

In Re FCRC April 2023 Public Meeting NYC - Mayor`s Office of
Contract Services (MOCS)
April 12, 2022

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2 REMOTE PUBLIC MEETING

3 FRANCHISE AND CONCESSION REVIEW COMMITTEE

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5 Held Remotely
6 Via Microsoft Teams
7 Conference Call

8 April 12, 2023
9 2:30 p.m.

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11 PUBLIC MEETING in the
12 above-referenced matter, held via videoconference at
13 the above time, before Sabrina Brown Stewart, a
14 Notary Public of the State of New York.

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1 A P P E A R A N C E S:

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3 Chair/Mayor:
4 ALLISON STODDART

5 Clerk:
6 KIMBERLY EGBERT

7 Office of Management and Budget:
8 YVONNE QUINTIAN

9 Office of the Mayor:
10 MALCOLM CAIN

11 Corporation Counsel:
12 KENISHA SUTTON

13 Comptroller:
14 JOHN KATSORHIS

15 Borough President of the Bronx:
16 JANET PEGUERO

17 Borough President of Brooklyn:
18 JOHN DOUGLAS

19 Borough President of Manhattan:
20 TOMI VEST

21 Borough President of Queens:
22 ALLAN SWISHER

23 Borough President of Staten Island:
24 LAUREN LEFKOWITZ

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1 MS. EGBERT: Hello. This is Kim
2 Egbert, Clerk for the FCRC. Before we get
3 started with today's proceedings, I'd like to
4 confirm that everyone can hear me clearly.

5 MS. STODDART: Yes.

6 MS. EGBERT: Thank you.

7 MR. KATSORHIS: Yes.

8 MS. EGBERT: Today's meeting is being
9 held via Microsoft Teams conference call, and
10 we ask that all attendees announce their name
11 for the record each time they speak on the
12 call, for ease of transcription. If you are
13 not speaking, we ask that you mute your
14 microphone, to avoid background noises during
15 the call. Only one person should be speaking
16 at any given time. I will direct, should
17 there be any conflict.

18 Chair, we are ready to begin.

19 MS. STODDART: Good afternoon, and
20 thank you all for being here. My name is
21 Allison Stoddart, Chair for the FCRC. The
22 Franchise and Concession Review Committee
23 Remote Public Meeting will now come to order.

24 Will the Clerk please call the roll.

25 MS. EGBERT: Mayor?

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1 MS. STODDART: Allison Stoddart,
2 present.

3 MS. EGBERT: Office of the Mayor?

4 MR. CAIN: Malcolm Cain, present.

5 MS. EGBERT: Comptroller?

6 MR. KATSORHIS: John Katsorhis,
7 present.

8 MS. EGBERT: Corporation Counsel?

9 MS. SUTTON: Kenisha Sutton, present.

10 MS. EGBERT: Office of Management and
11 Budget?

12 MS. QUINTIAN: Yvonne Quintian,
13 present.

14 MS. EGBERT: President, Borough of the
15 Bronx?

16 MS. PEGUERO: Janet Peguero, present.

17 MS. EGBERT: President, Borough of
18 Brooklyn?

19 MR. DOUGLAS: John Douglas, present.

20 MS. EGBERT: President, Borough of
21 Manhattan?

22 MS. VEST: Tomi Vest, present.

23 MS. EGBERT: President, Borough of
24 Queens?

25 MR. SWISHER: Allan Swisher, present.

1 MS. EGBERT: President, Borough of
2 Staten Island?

3 MS. LEFKOWITZ: Lauren Lefkowitz,
4 present.

5 MS. STODDART: Will the Clerk please
6 call the first calendar item.

7 MS. EGBERT: New York City Department
8 of Small Business Services, Calendar Item
9 Number 1: In the matter of the intent to
10 seek Franchise and Concession Review
11 Committee approval, pursuant to Section 1-16
12 of the Concession Rules of the City of New
13 York, to allow NYC & Company Incorporated, on
14 behalf of the NYC Department of Small
15 Business Services, to utilize a different
16 procedure to enter into a license agreement
17 with Fire Replicas, LLC, for a nonsignificant
18 concession for the nonexclusive use of
19 city-owned Trademarks on Merchandise.

20 The license will provide for an initial
21 term of two years and nine months, which may
22 be renewed for one additional two-year term,
23 exercisable at the discretion of NYC & Co.
24 and SBS.

25 MS. STODDART: Is there a member who

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1 wishes to make a statement or ask a question
2 on this matter?

3 (No response).

4 MS. STODDART: If not, will a member
5 please make a motion to move this item.

6 MS. SUTTON: Kenisha Sutton, I move
7 this item.

8 MS. STODDART: Will another member
9 please second the motion.

10 MR. CAIN: Malcolm Cain, I second the
11 motion.

12 MS. STODDART: Will the Clerk please
13 take the vote.

14 MS. EGBERT: Mayor?

15 MS. STODDART: Allison Stoddart, yes.

16 MS. EGBERT: Office of the Mayor?

17 MR. CAIN: Malcolm Cain, yes.

18 MS. EGBERT: Comptroller?

19 MR. KATSORHIS: John Katsorhis, yes.

20 MS. EGBERT: Corporation Counsel?

21 MS. SUTTON: Kenisha Sutton, yes.

22 MS. EGBERT: Office of Management and
23 Budget?

24 MS. QUINTIAN: Yvonne Quintian, yes.

25 MS. EGBERT: President, Borough of

1 Manhattan?

2 MS. VEST: Tomi Vest, yes.

3 MS. EGBERT: Calendar Item Number 1,
4 Resolution is: Adopted.

5 MS. STODDART: Will the Clerk please
6 call the next calendar item.

7 MS. EGBERT: New York City Department
8 of Transportation, Calendar Item Number 2:
9 In the matter of the intent to seek Franchise
10 and Concession Review Committee approval,
11 pursuant to Section 1-16 of the Concession
12 Rules of the City of New York, to utilize a
13 different procedure, to enter into a sole
14 source license agreement with an
15 organization, for the operation and
16 management of a pedestrian plaza and
17 maintenance and/or repair of certain
18 amenities within the licensed plaza, located
19 at Astor Place on Lafayette Street, East 9th
20 Street and 4th Avenue, in the Borough of
21 Manhattan.

22 MS. STODDART: Is there a member who
23 wishes to make a statement or ask a question
24 on this matter?

25 (No response).

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1 MS. STODDART: If not, will a member
2 please make a motion to move this item.

3 MS. SUTTON: Kenisha Sutton, I move
4 this item.

5 MS. STODDART: Will another member
6 please second the motion.

7 MR. CAIN: Malcolm Cain, I second the
8 motion.

9 MS. STODDART: Will the Clerk please
10 take the vote.

11 MS. EGBERT: Mayor?

12 MS. STODDART: Allison Stoddart, yes.

13 MS. EGBERT: Office of the Mayor?

14 MR. CAIN: Malcolm Cain, yes.

15 MS. EGBERT: Comptroller?

16 MR. KATSORHIS: John Katsorhis, yes.

17 MS. EGBERT: Corporation Counsel?

18 MS. SUTTON: Kenisha Sutton, yes.

19 MS. EGBERT: Office of Management and
20 Budget?

21 MS. QUINTIAN: Yvonne Quintian, yes.

22 MS. EGBERT: President, Borough of
23 Manhattan?

24 MS. VEST: Tomi Vest, yes.

25 MS. EGBERT: Calendar Item Number 2,

1 Resolution is: Adopted.

2 We ask that the reporter make the
3 entire public meeting agenda, which was made
4 publicly available and distributed at this
5 meeting, part of the final record of this
6 proceeding.

7 That completes the calendar.

8 MS. STODDART: Thank you all.

9 This meeting is adjourned.

10 MS. EGBERT: Thank you, everyone.

11 (TIME NOTED: 2:36 p.m.)

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C E R T I F I C A T E

STATE OF NEW YORK)

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COUNTY OF QUEENS)

I, Sabrina Brown Stewart, a shorthand reporter within and for the State of New York, do hereby certify that the within is a true and accurate transcript of the statement taken on April 12, 2023.

I further certify that I am not related to any of the parties to this action by blood or by marriage, and that I am in no way interested in the outcome of this matter.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 17th day of April 2023.

Sabrina Brown Stewart
Sabrina Brown Stewart

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