



MANHATTAN COMMUNITY  
BOARD 1

CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT  
July 30, 2019

# ● Chair Report – *What's Happening*

- Vice Chair Election tonight
- WTC Site 5
  - Request for Proposals (RFP) released
  - Meeting with Lower Manhattan Development Corporation (LMDC) Chair and Executive Committee
  - Work on community needs
- District Budget Consultations have begun
- 9/11 Victim Compensation Fund (VCF) Legislation Passes
- [Seaport Interim Flood Protection Mural Competition](#)
- July 4<sup>th</sup> Pier 17 Access
  - Meeting with Howard Hughes Corporation on 7/16
  - Further investigation and follow up

# ● Chair Report – *Priorities*

- **Ticket hawkers Task Force by Manhattan Borough President's Office (MBPO)**
- **Event Space Task Force by CB1**
  - **Examples = Convene, American Stock Exchange, Spring, 120 Broadway**
  - **Expansion of Liquor License venues such as rooftops**
- **Get out the Count**
  - **Census Task Force**
  - **CB1 Chair participation**
- **CB1 Modernization**
  - **Step 1 - Committee refocus from geographic to subject-based**
  - **Step 2 – Supporting tools and workflow**
    - **Licensing is prime testbed**
  - **Step 3 - Consultants contract**
- **ENJOY THE SUMMER AND NATIONAL NIGHT OUT 8/7 AT PIER 16**

# ● Chair Report – *Priorities*

- **FY2019 budget used at effectively**
  - **Small salary variation due to staff resignation**
  
- **FY2020**
  - **Another one-time grant from City Council of \$42,500**
  - **Awaiting guidelines due to outer-borough CB irregularities**
  - **Can be used for consultants but not city employee payroll**
  - **Suggestions welcome**
  - **See me or Joel Kopel if you have questions about our budget and what to review it**

# Chair Report – *Seaport IFPM Barriers/Community Mural Project*




**Gale Brewer**  
MANHATTAN BOROUGH PRESIDENT

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## Open Call: Seaport Community Mural Project 2019

ON JUNE 12, 2019



My office and the New York City Emergency Management (NYCEM) are announcing an open call for mural designs to be applied to structures that are part of the Interim Flood Protection

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- Chair Report – *Leader of the WTC PAC*

THE PERELMAN  
PERFORMING ARTS AT THE WORLD TRADE  
CENTER

**Leslie Koch Named President of the  
Ronald O. Perelman Performing Arts Center**

*Koch succeeds Maggie Boepple, inaugural leader of cultural center at World Trade Center site*

(New York, NY—July 11, 2019)—The Board of Directors of the Performing Arts Center today announced the appointment of Leslie Koch. Koch succeeds Maggie Boepple, the Perelman’s current President since 2012 and will continue to serve as an advisor.

Koch, best known for her tenure as President and CEO of the Governors Island Foundation from 2006 to 2016, is nationally recognized for work spanning the public and private sectors. Under her leadership, Governors Island was transformed from a military base to a vibrant public space, with an extraordinary new park, year-round tenants and an innovative array of arts and cultural programming. Annual visitation grew from 8,000 per season to more than 600,000, drawing residents, boroughs and visitors from around the world.



- Chair Report – *Hawkers, Real or Scam?*



- Chair Report – *National Night Out 08/06*



SEAPORT  
DISTRICT NYC

*Howard Hughes.*

When: 6:00-8:00 p.m August 6th, 2019

Where: Pier 17 Square

Co-sponsored by Howard Hughes & Manhattan Community Board 1