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BOROUGH OF THE BRONX COMMUNITY BOARD 7



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TRAFFIC & TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

Chair:	Edgar Ramos
Meeting Date:	Thursday, June 2, 2022
Meeting Time:	6:30PM
Meeting Location:	Via Zoom Video/Teleconference
Meeting Recording:	https://youtu.be/_KjZ4mhndEs
Members	✓ Edgar Ramos ✓ Yajaira Arias ✓ Erick Ascencio
In Attendance:	∠ Lowell Green ∠ Andrew Laiosa ∠ Daisy Perry
Minutes done by:	Edgar Ramos

Minutes: Meeting Started via Zoom, run by Edgar Ramos at 6:34 quorum was met

- I) Introductions
- II) Attendance
 - Committee Attendance taken and quorum was met.
 - Representatives from DOT and MTA present
- III) Review of previous minutes
 - Committee voted and approved May Meeting Minutes
- IV) Follow-up from previous month (If applicable)
 - Nothing to be followed up.
- V) New Business
 - a) MTA Updates
 - Presentation to <u>Gun Hill Road Bus & Pedestrian Improvements</u>
 - Presentation from DOT / MTA Gun Hill Bus and Pedestrian Improvements for Community Board 7 by Sarah Feller from NYCDOT and Senna Phillips from MTA There are 40,000 using this corridor 1 of 10 Key Bronx Corridors. Bronx bus routes Bx 28 and 38 are of the Bronx's slowest routes needing attention to correct this. Pedestrian safety reports show 64 severe injuries and 2 fatalities to be addressed by these improvements. Use of Bus Lanes will hopefully be the way to create reliable service. Westbound center running Bus Lane



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with boarding islands from Webster to Bainbridge Avenue Eastbound left running Bus Lane. Looking to make safety improvements as soon as possible and make the changes starting in the summer marking lanes as soon as possible. 40,000 is the fare box number not including the number of passengers that evade fare on the routes. Enforcement will be important for this plan to work. The following of the signage will be critical to the plan working.

 MTA Bus Redesign will have a Briefing on June 8th covering the changes to the local bus redesign

b) TD11 Updates

- No presentation from the Transit NYPD precinct TD 11
- Questioning of Traffic Situation at Kingsbridge and Bailey Avenue due to a construction project scaffolding creating a blocking of views for drivers and pedestrians.
- Motion proposed to Notify NYPD or appropriate agency to enforce parking laws for Food Truck on Bainbridge. Not Seconded.
- c) DOT Updates (If applicable)
- VI) Next meeting date: Thursday September 1, 2022
- VII) Discussion on next agenda
 - Citibike Numbers
- VIII) Adjournment
 - Adjournment at 8:07