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BOROUGH OF THE BRONX

COMMUNITY BOARD 7



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TRAFFIC & TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, May 14, 2015 @ 6:30 PM

- I) Department of Transportation (DOT) Update:
 - A) Bedford Park Boulevard and Webster Avenue:
 - 1) Left hand turn signal has been installed. DOT will be asked to check timing of signal
 - B) The Bus Lanes on Fordham Road will begin resurfacing starting June 1-19. The work will be done in sections; both east and west directions at same time. Work will be done at night
 - C) After a traffic study, the intersection of 204th Street and Decatur Avenue was shown not to have enough traffic to warrant a traffic light
 - 1) The Executive Committee voted to send a letter to City Councilman Andrew Cohen requesting his assistance in getting a traffic light for the intersection. The full Community Board will vote on this Motion at May meeting
 - D) At 3200 Van Cortlandt Avenue (former site of Bronx New School) the "No Parking Anytime" signs will be changed to Street Cleaning Regulation signs for that street. This should be done by June 30, 2015
- II) Community Walking Tour:
 - A) Everyone enjoyed the walk and the chance to see the only 2 streets that go from the Grand Concourse to Webster Avenue (194th Street and 198th Street) in that area
- III) Community Concerns:
 - A) JR Castaner came with concerns about the area of Bailey Avenue and Kingsbridge Road. He was told to start a petition with a list of items needing correction. It was suggested to contact elected officials with concerns, speak with Commander of 52th precinct, and keep originals of all petitions and photos. He was encouraged to come back to the Committee for help as needed
- IV) Meeting adjourned. Next Meeting will be June 11, 2015.