



**THE CITY OF NEW YORK
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX
COMMUNITY BOARD 7**



VANESSA L. GIBSON, BOROUGH PRESIDENT

YAJAIRA ARIAS, CHAIRPERSON

VACANT, DISTRICT MANAGER

GENERAL BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Chair:	Yajaira Arias, Chairperson
Meeting Date:	March 28, 2023
Meeting Time:	6:30 PM
Meeting Location:	Via Zoom Video/Teleconference
Meeting Recording:	
Minutes done by:	Ruth D. Caraballo

Minutes:

- I. Guidelines & Code of Conduct for the meeting.
- II. Public Hearing/Public Session.
 - A. Elected Officials and/or Representatives/Agencies/General Public
 1. Mayor's office- Alina Dowe
 2. Bronx Borough President's office- Kenny Agosto
 3. Bronx District Attorney's office-Robert Spencer
 4. 52nd Precinct-Officer Echevarria
 5. [NY State Senator Gustavo Rivera](#)'s Office- Sari Mendoza
 6. [NY State Senator Robert Jackson](#)'s Office-Caridad Figueroa
 7. [Assemblymember Jeffrey Dinowitz](#)'s Office
 8. [Assembly Member John Zaccaro Jr.](#)'s Office- Evan Weinberg
 9. [Assembly Member Yudelka Tapia](#)'s Office- Kevin Trujillo
 10. [Council Member Oswald Feliz](#)'s Office- George Cooke
 11. [Council Member Pierina Sanchez](#)'s Office-Adrian Cacho
 12. [Council Member Eric Dinowitz](#)'s Office- Tabir Chowdhury
 - a) Amanda's last day is 3/29/2023.
 13. Department of Environment Protection-Effie Ardizzone
 14. Department of Sanitation-Michael Colacurto
 15. Guerinos Against Graffiti
 16. Armando AJ Ramos

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17. Rachel Bradshaw

- III. Closing of the Public Hearing at [insert time]
- IV. Meeting called to order by Chairperson Yajaira Arias at [insert time]
- V. District Manager's Updates: <http://bit.ly/412hQWf>
- VI. Chairperson Remarks:
- VII. Attendance (Roll Call) by Ruth Caraballo—Quorum is met.
- VIII. The February General Board Minutes will be reviewed in April.
- IX. Motion (s):
 - A. **Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs:** The committee requests a letter be sent to the NYC Parks' Commissioner stating our support for the installation of a PEP Station at Van Cortlandt Park. Copies of the letter should also be sent to our elected officials.
 - 1. Open Discussion/Q&A
 - B. **Health and Human Services:** Bronx Community Board 7 to provide a letter of support to the NYC Department of Aging in support of Neighborhood SHOPP's NY Connects program in the Bronx.
 - 1. Open Discussion/Q&A
- X. Board Chairperson calls on Committee Chairs for updates:
 - A. Budget, Personnel & Ethics – Andrew Laiosa
 - B. Education, Youth & Libraries – Leurys Acosta
 - C. Environment & Sanitation – Betty Arce
 - D. Health & Human Services – Michelle Avila
 - E. Housing, Land Use & Economic Development – Erick Ascensio
 - F. Parks, Recreation & Cultural Affairs – Barbara Stronczer
 - G. Public Safety & Quality of Life – Victor Saldaña
 - H. Traffic & Transportation – Edgar Ramos
 - I. Veterans Affairs – Chad Y. Royer
 - J. Ad Hoc Bylaws – Myrna Calderon

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κ. Ad Hoc DM Screening Committee-Michelle Avila

XI. Board Members question and comment:

A.

XII. Board business closes.

XIII. Next Meeting Date: Tuesday, April 25, 2023 at 6:30 pm

XIV. Meeting is Adjourn at [insert time]