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COMMUNITY BOARD 7



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TRAFFIC & TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, October 9, 2014 @ 6:30 PM

- I. The Chair called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm. Attendance sheet on file.
- II. Status of DOT projects:
 - A. Chair reported that DOT was just about finished building a pedestrian island at the bus stop corner of Gun Hill Road and Jerome Avenue
- III. Parkview Terrace/Jerome Avenue Retaining Wall:
 - A. DDC is still in planning stage
- IV. Cole Lane Project:
 - A. DDC is in final design stage
- V. The following sites are still under review by Intersection Control Division:
 - A. 204th Street and Decatur Avenue
 - B. "All Way Stop" at East 198th Street and Briggs Avenue
 - C. "All Way Stop" at Valentine Avenue at 201th Street
 - D. "Left-Turn" signal at Grand Concourse at Bedford Park Blvd
 - E. "Left-Turn" signal at Bedford Park Blvd at Valentine Avenue
- VI. Bus Lane Condition:
 - A. The repainting of the Bus Lane on Fordam Road will involve resurfacing and has been rescheduled for Spring 2015 when conditions will be more optimal
- VII. Concerns raised by CB7 residents:
 - A. Questions were raised at the October Executive Board Meeting about conditions at the Kingsbridge Road underpass. The District Manager talked with DOT and they will look into the flooding issues as well as clean the sidewalk
 - B. Charlotte Walker indicated a problem at the corner of East 203th Street, East Mosholu Parkway and Briggs Avenue. Chair will ask DOT to look at area
 - C. Heiman Guy Sr. indicated a traffic problem at 202th Street and Valentine Avenue. DOT is looking at 201th Street and Valentine at this time. Once this study is done, the Chair will inform DOT of concerns at 202th Street
- VIII. Bedford Park Underpass:
 - A. Concerns were raised about condition at the Bedford Park underpass. Questions were asked if "Bird Spikes" could be installed to prevent birds from nesting. The Chair will ask DOT
- IX. Vision Zero Workshops:
 - A. Question was asked about follow-up from the Vision-Zero workshop held at Lehman College. Individuals wanted to know what was being done about problem sites identified at the workshop i.e. people crossing in the middle of Mosholu Parkway and not at intersection crosswalks. Chair will follow up with DOT



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- X. Edwin Diaz:
 - A. Came to the Committee meeting with concerns about traffic issues on West Mosholu Parkway North between Gun Hill Road and Jerome Avenue. He was advised to start a petition of area residents as well as talk with his local city council member Andrew Cohen. He stated he would return to the Committee at a later date
- XI. Next Meeting: Thursday November 13,