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COMMUNITY BOARD 7



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TRAFFIC & TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES
Thursday, November 13, 2014 @ 6:30 PM

- I. Attendance sheet in file
- II. Response to "Move NY":
 - A. The Committee decided that at this time the organization did not have any proposals that CB7 could sign on to. The chair will inform Mr. Jonathan Matz of "Move NY"
- III. Signage:
 - A. Ms. Samelys Lopez will provide a list of locations and types of signs that needed to be replaced on Mosholu Parkway
- IV. Fordham Neighborhood Association:
 - A. Ms. Sheila Hurdle and Ms. Arcola Wilson-Scott from the Fordham Neighborhood Association came to the Committee for suggestions on how to advance their idea of expanding the local #12 bus to Broadway and West 207th Street (River Plaza Shopping Center-Target). They were advised to contact the City Council members in the bus route area, specify groups to petition, etc. They will come back to the January meeting
- V. Community Concerns:
 - A. MTA will be asked to review the need of the bus stop located at 266 Van Cortlandt Avenue
 - B. MTA will be asked to look at the relay use of Rochambeau Avenue between 206th Street and Bainbridge Avenue
 - C. DOT will be asked to look at the No Parking Zone in front of the Old Bronx's New School location on Van Cortlandt Avenue. The school is no longer located at this location
- VI. Reply to Community Concerns:
 - A. The area around PS. 8 will be looked at by DOT School Safety Division. The sidewalk will get repainted by spring 2015
 - B. DOT does not use "Bird Spikes" to prevent bird nesting. The DOT Bridge Division will look at the Bainbridge Underpass
- VII. Items for the Long Term Planning:
 - A. Bus routes: The Committee would like to see the creation of three new bus routes:
 1. Fordham Road to La Guardia
 2. Extension of the 12 Bus Route
 3. See a bus route that goes on Webster Ave between East 233th Street and Gun Hill Road
 - B. Check bus stops for shelters and/or benches if space available
 - C. Add bike racks as needed
 - D. Check conditions of underpass roadways-lighting, flooding, trash removal etc.



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- E. The Committee decided to send a letter to the Mayor addressing the need for a bus route from Fordham Road to La Guardia Airport and that the MTA should not hold up this new route by saying they can only do this new route if someone else provides the money. The letter should also be sent to all city council members whose district the bus route would go through

VIII. Next Meeting:

- A. NO December Meeting - Go to Tree Lighting Event
B. Next meeting will be held on Thursday, January 8, 2015

IX. Meeting adjourned