



Chairman Mohammed Mujumder - District Manager William Rivera

Youth & Education Committee Meeting Summary

October 9, 2025

Board Members Present: Lashei Deoleo, Ram Halder, Julio Quinones Jr, Wayne Cole Jr, Richard Owusu

I. Introduction

- A. Committee Description:** The youth & education committee represents the community's interests with regards to education and programs that target the youth and acts as a liaison between community members and the NYC Department of Education including Parent Advocates, PTA's, Educators and Principals, School Safety, the Administration for Children Services, the District Attorney's Office, NYC department of Youth & Development and local organizations and nonprofits.

II. Committee Discussion

- A.** Committee discussion regarding different approaches necessary for NYC public schools vs charter school
- Committee to develop questions for a needs assessment survey to share with parents, students, and teachers in each school.
 - Committee wants to gather parent engagement data to determine how to distribute surveys effectively.
 - Language barriers in schools (Such as Bronx High School) should be addressed. Some schools currently offer ENL (English as a New Language) classes for parents to support student learning.
 - Food insecurity is a current issue and there is food waste taking place in schools.
 - Suggestion for school field trips to take place more often.
 - The committee discussed identifying CB9's active partnerships to determine how to move forward.
 - Suggestion to raise funds through local businesses in the CB9 area with the goal of improving community engagement and survey outreach for youth and parents.

III. Notifications

- A. Department of Consumer and Worker Protections is beginning a Financial Empowerment for Youth program campaign.**

IV. New Business

- A. Next Meeting:** November 13th @7PM

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