

Brooklyn Community Board 4  
Public Hearing and Regular Meeting Minutes  
Wednesday, February 15, 2023, 6pm

Hope Gardens Multi-Service Senior Center  
195 Linden Street  
&  
Zoom

Chairperson: Robert Camacho  
District Manager: Celestina León

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Meeting Start: 6:01pm

Celeste called the meeting to order and announced the first public hearing item.

**Public Hearing:**

- 1) **Dr. Lisa Scott-McKenzie, Chief Operating Officer, NYC Health + Hospitals/Woodhull** - providing an informational update on the hospital's operations and services.

Key points included:

**Patient Volume & COVID-19:** The hospital has seen an uptick in patient numbers, particularly for COVID-19, RSV, and flu, though COVID cases are now minimal and stable.

**Masking Policy:** Despite changes in state requirements, Woodhull continues to require masks for everyone on campus.

**Financial Status:** The hospital is currently breaking even financially, with increased spending to prepare for joint commission inspections and facility upgrades.

**Staffing:** Recruitment of nursing staff remains a challenge, but partnerships with CUNY and other organizations are being developed to address this.

**Leadership:** Woodhull has a new Chief Medical Officer, Dr. Ross McDonald, who previously worked with the Department of Corrections.

**Construction & Facility Updates:** Ongoing construction includes upgrades to elevators and sidewalks, and the creation of new spaces for relocated staff and services. The

Department of Corrections will be taking over the 9th and 10th floors for a therapeutic unit for detainees, with separate operations and security.

**Patient Experience:** The hospital has restructured its patient experience approach, including a new staff engagement officer, a robust patient and family advisory council, lobby assistance, patient meal associates, and service recovery teams to address patient concerns in real time.

**Community Engagement:** Dr. McKenzie invited community members to join the patient and family advisory council and participate in upcoming events, such as plant-based meal tastings.

### **Q&A/Discussion**

**Carlotta Williams:** Asked if Woodhull is accepting nurses who are unvaccinated.

**Dr. Lisa Scott McKenzie:** Responded that the citywide vaccine mandate has ended, so unvaccinated nurses can now be hired if they qualify.

**Mr. Camacho:** Asked about the application process for nurses and how to apply.

**Dr. McKenzie:** Advised to contact the Human Resources Division at Woodhull or attend job fairs.

**Mr. Camacho:** Asked about the services on the 9th floor—whether they are for outpatients or inpatients, and how the Department of Corrections program will work.

**Dr. McKenzie:** Clarified that the 9th and 10th floors will be run by the Department of Corrections as a therapeutic unit for detainees, separate from Woodhull's programs.

**Mr. Camacho:** Expressed concern about oversight and accountability for the Department of Corrections program and asked about funding and management.

**Dr. McKenzie:** Explained that Woodhull is the landlord, but the Department of Corrections will run those floors with their own board and funding, separate from Woodhull.

**Stephanie Anderson:** Asked about the current number of COVID-19 patients and if the number is decreasing.

**Dr. McKenzie:** Stated that COVID-19 patient numbers have decreased significantly, now down to about 10 per week, and are very manageable.

**Stephanie Anderson:** Asked if the new COVID booster is necessary and if it is stronger.

**Dr. McKenzie:** Said the booster is tailored to new variants and is encouraged but not required for staff.

**Annette Spellman:** Asked who is responsible for security on the 9th and 10th floors.

**Dr. McKenzie:** Confirmed that the Department of Corrections is responsible for security on those floors.

**Joanna Fuentes-Singh:** Questioned why the program for detainees is being placed in the hospital and if the space could be used for mental health or homelessness services instead.

**Dr. McKenzie:** Explained it was a citywide decision to decant medical units from Rikers Island, and Woodhull had available space. The program will not impact existing mental health services.

**Mr. Camacho:** Asked about the logistics of transporting detainees from Rikers Island to Woodhull and if other facilities are being closed.

**Dr. McKenzie:** Clarified that existing programs are not being closed; this is an additional program.

**Barbara Smith:** Asked about logistics for detainees accessing the 9th and 10th floors, including elevator use and security for bathroom breaks.

**Dr. McKenzie:** Explained there will be a dedicated elevator and secured route, and detainees will be escorted at all times.

**Mr. Camacho:** Suggested inviting the Department of Corrections to present to the board and answer questions.

**Dr. McKenzie:** Supported the idea and clarified that Woodhull was always designed as a hospital, not a prison.

**Danielle Chambers:** Thanked Dr. McKenzie for the presentation and supported the idea of having the Department of Corrections present to the board.

**Tashawna Wade:** Asked how many other hospitals are participating in similar programs and if this is a pilot or permanent.

**Dr. McKenzie:** Responded that three or four Health and Hospitals facilities are involved, and the program is permanent.

**Stephanie Anderson:** Asked if large prisons have their own hospitals or if this has always been done in outside hospitals.

**Dr. McKenzie:** Said Rikers has its own medical program but deferred to the Department of Corrections for details.

### **Regular Meeting:**

#### **1) First Roll Call**

**Board members in attendance:** Isa Abney, Stephanie Anderson, Jo-Ena Bennett, Joshua Brown, Robert Camacho, Felix Ceballos, Elvena Davis, Freddy Fowler, Joanna Fuentes-Singh, Christopher Graham, Anne Guiney, Virgie Jones, Luisa Jose-Olea, Nicolas Kaplan, Cassandra Leveille, Imini Mitchell, Zulma Novoa, Raul Rubio, Eliseo Ruiz, Milagros

Sandoval, Barbara Smith, Maria Soler, Annette Spellin, James Steward II, Ben Tocker, Jerry Valentin, Carlotta Williams

Andrew Choi was present via Zoom, although had sound issues and did not respond to the roll call.

**Excused:** Vernedeaner Shell

**Absent:** Grace Aytes, Rawle Brown, Melissa Carrera-Solano, James Fitzgerald, Hadiyah Harrison, Tanesha Honeygan, Barbara Jackson, Kweighbaye Kotee, Mary McClellan, Desmonde Monroe, Kyle O'Rourke, Acire Polight, Dustin Sonneborn, Tashawna Wade

27 board members present constitute a quorum.

2) **Acceptance of the Agenda**

Raul Rubio made a motion to accept the agenda. It was seconded by Elvena Davis. All were in favor, so moved.

3) **Acceptance of the Previous Meeting Minutes**

Robert Camacho made a motion to accept the previous meeting minutes. It was seconded by Raul Rubio. All were in favor, so moved.

4) **Chairperson's Report**

**Community Meetings & Events:**

- Mr. Camacho recapped his attendance at numerous meetings and events, including El Puente's funding program, Hope Gardens, CEC meetings, town halls, precinct council meetings, and tenant meetings.
- He highlighted efforts to secure funding for local programs and support for long-standing community organizations.

**Housing & Tenant Issues:** He discussed ongoing concerns about rent increases, funding for GED programs, and the need for support for tenants and local organizations like RiseBoro.

**Community Safety & Cleanliness:** Mr. Camacho reported on meetings with the NYPD and other city agencies, addressing issues such as daycare funding, park maintenance, rat infestations, and the need for more city services and accountability.

**Support for Youth & Seniors:** He described efforts to provide meals for seniors, support for youth programs (including swimming and lifeguard training), and the importance of keeping community pools open.

**Bylaws & Board Business:**

- The Chairperson discussed proposed amendments to the board's bylaws, the process for committee and board review, and the timeline for potential votes.
- He encouraged board members to participate in the process and submit feedback.

**Board Member Applications:** Mr. Camacho reminded members to submit their re-application forms by the deadline and acknowledged several members who would not be reapplying, thanking them for their service.

**Community Concerns:** He addressed issues such as lithium battery fires, youth violence, and the need for more after-school and church programs to support young people and families.

**Call for Involvement:** Mr. Camacho emphasized the need for all board members and community members to get involved, support each other, and work together to address the community's needs.

**Acknowledgments:** He expressed appreciation for board members, community leaders, and city officials for their ongoing work and support.

### **Q&A/Discussion**

**Cassandra Leveille:** Asked if board members who were inducted last year need to reapply, since terms are two years.

**Celeste:** Responded that it depends on whether the member was a midterm appointment. Those who need to reapply should have received multiple emails from the board's office. Celeste offered to double-check the list for Cassandra.

**Tashawna Wade:** Commented on the importance of churches providing after-school and youth outreach programs, expressing concern that such programs are lacking.

**Mr. Camacho:** Agreed and said he would speak to the chair of the clergy council about encouraging more youth programs, possibly in a non-religious format to accommodate school restrictions.

**Pastor James Steward** (South Bushwick Church, 855 Bushwick Avenue): Responded to Tashawna's comment, explaining that many churches would like to offer after-school programs but face regulatory and building issues. He emphasized the need for bi-directional relationships between clergy and the community.

**Mr. Camacho:** Thanked Pastor Steward and acknowledged the importance of churches and community support.

**Danielle Chambers:** Shared her experience running after-school and recreational programs in churches, highlighting the importance of such programs and the need for political and financial support. She called for a coalition of pastors and more support for youth.

**Mr. Camacho:** Responded that while RFPs (requests for proposals) are available, many community members need help filling them out to access funding. He called for more guidance and support in the application process.

**Elvena Davis:** Commented that many churches have closed due to high rents after COVID, making it difficult to provide community services. She suggested churches share spaces to continue offering support.

**Mr. Camacho:** Acknowledged the issue and the need for creative solutions to keep churches open and serving the community.

**Joanna Fuentes-Singh:** Spoke about the importance of churches in providing services for youth, people with disabilities, and the homeless, and the crisis caused by church closures.

**Mr. Camacho:** Agreed and emphasized the need for unity and resource-sharing among churches.

Additional comments from other speakers (including Annette Spellman and Barbara Smith) echoed concerns about church closures, the need for mental health support, and the importance of community and faith-based programs.

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### **Council Member Sandy Nurse's Remarks**

**Black History Month:** Council Member Nurse welcomed everyone to Black History Month and highlighted collaborations with local libraries to showcase Black and Afro-Latino history, arts, and culture, including displays of books (some of which have been banned in other states).

**Office Relocation:** She announced that her office is moving from Broadway Junction to 56 Pennsylvania Avenue, making it more accessible to the community. The move will be effective as of February 28.

**Transportation & Infrastructure:** She provided an update on ongoing advocacy with the Department of Transportation (DOT), noting that a proposal for Broadway improvements is expected in the spring, with hopes for quicker action on signage and safety measures.

**Broadway Junction Town Hall:** Council Member Nurse promoted an upcoming town hall on Broadway Junction, hosted by the Coalition for Community Advancement, to discuss the significant investments and changes coming to the area. The event is scheduled for March 11 at 127 Pennsylvania Avenue.

**Brooklyn Bus Network Redesign:** She encouraged community members to review and provide feedback on the draft Brooklyn bus network redesign plan, emphasizing the importance of public input.

**Participatory Budgeting:** Nurse thanked those who submitted project ideas and participated in assemblies. She announced that six projects made the cut for participatory budgeting, with voting week scheduled for March 25–April 2. Volunteers are needed to help with voting and outreach.

**E-Bike Battery Safety:** She addressed concerns about e-bike battery fires, noting that the City Council is working on a package of bills to improve battery disposal and safety.

**Youth Programming & Funding:** Nurse responded to earlier concerns about youth programming, stating that there is significant funding for youth programs in the district. She encouraged community members to reach out to her office for information about available programs and support with applications.

**Budget Advocacy:** She highlighted the importance of community advocacy during budget season, especially in light of proposed cuts to libraries, CUNY, and social services. She urged residents to participate in budget hearings and make their voices heard.

**Support for Community:** Council Member Nurse concluded by acknowledging the hard work of Community Board 4 and the positive developments in the district, encouraging everyone to stay engaged and channel their passion into advocacy at City Hall.

### **Q&A/Discussion**

**Ben Tocker:** Asked for an update about commercial waste zoning and what to expect this year.

**Council Member Sandy Nurse:** Responded that the rollout will happen much later in the year, in phases, and that there is a hearing next week. She encouraged participation and said more details about which boroughs will start first are forthcoming.

**Cassandra Leveille:** Asked when the budget meetings will be held and if information about logistics, dates, and registration can be sent to the board and via the council member's newsletter.

**Council Member Nurse:** Explained that the best way to keep track of budget hearings is to visit the City Council website ([council.nyc.gov](http://council.nyc.gov)), which has a calendar of all upcoming hearings by committee, including registration and livestream links. She noted that preliminary budget hearings are in March and executive budget hearings are in May, and her office can send out some information as well.

**Cassandra Leveille:** Followed up, expressing concern about proposed cuts to library services and the impact on programming and resources, and said she would keep this on her radar and encourage other board members to do the same.

**Council Member Nurse:** Agreed, emphasizing the seriousness of the proposed cuts to libraries, CUNY, and social services, and encouraged everyone to pay attention and make their voices heard during the budget process.

**Millie Sandoval:** Thanked the Council Member for her support and presence at 1320 Gates Avenue when the tenants organized after not having water.

### **83rd Precinct Commanding Officer's Report:**

There was no formal 83rd Precinct Commanding Officer's Report at this meeting, as the Commanding Officer was not available to attend. Instead, the following updates were provided:

- Mr. Camacho (Chairperson) and the District Manager informed the board that Captain Sean Claxton is no longer with the 83rd Precinct.
  - He is going to the 81 Precinct. Hopefully to an Inspector position there.
- The new Executive Officer (XO) is Captain Joseph Warnersbach from the 90<sup>th</sup> Precinct, who was unable to attend this meeting but is expected to be present at the next meeting in March.

- The leadership changes are part of a broader transition, possibly related to a new Inspector for the precinct.
- The board expressed appreciation for Captain Claxton's service and discussed the importance of having leadership that works collaboratively with the community.

## 5) **District Manager's Report**

**Health & Awareness:** February is Black History Month, American Heart Month, and Valentine's Day. The District Manager highlighted the "Live to Beat" campaign, which encourages heart health among Black adults.

**Office Operations:** The district office is short-staffed, and Celeste thanked staff and board members for their support, especially with meeting reports and event organization.

**Street Co-Naming Requests:** The board has received several street co-naming requests, including for Knickerbocker Avenue (to honor Puerto Rican culture) and Elder Street (for Mildred Phillips). The process requires petitions from 65% of block residents and businesses.

**Participatory Budgeting:** The board is involved in the citywide participatory budgeting process, narrowing down over 30 project proposals to five, with only one to be selected for funding. Youth participation was highlighted.

**Transportation:** Board members attended the Brooklyn Bus Network Redesign meeting and were encouraged to provide feedback, especially those who rely on buses.

**Community Projects:** Updates were provided on sanitation and economic development projects, including the work of two fellows from the Fund for the City of New York.

**Historic Preservation:** The proposed Linden Street Historic District is moving forward, with a public hearing scheduled for February 28. Brooklyn Community Board 4 was selected for the "Six to Celebrate" program due to its architectural and cultural relevance.

**Committee Membership:** New non-board committee members have been appointed, giving community members a chance to participate and potentially join the board in the future.

**Cannabis Regulations:** The board finalized feedback on draft regulations from the Office of Cannabis Management, collaborating with other community boards citywide.

**Land Use:** An upcoming workshop on the Uniform Land Use Review Procedure (ULURP) was announced, and a new land use item for 1160 Flushing Avenue will be discussed at the next committee meeting.

**Borough Service Cabinet:** The District Manager attended a meeting where issues such as prostitution, sex work, and city shelters were discussed with NYPD and the Department of Social Services.

**Congratulations & Advocacy:** The board was congratulated for being selected for the “Six to Celebrate” program, recognizing decades of advocacy for historic preservation in Bushwick.

### **Q&A/Discussion**

**Stephanie Anderson:** Asked when the hearing for the Linden Street Historic District would take place, and whether the District Manager would send out an email with the details.

**Celeste:** Responded that the hearing is on February 28. She offered to provide more information to anyone interested and suggested checking the Landmarks Preservation Commission’s website for the calendar and details.

**Stephanie Anderson:** Asked for the specific time of the Linden Street hearing.

**Celeste:** Reiterated that anyone wanting more information should contact the board’s office or check the commission’s website for the exact time.

### **6) Committee Reports\***

\*Email and/or hard copies are available upon request

### **Arts/Culture/Technology – Dustin Sonneborn**

**Main Topic:** The committee focused on the proposed installation of new LinkNYC 5G kiosks in Bushwick. These kiosks provide public Wi-Fi, phone charging, free nationwide calling, and access to 311/911, but the new versions are much larger and include 5G antennas.

**Community Concerns:** The committee discussed concerns about the placement of these kiosks, especially the new, larger 5G towers. Issues raised included the impact on residential areas, the number of kiosks (the city’s mandate is for 44 in Bushwick), and potential health effects from radio frequencies.

**Committee Discussion:** The committee considered whether to oppose the installations outright but recognized that the city has a mandate to expand the network. They decided to focus on influencing the placement and ensuring community input.

**Recommendations:**

- A temporary moratorium on installing new LinkNYC 5G kiosks and antennas until live radio frequency (RF) safety tests are completed and results are shared with the community.
- No advertising on kiosks in residential areas.
- Limit the total number of kiosks to the 44 proposed for the district.
- Request new locations for some of the proposed sites (Hart Street, Knickerbocker Avenue, Broadway, and Noll Street).

**Public Access:** The committee clarified that while the kiosks are intended to provide free Wi-Fi, the signal may not reliably reach inside homes, so it is not a replacement for in-home internet service.

**Community Input:** The committee encouraged residents to stay informed and involved in the process, as future installations will require community board review and feedback.

### **Economic Development + Permits and Licenses – Desmond Monroe and Melissa Carrera-Solano**

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**Economic Development Policy:** The committee received an update from a graduate student (Chase) working on an economic development policy for Bushwick. The policy examines the history and current state of the neighborhood's retail corridors and will include recommendations. A draft is expected by the end of February.

**Liquor License Applications:** The committee reviewed several liquor license applications for local establishments. For each, the committee discussed the type of business, proposed hours of operation, and any stipulations regarding outdoor space, music, and delivery services. The establishments reviewed included:

- TCO, 151 Wilson Avenue (restaurant): Proposed hours 12pm–12am daily, outdoor space closed by 10pm, no amplified music outdoors.
- Gabbymex Group LLC dba Nacho Macho Taco, 591 Knickerbocker Avenue (restaurant): Closed Monday/Tuesday, open Wednesday–Sunday with varying hours, outdoor space open 11am–10pm, no major issues.
- 436 Jefferson Street YUPJIB LLC dba NOWON (Vietnamese cuisine): Proposed hours 11am–2am (Mon–Thu), 11am–4am (Fri–Sat), 11am–12am (Sun), outdoor space 11am–10pm, amended application to include recorded music, karaoke, DJ, and private events.
- Bushwick Bagel House, 299 Wyckoff Avenue: Proposed hours 8am–12am (Mon–Thu), 8am–4am (Fri–Sat), 10am–12am (Sun), will participate in drinks-to-go delivery services.

**Committee Recommendations:** The committee recommended approval for all applications with standard stipulations (e.g., outdoor hours, music restrictions). For one establishment (591 Knickerbocker), the applicant was not present, but the committee still recommended approval with the usual conditions due to the 30-day review deadline.

No major controversies or objections were raised regarding any of the applications.

### Housing and Land Use – Anne Guiney

**Carbon Neutrality Zoning Text Amendment:** The main focus of the recent committee meeting was a presentation by Kerensa Wood from City Planning about a proposed zoning text amendment to support carbon neutrality. The amendment aims to align the city's zoning code with climate and sustainability goals, making it easier for building owners to add solar panels, insulation, and electric vehicle chargers by removing zoning barriers.

**Technical Adjustments:** The presentation addressed technical issues such as setbacks, street pits, and other zoning obstacles that currently make it difficult for property owners to implement energy efficiency upgrades.

**Historic Preservation:** The committee discussed the progress of the proposed Linden Street Historic District, which is moving forward with a public hearing scheduled for February 28. The district includes a group of historic row houses and represents a significant preservation effort in Bushwick.

**Upcoming Workshop:** The committee encouraged board members and the public to attend an upcoming workshop on the Uniform Land Use Review Procedure (ULURP), organized by the Center for Urban Pedagogy. The workshop aims to demystify the land use and zoning process for community members.

**Committee Notes:** The report acknowledged the contributions of committee members and staff in preparing meeting notes and supporting the committee's work.

## 7) Recommendations

### **Economic Development and Permits/Licenses**

The board considered a **blanket vote for four liquor license applications, as recommended by the committee.**

Motion: Ben Tocker

Second: Isa Abney

All in favor, so moved.

**Motion to approve the committee's recommendation (approval with stipulations)**

Motion: Desmond Monroe

Second: Felix Ceballos

Abstentions: Raul Rubio, Elvena Davis, Barbara Smith

Motion carried.

**Arts/Culture/Technology Committee Recommendation**

**The committee recommended a temporary moratorium on new LinkNYC 5G kiosks with no advertising and antenna installations until safety tests are completed and results are provided, relocation of the Hart Street, Knickerbocker Avenue, Broadway, and Noll Street locations, and a limit of 44 kiosks in the district.**

Motion: Annette Spellen

Second: Zulma Novoa

Abstentions: Isa Abney, Anne Guiney

Motion carried.

**8) Old Business**

None

**9) New Business**

**Joshua Brown:** Asked if there were any updates regarding churches and development with the city, and how Community Board 4 could help support them.

**Celeste:** Responded that no churches had responded to outreach efforts. She explained that many churches are still figuring out their next steps post-pandemic, and that while information about mission-based development was shared, many churches do not own their properties or are hesitant to work with unfamiliar organizations. She emphasized the complexity of the situation and noted that there are existing forums for support, such as the 83rd Precinct Clergy Council and the Civic Public Safety Religious Committee.

Annette Spellen: Added that many churches are struggling with property loss due to inability to pay rent. She mentioned that at a recent meeting, churches discussed the possibility of sharing properties to continue providing services and stressed the need for greater community support for local clergy.

**10) Announcements**

**Teresa Cunningham (Department of Sanitation)**

Announced new trash and recycling set-out rules effective April 1 for residents and businesses, including timing, container requirements, and enforcement details.

**Jonathan Betancourt (Congresswoman Nydia Velázquez's Office)**

Shared highlights from the federal omnibus bill (increased funding for SNAP, education, and housing).

- Noted the expiration of emergency SNAP benefits in March and the need to reapply.
- Announced the Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP) deadline (March 31).
- Promoted an immigration "Know Your Rights" event at IS 93 in Ridgewood.

**Lacey Tauber (Borough President Reynoso's Office)**

Announced a community resource event with HRA at Brooklyn Public Library (Feb 21).

- Announced a Black History Month celebration at Borough Hall (Feb 23).
- Shared deadlines for cultural grants (Feb 24) and capital funding applications (Feb 23).
- Reminded board members about the community board application deadline (Feb 23).

**Jonathan Pomboza (District Attorney Eric Gonzalez's Office)**

Announced the sentencing of a hate crime case in Bushwick and the DA's commitment to prosecuting hate crimes.

**Annette Spellman (Board Member)**

Asked if the new sanitation rules affect alternate side parking (they do not).

**Joanna Fuentes-Singh (Board Member)**

Announced a Veterans Resource Fair sponsored by Congressman Hakeem Jeffries and Black Veterans for Social Justice (Feb 24, 665 Willoughby Ave).

**Eliseo (Board Member)**

Asked for clarification about how sanitation workers will handle trash containers under the new rules.

**Sue Peters (New Yorkers for Wire Tech)**

- Offered to provide expert presentations on the health effects of 5G towers.
- Shared information about a recent Queens community board meeting on 5G.

**Jewel (Black Spectrum Theater)**

Announced upcoming shows at Black Spectrum Theater in Queens, discounted tickets, and opportunities for community engagement.

**Chris (Bushwick Food Co-op)**

- Announced the next season of the grocery share program at Mayday Space (March 6–May 8), with tiered pricing.
- Announced a workshop on the solidarity economy (Feb 22 at Mayday Space).

**Barbara Smith (Board Member)**

Announced the next 83rd Precinct Community Council meeting (in person at the precinct, next Tuesday at 6:30 pm).

**11) Second Roll Call**

**Board Members in attendance:** Carlotta Williams, Tashawna Wade, Jerry Valentin, Ben Tocker, James Steward II, Annette Spellin, Dustin Sonneborn, Maria Soler, Barbara Smith, Milagros Sandoval, Eliseo Ruiz, Raul Rubio, Acire Polight, Zulma Novoa, Cassandra Leveille, Nicolas Kaplan, Luisa Jose, Virgie Jones, Anne Guiney, Christopher Graham, Joanna Fuentes-Singh, Elvena Davis, Felix Ceballos, Robert Camacho, Joshua Brown, Jo-Ena Bennett, Stephanie Anderson, Isa Abney

**Excused:** Vernedeaner Shell

**Absent:** Kyle O'Rourke, Desmonde Monroe, Imini Mitchell, Mary McClellan, Kweighbaye Kotee, Barbara Jackson, Tanesha Honeygan, Hadiyah Harrison, Freddy, Fowler, James Fitzgerald, Melissa Carrera-Solano, Rawle Brown, Grace Aytes

Andrew Choi was present via Zoom, although had sound issues and did not respond to the roll call.

**12) Adjournment**

Raul Rubio made a motion to adjourn. Isa Abney seconded the motion. All in favor, so moved.

Meeting Adjourned: 7:56pm