

Chairman Mohammed Mujumder - District Manager: William Rivera

Social Services Committee Meeting Summary September 2, 2025

Committee Members Present: Nellie Santiago-Rivera, Daniel Porro, Chandra Moore, James Tynan, Md Alauddin, Sharyn Brown

Committee Description: The social services committee represents the community's interests with regards to social services including senior services, disability, and veterans concerns and acts as a liaison between community members and the NYC Human Resources Administration, Department of Homeless Services, Department of Aging, and the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. The Seniors Connected Sub-Committee is under this committee.

I. New Business

- A. The committee would like Elected Officials to share more information about mental health and suicide awareness with the community. BM Porro will do outreach to Elected Officials to share flyers from the Department of Mental Health and Hygiene.
- B. Additionally, the committee shared information about upcoming events happening around the city:
 - Mondays & Fridays there is a free Martial Arts & Korean Sword Fighting Class for Seniors.
 - 9.20.25 from 11am-3pm the League of Women Voters is tabling for Constitution Day outside of ShopRite.
 - There will be a series of events for Disability Awareness Month in October including:
 - 10.19.25 Disability Pride Parade at 10am on Madison Ave between 24th and 26th St. followed by a block party from 12pm to 3pm at Union Square.
 - 10.25.25 Safe Disposal Event from 10am-4pm at Orchard Beach.
 - 10.26.25 March for Breast Cancer in Co-op City.