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BOROUGH OF THE BRONX

COMMUNITY BOARD 7



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TRAFFIC & TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MINUTES

April 20th, 2009 @ 6:30PM

- I. The committee request letters of support
 - A. CB7 request that the MTA extend the Bronx 16 Bus Route to Fordham Road and back along the Bx34 bus route. This request is to provide bus service for the residents of Norwood, Bedford Park and Fordham
 - B. CB7 support the Tree Museum project for the centennial of the Grand Concourse.
 - C. CB7 supports the Fordham Bids request to send letter to the franchise owners of the newspaper dispensers located on Fordham Road from Jerome Ave to Webster Ave requesting that they provide ongoing maintenance of their units.
- II. Katie Holter provided information about her Tree Museum project. She is putting 100 new trees on the Grand Course from 138th street to Mosholu Parkway. Each tree will have a plaque and a number one can call for information on the tree. It will run from June 21 to October 11, 2009.
 - A. CB7 could put up a few banners about the centennial of the Grand Concourse.
- III. A new bike lane will be placed on the Grand Concourse.
- IV. Crossing Guard Request PS/MS 15 at Andrews Ave. As per DOT, traffic does not warrant a crossing guard and Hall of Fame and 181st St. site is not in CB7.
 - A. Councilwoman Baez will be informed with copy to school principal.
- V. MTA follow-up
 - A. Bronx New School grate is schedule to be fixed by end of April
 - B. District Manager will follow up with Parks Department and MTA over reseeding of Mosholu Subway Station site.
 - C. Due to space problems the 52nd Pct. needs the bus stop space to store cars from accidents etc.
 - D. Rats at Perry Ave entrance to D subway line-no recent complaints but District Manger will check that MTA is bating the area.
 - E. Working on getting a Bus Shelter for the 28 bus stop in front of Tracey Towers.
- VI. DOT follow-up
 - A. District Manager will request status of Gun Hill/Bainbridge nighttime light survey as well as traffic survey of Jerome Ave and West Mosholu Parkway South.
 - B. Repainting of School Crosswalks not being done at this time.
 - C. Repair of broken, cracked sidewalk is being done.
 - D. Working on get parking rules changed on West Gun Hill Road from Jerome to Mosholu Parkway.
 - E. District Manager will check on status of dumpster on East 210 St.
- VII. Special Projects
 - A. Start List of possible parking location charges
 - B. Problem of truck parking on Webster and Sedgwick
 - C. WW I Memorial-need price of spot lights-may have funding source
 - D. Follow up on Fordham Road street condition requests
 - E. Received a list of problem areas from The Faith and Action Committee of St Nicholas of Tolentine Church. DOT has a study of area under way. Committee will wait for study results to see what is recommended. District Manger will ask DOT why the block from West Fordham to 183th Street on Andrew did not get a speed bump. There is a school on the block.