026 academic year and will serve K-8 students in School District 12, with the capacity to support approximately 810 students.

Bronx Community Board Three

Bronx Community Board Three has partnered with MBD to host a **6-hour Defensive Driving Class**. This Defensive Driving Class will take place on **Saturday, March 23 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., at Mid Bronx Plaza located at 1441 Boston Road**. The cost of the class is **\$30.00 Money Order** only. **NO CASH** will be accepted.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

NEW BUSINESS

SICKNESS, DISTRESS, & BIRTHDAYS

Distress:

Please keep the following board members in prayer:

- Ms. Linda Kemp due to the recent passing of her brother. brother passed away.
- Ms. Una Lawrence, due to her son being admitted into hospice care.

Happy Birthday:

- Bronx Community Board Three extends happy birthday blessings to board member Gilberto Constantinez.

BENEDICTION

Rev. Abraham Jones led us in prayer.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 8:05 pm.

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