



# The City of New York Brooklyn Community Board 15



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## Naming Questionnaire

### Section I: General Information

1. Applicant's Name:

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2. Applicant's Address:

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3. Applicant's Telephone Number:

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*(Note: If there is more than one applicant, please indicate all names, addresses and phone numbers on a separate piece o/paper.)*

4. Proposed Public Area to be named (Please be very specific):

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5. Proposed name for the Public Area:

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6. Does the Public Area currently have a name: Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

7. If 'Yes' please indicate the current name:

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8. If you propose that the Public Area be named after an individual or organization, please indicate which: Individual \_\_\_\_ Organization \_\_\_\_

9. If the Public Area is to be named after an individual, has the individual been deceased for more than 2 years? Yes No

**If you have indicated an 'Individual', please complete Section II.  
If you have indicated an 'Organization', please complete Section III.**

**Section II:  
Requests for Naming after an Individual  
(Referred to as the 'Individual Honoree')**

1. Full name of the proposed 'Individual Honoree':

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2. Date of death of the proposed 'Individual Honoree':

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3. Place of death of the proposed 'Individual Honoree':

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4. Cause of death of proposed 'Individual Honoree':

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5. Date of birth of the proposed 'Individual Honoree':

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6. Place of birth of the proposed 'Individual Honoree':

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7. Relationship of applicant to proposed 'Individual Honoree':

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8. Has any other public area been named after the proposed 'Individual Honoree?' \_\_  
Yes \_\_No

9. If 'Yes,' please indicate where:

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10. Has the proposed ' Individual Honoree' ever been convicted of a crime? \_\_Yes  
\_\_No

11. If 'Yes,' please give details:

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12. Has the proposed 'Individual Honoree' ever been accused of actions involving moral turpitude, unethical behavior or similar actions that could reasonably be seen by members of the Community as tending to bring disrepute on the community if a public area is named after the Honoree? \_\_Yes \_\_ No

13. If 'Yes,' please give details:

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14. Indicate if you claim the proposed 'Individual Honoree' meets any of the following criteria:

- a. Member of uniformed force killed in the line of duty. \_\_ Yes \_\_No
- b. Died while engaged in a heroic act. \_\_Yes \_\_No

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c. Died under the circumstances of crime, accident, social circumstances or the like that lead to a greater awareness within society of the cause of death and a concerted effort to address the problem. \_\_Yes \_\_ No

15. If you checked 'yes' to any of the above, please state, in detail, the circumstances or the proposed 'Individual Honoree's' death. You may attach newspaper articles or other accounts if you desire:

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16. If the proposed 'Individual Honoree' was a member of a uniformed force who died in the line of-duty, please provide the following:

a. Name of the Force:  
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b. Rank at the time of death:  
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c. Address of the proposed 'Individual Honoree's' last post:\_\_\_\_\_

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d. Name of his/her immediate superior:

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e. Any citations or commendations received by the proposed 'Individual Honoree':

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\_\_\_\_\_

17. Did the proposed 'Individual Honoree' live in the community at the time of death?

\_ Yes \_No

18. If 'Yes,' please provide address:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

19. Did the proposed 'Individual Honoree' have close relatives who lived here at the time of his or her death? \_\_ Yes \_\_ No

20. If 'Yes,' please give the name(s) and address of that relative: \_\_\_\_\_

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21. Did the proposed 'Individual Honoree' maintain significant connections with the community as explained in the guidelines? \_Yes \_No

22. If 'Yes,' please specify.

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23. Did the act leading to the proposed 'Individual Honoree's' death occur in the district \_\_Yes \_\_No

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24. If 'Yes,' please indicate the place of the act leading to the death.

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25. Was the proposed 'Individual Honoree' generally acknowledged in the community as having been the primary driving force behind the establishment or construction of the public area proposed to be named? \_\_Yes \_\_No

26. If 'Yes,' please explain in detail and describe the evidence you intend to present to the Board.

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27. Did the proposed 'Individual Honoree' demonstrate an extraordinary and consistent voluntary commitment and dedication to the community over a prolonged period of time as explained in the guidelines? \_\_Yes \_\_No

28. If 'Yes,' please explain in detail and describe the evidence you intend to present to the Board.

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29. Was the proposed 'Individual Honoree' an elected or appointed official who resided in the community at the time he or she held office, whose tenure was distinguished by extraordinary accomplishment bringing great benefit to the district or whose accomplishments would reasonably be viewed as a great source of pride to our community as explained in the Guideline? \_\_Yes \_\_No

30. If 'Yes,' please explain in detail and describe the evidence you intend to present to the Board.

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31. Did the proposed 'Individual Honoree' have accomplishments in business, philanthropy, the arts, the sciences, education, military, government or otherwise of such extraordinary character as would reasonably be viewed as a great source of pride to our district?  Yes  No

32. If 'Yes' to question 31, please explain in detail and describe the evidence you intend to present to the Board.

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33. Did the proposed 'Individual Honoree', live in the district at the time of death?  Yes  No

34. Did the proposed 'Individual Honoree' grow up in the district?  Yes  No

35. Was the proposed 'Individual Honoree' of world, state or local fame and renown whose professional accomplishments in business, the arts, the sciences, education, military, government or otherwise are such an extraordinary character that even in an absence of a direct connection to this community, it would be appropriate to honor his or her memory?  Yes  No

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36. If 'Yes,' please explain in detail and describe the evidence you intend to present to the Board.

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**Section III:  
Requests for Namings after an Organization  
(Referred to as the 'Proposed Honoree')**

1. Is the 'Proposed Honoree' a not-for profit organization? \_\_Yes \_\_No

2. Has any other public area been named after the 'Proposed Honoree?'  
\_\_Yes \_\_No

3. If 'Yes,' please indicate where:

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4. Has the 'Proposed Honoree' or any of its officers, directors, principal members or principal employees ever been convicted of a crime? \_\_Yes \_\_No

5. If 'Yes,' please give details.

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6. Has the 'Proposed Honoree' or any of its officers, directors, principal members or principle employees ever been accused of actions involving moral turpitude, unethical behavior or similar actions that could reasonably be seen as



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tending to bring disrepute on the community if a public area is named after the  
'Proposed Honoree'?  Yes  No

7. If 'Yes,' please give details.

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8. Does the 'Proposed Honoree' own or have a significant connection to a  
specific lot of real estate in the district from which the Honoree operates?  
 Yes  No

9. If 'Yes,' please give the location of that property.

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10. Has the 'Proposed Honoree' demonstrated a commitment to and  
participation in the civic life of the community in areas other than that area for  
which the organization was founded?  Yes  No

11. If 'Yes,' please explain in detail and describe the evidence you intend to  
present to the Board.

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12. If the 'Proposed Honoree' does not operate from property it owns or to which it has a significant connection, then, is the 'Proposed Honoree' a national, state or local organization with a demonstrable, extraordinary contribution to the civic life and wellbeing of this district?  Yes  No

13. If ' Yes,' please explain in detail and describe the evidence you intend to present to the Board.

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14. If 'Yes' to question 14, is the 'Proposed Honoree' economically viable and does it have an expectation of continued operation for a prolonged period?  
 Yes  No

15. If 'Yes,' please explain in detail and describe the evidence you intend to present to the Board.

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16. Please state the founding date of the 'Proposed Honoree';

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