

District Service Cabinet Summary

March 15, 2022 - 1:00 PM

Description: The City Charter establishes a District Service Cabinet (DSC) in each community district, to be composed of agency officials responsible for local service delivery. The District Manager of the Community Board chairs the District Service Cabinet, whose members include representatives of the agencies that deliver local services to the Community District. The District Service Cabinet is the primary mechanism through which local service delivery issues can be raised, discussed and resolved. If used effectively, the Cabinet can provide the basis for a comprehensive approach to service delivery within the community district.

I. Service Requests

A. NYPD

Potential squatters at 1211 Evergreen Ave-Sgt. Ortiz will look into this and follow-up

B. ConEd- No Rep

• Noble Ave Gas line update

II. Old Business

A. NYCHA

2245 Randall Ave - Excessive Noise Complaint. Resolution: As per NYCHA, "Staff contacted the residents in both units and is mediating this issue,"

B. NYPD

- Abandoned vehicle at 1791 Gleason Avenue. Resolution: As per NYPD, "There are no more illegally parked vehicles or vehicles without license plates at that location."
- Harding Park Car Parts Robberies. Resolution: As per NYPD, the Patrol Officer and Sector Officers will be made aware for action.
- 1720 Lafayette Ave Car parked for weeks without movement. Resolution: As per NYPD, vehicle is no longer parked there.

C. DSNY

- Garbage Complaint on Evergreen Ave. Resolution: As per DSNY, "We will continue to monitor the location and issue summonses when possible."
- Request for Composting Program in CD9. Resolution: As per DSNY, "We had intended
 to expand out to new districts as interest grew, but, like many NYC agencies, the
 Department is working through budgetary considerations and trade-offs for Fiscal Year
 2023."

D. HPD

• 1545 White Plains Rd. Maintenance Complaint. Resolution: 311 SR#: 311-09506463. Status: In Progress

E. HRA

• Request for Catholic Charities Unionport Homebase contact for client. Resolution: As per HRA, "We will be reaching out to the client."

F. MOPD

- Assistance needed for resident who requires help with a disability application for housing. Resolution: As per MOPD someone will be contacting them shortly to provide guidance.
- Assistance needed for resident with SSI benefits in search for a place to live. Resolution: As per MOPD someone will be contacting them shortly to provide guidance.
- Assistance needed for resident whose sister has a mental and physical disability and has requested a transfer to a first-floor apartment in her building but was denied. Resolution: As per MOPD someone will be contacting them shortly to provide guidance.

III. Agency Reports / Announcements

- A. DEP- Effie stated will be meeting with public safety in May and will be discussing new regulator project that DEP will be doing in Shorehaven community. Effie sent out information on rain garden maintainers, the agency constructing green infrastructure rain gardens for the purpose of storm water capture and improving water quality. There are seasonal park workers positions available.
- B. NYCEM- Brian stated that applications for the John D Solomon fellowship is currently open and due by March 21st. Recently there has been a large scale of emergencies, and the best way to donate is with cash/gift cards through trustworthy funds. CB9 ADM Shirley Alonzo, stated that CB9 is working with CERT team to start a COAD.
- C. Bronx DA- Christina announced that the annual child safety fair will be on Saturday April 30th. All tables are required to have an interactive activity so young people can learn. There will be activities, raffles, and food.
- D. CCHR- Orlando stated that all domestic workers are covered under laws as employees. Any New Yorkers hiring are liable as employers.
- E. DFTA- Josue last month agent connect line celebrated 2-year anniversary, in that time they have handled over 114,00 calls. Reminder that older adults' centers are open for full case management and meals.
- F. NYPL- Jasmine stated masks are no longer required but encouraged at all NYPL locations. Clason Point library are providing COVID-19 tests for free, from Monday to Friday.
- G. DCWP- Ayad, there is a new commissioner who started on March 1st. Also, DCWP agency is looking forward to start enforcing the next set of laws for delivery worker protections where delivery workers have more, control over their deliveries and can limit how far they can go from one restaurant to another. IRS announced tax deadline is April 18th. DM Rivera asked is there a vendor enforcement unit, Ayad stated that they do inspection with any vendor complaints that come into the office. Please send any vending complaints to Ayad.
- H. Mayor's Office- Paula announced the following, New York City Mayor Eric Adams released Blueprint for NYC's Economic Recovery https://www1.nyc.gov/assets/home/downloads/pdf/office-of-the-mayor/2022/Mayor-Adams-Economic-Recovery-Blueprint.pdf Announced summer rising which is getting over 100,000 elementary school students into programs for the summer.
- I. Councilmember Amanda Faria- Jason Santiago, stated that immigration services will be held at the Councilmembers office and there will be tax assistance at the office on March 23, 9am to 5pm.

- J. Parks- Chris stated as weather gets warmer Parks gets busier and there are staff members ensuring and making sure comfort stations are cleaned throughout the day. There is a mobile crew that visits sites daily.
- K. DOT- Darisa states it is pothole season if you see them call them into 311, they get addressed as they come in. and it is also the beginning of resurfacing season, not in CB9 yet. Advisories will be sent the week before. Please cc all of DOT team on correspondence. Looking forward to next e-scooter presentation at next Public Safety meeting. Darisa will send DM Rivera the re-milling schedule.
- L. CB9-ADM Alonzo announced that there will be composting in Parkchester at Virginia Park on Fridays from 12pm to 8pm.

Meeting Adjourned: 1:30pm