

Design Commission Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, January 20, 2026

Meeting Location: Public Design Commission meetings are being held in-person at the Public Design Commission Board Room on the 3rd floor of City Hall. Members of the public can attend and give testimony either in-person or remotely.

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The meeting will be livestreamed on the Public Design Commission's YouTube channel at <http://www.youtube.com/nycdesigncommission>.

Public Meeting

10:30 a.m. Consent Items

- 30261: Construction of a housing facility as part of the construction of an annex building, Horizon Juvenile Center, 560 Brooke Avenue, Bronx. (Final) (CC 17, CB 1) DDC/ACS
- 30262: Renovation of the Bergen Building, 1932 Arthur Avenue, Bronx. (Preliminary) (CC 17, CB 6) DDC/DCAS
- 30263: Installation of a rooftop mechanical enclosure and equipment, Brooklyn Children's Museum, 145 Brooklyn Avenue, Brooklyn. (Preliminary and Final) (CC 36, CB 8) DDC/DCLA
- 30264: Rehabilitation of a maintenance and garage facility, including reconstruction of the roof, Harper Street Yard, 32-11 Harper Street, Corona, Queens. (Final) (CC 21, CB 7) DDC/DOT
- 30265: Construction of an electrical distribution building and adjacent site work, New Clove Pumping Station, 1270 Victory Boulevard, Staten Island. (Preliminary) (CC 49, CB 1) DEP

- 30266: Construction of a high level outlet system and adjacent site work, Gilboa Dam, Schoharie Reservoir, adjacent to Route 990V, Schoharie County. (Final) DEP
- 30267: Construction of a public restroom building, Peña Herrera Playground, adjacent to P.S. 001, Third Avenue between 46th Street and 47th Street, Brooklyn. (Preliminary) (CC 38, CB 7) DPR
- 30268: Installation of wayfinding and interpretive signage, the Upper Vale and the Lower Vale, Prospect Park, Flatbush Avenue between Grand Army Plaza and the Prospect Park Zoo, Brooklyn. (Preliminary) (CC 35, 39 & 40, CB 6, 7, 8, 9 & 14) DPR
- 30269: Reconstruction of Twenty-Four Sycamores Park, East 61st Street, FDR Drive, East 60th Street, and York Avenue, Manhattan. (Preliminary) (CC 5, CB 8) DPR
- 30270: Construction of a restaurant, parking lot, and adjacent site work, 2 Soundview Avenue, Clason Point Park, Bronx River Avenue, East River, Bronx. (Final) (CC 18, CB 9) DPR
- 30271: Construction of façade and entrance improvements, Arthur Ashe Stadium, United States Tennis Association's Billie Jean King National Tennis Center, Flushing Meadows Corona Park, Flushing, Queens. (Final) (CC 21 & 24, CB 3, 4, 6, 7 & 8) DPR
- 30272: Reconstruction of baseball field 1, Clove Lakes Park, Park Drive and Clove Road, Staten Island. (Final) (CC 39, CB 1) DPR
- 30273: Reconstruction of Colden Playground, adjacent to P.S. 214, Union Street between 31st Drive and 31st Road, Flushing, Queens. (Final) (CC 20, CB 7) DPR
- 30274: Reconstruction of St. Michael's Playground, adjacent to the Brooklyn-Queens Expressway between 30th Avenue and 31st Avenue, Astoria, Queens. (Final) (CC 22, CB 1) DPR
- 30275: Reconstruction of the shoreline, Powell's Cove Park, between Powell's Cove Boulevard near 129th Street and 130th Street near 9th Avenue, Whitestone, Queens. (Final) (CC 19, CB 7) DPR
- 30276: Reconstruction of Youth Village Playground, Home Street, Boston Road and Jackson Avenue, Bronx. (Final) (CC 17, CB 3) DPR

- 30277: Reconstruction of Peña Herrera Playground, adjacent to P.S. 001, Third Avenue between 46th Street and 47th Street, Brooklyn. (Amended Final) (CC 38, CB 7) DPR
- 30278: Reconstruction of a retaining wall, Crotona Park, Southern Boulevard between Crotona Park East and East 175th Street, Bronx. (Preliminary and Final) (CC 15, CB 3) DPR
- 30279: Restoration of the Bethesda Fountain including conservation of *Angel of the Waters* (1873) by Emma Stebbins, Central Park, 72nd Street Drive, Manhattan. (Preliminary) (CC 6, CB 5, 7, 8, 10 & 11) DPR/CPC
- 30280: Installation of mechanical equipment and adjacent sitework, as part of the restoration of the Bethesda Fountain, Central Park, Manhattan. (Preliminary and Final) (CC 6, CB 5, 7, 8, 10 & 11) DPR/CPC
- 30281: Construction of a portion of a plaza, as part of Phase IIA of Willets Point, Roosevelt Avenue, 38th Avenue, and Willets Point Boulevard, Corona, Queens. (Final) (CC 21, CB 7) EDC
- 30282: Installation of wayfinding signage as part of the construction of a residential building, streetscape, and plazas, 126th Street and Roosevelt Avenue, Willets Point, Corona, Queens. (Preliminary and Final) (CC 21, CB 7) EDC
- 30283: Construction of an interim prefabricated training facility, including adjacent sitework, 8 Reilly Boulevard, Randalls Island, Manhattan. (Preliminary and Final) (CC 8, CB 11) FDNY
- 30284: Conservation and short-term loan of *Alice and Friends at the Central Park Zoo* (1938) by Abram Champanier, Lincoln Hospital, 234 East 149th Street, Bronx, to Museum of the City of New York, 1220 Fifth Avenue, Manhattan. (Preliminary) (CC 8, CB 11) HHC
- 30285: Short-term loan of the Alice and Friends mural series, including *Alice Steps Out of a Book*, *Alice and Friends in the Subway*, *Alice and Friends at the NY Public Library*, *Alice and Friends at Coney Island*, *Alice and Friends on the Statue of Liberty*, *The Empire State Building*, *Alice Flies Over the East River Bridges*, *Normandie Ocean Liner*, *Bon Voyage*, *Seagull Skyline*, *Small Harbor Scene 1*, *Small Harbor Scene 2*, and *Alice and Friends Return to Their Books* (1938) by Abram Champanier to the Museum of the City of New York, 1220 Fifth Avenue, Manhattan. (Preliminary) (CC 8, CB 11) HHC

Renewed Motion to Vote

10:35 a.m.

30286: Construction of a skybridge over 33rd Street Plaza, connecting 1 Pennsylvania Plaza and 2 Pennsylvania Plaza, West 33rd Street and Seventh Avenue, Manhattan. (Preliminary) (CC 3, CB 5) DOT

<https://www.nyc.gov/assets/designcommission/downloads/pdf/pres/1-20-26-DOT-p-PennSkybridge.pdf>

Public Hearing

10:50 a.m.

30287: Construction of a commercial office and hotel building and public plazas (Project Commodore), 175 Park Avenue, Lexington Avenue and East 42nd Street, Manhattan. (Preliminary) (CC 4, CB 5) EDC

<https://www.nyc.gov/assets/designcommission/downloads/pdf/pres/1-20-26-EDC-p-175ParkAve.pdf>

Committee Meeting

11:30 a.m. Reconstruction of Damrosch Park, including streetscape improvements, Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts, West 62nd Street between Columbus Avenue and Amsterdam Avenue, Manhattan. (Amended Preliminary) (CC 6, CB 7) DPR/DOT

<https://www.nyc.gov/assets/designcommission/downloads/pdf/pres/1-20-26-DPR-DOT-ap-DamroschPark.pdf>

12:10 p.m. BREAK

12:25 p.m. Design of a master plan for the construction of Metropolitan Park (Queens Future), including the construction of a gaming facility, resort, retail, and events complex, parking structures, the reconstruction of Shea Road, and adjacent site work, Roosevelt Avenue, between Grand Central Parkway and Seaver Way, and between the MTA New York City Transit Corona Maintenance Yard and the Whitestone Expressway, adjacent to Citi Field, Corona, Queens. (Amended Preliminary) (CC 21, CB 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 & 9) EDC/DPR

<https://www.nyc.gov/assets/designcommission/downloads/pdf/pres/1-20-26-EDC-DPR-ap-QueensFuture.pdf>

1:05 p.m. Design of prototypical package lockers (LockerNYC) as a pilot for installation citywide. (Conceptual) DOT

<https://www.nyc.gov/assets/designcommission/downloads/pdf/pres/1-20-26-DOT-c-LockerNYCpilot.pdf>

1:45 p.m. Reconstruction of the Manhattan Detention Complex, 125 White Street, Manhattan. (Conceptual) (CC 1, CB 1) DDC/DOC/DOT

<https://www.nyc.gov/assets/designcommission/downloads/pdf/pres/1-20-26-DDC-DOC-c-Manhattan-Detention-Facility.pdf>

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<https://www.nyc.gov/site/designcommission/design-review/testimony/public-testimony.page>

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