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REGULAR BOARD MEETING AND PUBLIC HEARING MINUTES

May 4, 2023

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

B. Braton, L. Amorim, N. Bissoon, J. Calcagnile, J. Caruso, E. Cheng, R. Ciulla-Frisone, A. Cosentino, F. Dardani, A. Dhanpat, I. Dimoh, J. Fazio, E. Fraylon, A. Gellineau, R. Gendron, P. Granickas, A. Hill, R. Hitlall, P. Kishun, B. Lall, N. Latchana, K. Ludhiana, A. Maharaj, R. Martinez, D. Mitchell, S. Mohammed, R. Narine, A. Nocerino, P. Nostromo, R. Ramgopal, B. Ramsundar, K. Roan, N. Santiago, G. Singh, J. Stahl, I. Van Putten, L. Walker, D. Wesby

BOARD MEMBERS NOT PRESENT: M. Amin, M. Cherenfant, A. Deebrab, B. Escobar, F. Mohamed, S. Pace, J. Quijano, A. Rajnauth, G. Russo, S. Uddin, M. Vecchio

COMMUNITY BOARD STAFF PRESENT: K. Petersen, D.M.

OTHERS PRESENT:

Carl Moore, rep., Hon. J. Addabbo; Joe Fedele, rep., Hon. R. Persaud; J. Greenberg, rep., Hon. S. Pheffer-Amato; Imran Rahman, rep., Hon. D. Weprin; L. Fogal, rep., Hon. J. Ariola; B. Jackson, rep., Hon. A. Adams; D. Brown, rep., Hon. M. Katz; Capt. J. Bacchi, CO 106 Precinct; J. Mongeluzo, Rep. NYC Comptroller's Office; S. Bajracharya Shakya, Borough Planner, QDCP; D. Tanis, rep. Resorts World Casino; FF Norman Bartley, FDNY Fire Safety; L. Williams, FDNY Fire Safety

The Chairperson opened the meeting at 7pm and welcomed everyone to the May meeting.

The Chair opened the Informational Public Hearing and introduced Firefighter Norman Bartley from the FDNY to speak about lithium batteries, e-bikes, and e-scooter fire prevention and fire safety.

Firefighter Bartley wished everyone a good evening and spoke about the importance of smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors in residents' homes. He announced that the FDNY is offering free smoke and carbon monoxide detectors to residents who need them. All the information that is needed is the name and address of the resident and the Fire Department will go to the home and install the detectors. He stated that smoke detectors are the first line of defense when it comes to fires. FDNY stresses that everyone should have them in kitchens and bedrooms so they will be made aware if a fire starts. He continued that FDNY also offers a Lifetone smoke detector for those who are hard of hearing which is a small smoke detector that is placed in the bedroom. The unit gets plugged in and a connected device is placed under the resident's pillow. If the unit detects smoke in the air, it sends vibrations to wake the resident up. He explained that when you are sleeping, it takes a longer time for the nerve endings in your nose to detect a smell than it does for you to hear. He reiterated that all these devices are offered for free. He continued that there are four reasons that fire happens in homes, the first are kitchen fires that are caused when an individual is distracted when they are making a meal. He advised everyone that when you are cooking, not to use water on a grease fire because oil heats at a higher temperature and the fire spreads when the water hits it. He advised to put a top lid on the pot to put out a grease fire or to sprinkle baking soda on top to smother the fire. He also advised not to put the baking soda in the refrigerator because moisture causes it to clump, and it will not work as well to put out a fire. He suggested to instead, to keep the baking soda on the counter near the stove. He also recommends purchasing a small lightweight fire extinguisher and to keep at least one in your home. These fire extinguishers can be used to put out many different types of fires such as kitchen fires as well as electrical fires and they have a 10-year shelf life. He stated once the fire extinguisher is used, it should be discarded and another one should be purchased to replace it. He continued that the

second type of fire that happens in homes are electrical fires. He stated that you never know when these types of fires will happen, and they are usually caused by electrical wires that are in 70 to 100-year-old homes. He stated that years ago, the items that homeowners plugged in were different than the items that we plug in now such as air conditioners, space heaters and computers which can cause sockets to overload. Space heaters and air conditioners draw a lot of current from a wall socket and he advised to use a separate socket on a separate breaker when plugging them in. He continued that many times people use extension cords and power strips as extra sockets and he recommended not to plug any items that draw a lot of voltage such as air conditioners, refrigerators and heaters into them. He stated that if you do use extension cords or power strips for low voltage items such as cellphone chargers to always make sure that there is a UL rating (Underwriters Laboratory) on the silver sticker on the back of them. The UL rating means the item has been tested. He continued that some extension cords and power strips can be found cheap online at Amazon or e-bay however, they break down and they get hot and start to melt causing a lot of fires in NYC. He continued that the third type of fire that happens in homes is caused by smoking cigarettes or lighting candles. He suggested that if you smoke, not to smoke inside your home since there are times when people get tired and fall asleep while the cigarette butt smolders and the couch or bed catches on fire. He stated that the number one killer of people is cigarette accidents since the fire is right there and you can't get away from it. He recommends having a bottle of water close by and putting the cigarette butt in it or to put it in a deep ashtray because the cigarette still smolders 3 to 5 hours after it is put out. He also advised to extinguish candles whenever you leave a room and to relight them when you come back inside and to never leave them unattended. He continued that the fourth type of fire is caused by electric devices such as e-bikes, electric mobility vehicles, scooters, hoverboards and mopeds. He stated that these items contain lithium ion batteries and that some companies manufacture cheap batteries that don't hold the charge properly and start to degrade and the chemicals start leaking on each other and erupt in a violent fire. Fire extinguishers or water can't put out this type of fire. The only way to put this battery out is to submerge it completely under water. A special unit must come with a big drum and wear a special suit to submerge the battery under water. He recommends buying the manufacturers batteries since most will send them to UL to make sure they are tested and that they work properly. He also advised not to charge the battery near your exit doors or passageway in your home but instead to charge it to the side of it so you can get out of the house if you need to in case of a fire. He also advised not to charge anything overnight and to only charge items, even cell phones, when you are awake and not to charge items all of the time because you can degrade the battery. He also advised not to put lithium-ion batteries in the garbage since they start a lot of fires, and that any rechargeable lithium-ion battery must go to a disposal center. He stated to go to: nyc.gov/batteries for a listing of disposal locations. He added that they also have additional information available online on about fire safety at: www.fdnysmarts.org. He continued that it is important to always have a fire plan and to practice it. He advised to have a meeting location outside your home and to take a head count especially if you have young children, to see if anyone is missing. He stated that every life matters to them and the Fire Department will do everything they can to find the missing person even though sometimes it puts their lives in danger. He reiterated to have a plan and working smoke and carbon monoxide detectors in your home and to have a drill before bedtime especially if you have small children so they will know what to do if something happens and that they should get out as fast as they can. He stated that it is better to be prepared and have knowledge about what to do to prevent losing lives.

The Chair thanked Firefighter Bartley for his presentation.

The Chair asked if there were any members of the public on the phone line with any questions or comments. Hearing none.

The Chair then asked if there were any members of the public on zoom with any questions or comments. Hearing none.

The Chair asked if there was anyone on the livestream link with any with any questions or comments to reach out to the Community Board 10 office by phone at 718-843-4488 or by e-mail at qn10@cb.nyc.gov before the end of business tomorrow and we will be sure to get the answer from him and will enter it into the record.

The Chair asked if there were any Board Members with any questions or comments.

A Board Member stated that when he was a fireman, and he came across articles left in hallways or stairwells, he would issue a violation and he inquired if the FDNY are still doing that. The response given was that right now, the FDNY and the City are working on getting safe locations for these bikes and that e-bikes like regular bikes can be

stored in a hallway. The Board Member stated that when he was inspecting and saw a baby carriage in the hall it was considered to be an obstruction and the resident was issued a violation. He asked if the FDNY still issues these types of violations. The response given was yes, if something is blocking the means of egress, they will issue a violation to the resident but if a bike is in the corner of the hallway and is not blocking egress, they can't issue a violation.

The Chair asked if there were any other Board Members who had a question.

A Board Member commented that he is an avid e-scooter user and has UL battery certified scooters, but he believes some buildings such as co-ops or condominiums in NYC, are acting to ban lithium ion batteries and he asked if Firefighter Bartley thought they are right to do that. The Chair stated that tonight's FDNY safety speaker is not the appropriate person in FDNY to ask for an opinion on policies a coop or condo board may or may not enact. The Board member stated that building owners are pushing back and saying that the city says they can do this.

The Chair announced that Le-Tis Williams from the FDNY Fire Safety Administration had joined the meeting and invited her to speak.

Le-Tis Williams wished everyone a good evening and stated that Firefighter Bartley did an excellent job with the presentation and announced that FDNY is continuing fire safety education in the district, and they are continuing to disseminate information. She added that they are getting requests for fire safety resources and that if there are any events that anyone would like FDNY to attend to send an e-mail request so they can try to accommodate the request. She continued that she reached out to obtain information about fires caused by lithium ion batteries in Queens and year to date a total of 17 took place in the Borough of Queens however, there have been no lithium ion fatal fires in this district. She thanked everyone for their continued partnership and announced that she will remain at the meeting if anyone has any additional questions or concerns.

The Chair wished Firefighter Bartley and Le-Tis Williams a Happy International Firefighters Day.

The Chairperson resumed the regular order of business and asked if there were any additions or corrections to the April 2023 minutes. Hearing none, the minutes will stand.

CORRESPONDENCE: The Chair reviewed incoming correspondence for the month of April, which included:

- Letter from NYC Parks Dept. announcing Jackie Langstrom was named a Queens Parks Commissioner as of the beginning of April.
- Notification of an alteration of a vertical extension at the 1-family home located at 159-25 82 Street
- DDC sign off notice for the QED1050 project to install water mains in the area.
- Notice of Violation at 134-37 Sitka Street
- Letter from NYC DOT regarding a project on North & South Conduit Avenue where they intersect at 79th Street. It was stated that they plan to install a traffic signal at both sides of the corridor.
- DSS annual letter asking for suggestions for locations for homeless shelters
- Letter from DOT in regard to their intention to reconfigure the Addabbo Bridge bike lanes. It was stated that the work is expected to start Summer 2023
- Letter from DOT regarding the Car Share locations in our district. It was stated that we had objected to one at 79th Street & Pitkin Ave. and asked them to move it however, the sign was put up in error and violations were issued to cars parked there; DOT presented CB 10 with a letter that can be used by those who wish to fight the parking ticket if one was received at that location.
- Letter from the Department of Parks regarding their request for support. It was stated that we are waiting for feedback from the local Civic Association.
- Notification from the Office of Management and Budget on acquisitions on behalf of MTA
- E-mail from National grid noting it is asking the NYS Public Service Commission for a substantial rate increase.
- Copy of the Parks Department Agency Concession Plan 2024.
- Letter from the Comptroller's Office regarding the annual audit that is underway. The information requested was provided.
- Copy of the Contract Awards calendar of upcoming public hearings.

- Notice from DCP regarding the Carbon Neutral Citywide Text Amendment. It is currently out for Community Board review.

TREASURER'S REPORT: The Chair read the report of expenditures for the month of April as the Treasurer's audio was having problems.

BOROUGH PRESIDENT'S LIAISON REPORT: Maricela Cano, Director of Community Boards announced the following events at Queens Borough Hall: They will be holding a Mother's Day celebration on Tuesday, May 9th, an MWBE Contractor Opportunities Forum on May 17th at 3 pm, an Asian Pacific Islander Celebration on May 22nd, a Haitian Flag raising on May 23rd, and an African Day celebration on May 25th. She congratulated the new appointees and thanked them for joining. She stated that this is a great opportunity to learn about and have input on your community.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING REPORT: Shristi Bajracharya Shakya QDCP announced that the first of the three citywide initiatives, the Carbon Neutral Citywide Text Amendment, review notice was sent out on 4/24 and the package was sent to the Community Board. The contents can be found on the DCP portal and they are available to do a presentation upon request to the Community Board at the next Board meeting.

The Chair stated that the Board will hold a Land Use Committee Meeting to discuss this Text Amendment before the June 1st Board Meeting and we will calendar it for Public Hearing at the June meeting.

DISTRICT MANAGER'S REPORT: The District Manager reported that we have received notification from the New York City Department of Transportation that they intend to reconfigure the Addabbo Bridge (after consultation with State DOT) to upgrade biking conditions and improve street safety. This work is expected to begin in the Summer of 2023. The Addabbo Bridge currently has three northbound and two southbound moving lanes and standard bike lanes in each direction. There are sidewalks on each side which allow fishing as well as walking. The northbound and southbound directions are separated by a concrete barrier and 12 feet of striped markings providing an area for a breakdown lane in the southbound direction. NYC DOT will maintain the existing numbers of moving lanes in each direction. However, in the northbound direction, moving lanes will be narrowed and that space allocated to a buffer for the bike lane. In the southbound direction, the one-way buffered bike lane will be upgraded to a two-way protected bike lane. Another change will restrict left turns for northbound vehicles into the Cross Bay Kiteboarding Launch Area parking lot west of Cross Bay Boulevard. This restriction mitigates conflicts between left turning vehicles and people riding on the bike path. Traffic counts suggest very few drivers make this movement and access to the east-side parking lot for northbound vehicles will remain as it does today. These improvements to the Addabbo Bridge will upgrade a gap in the Jamaica Bay Greenway that was identified in the 2018 Implementation Plan. The upgraded bridge design enhances connectivity for people riding bicycles, as this change will allow them to ride in both directions on the west side of the bridge and connecting to existing bike lanes on 165 Avenue and the two-way path south of Addabbo Bridge. This reconfiguration completes a link around the bay and provides access to 10,000 acres of parks and beaches. Importantly, narrowing the moving lanes provides traffic calming for all street users. They have consulted with the New York State Department of Transportation, which determined that additional jersey barriers can feasibly be added to the bridge. DOT has also finally responded to a request that we made to them in 2016 for safety improvements at 79th Street & North and South Conduit Avenue. We have had numerous on-site meetings with DOT since 2003 within the vicinity of North Conduit Avenue between Sutter Avenue & 88th Street where safety improvements were requested.

CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT: The Chairperson reported/commented that information on the following was in members' folder material:

- Update from the Port Authority announcing as part of ongoing JFK development, a solar panel project in the long-term parking lot. It was stated that it would be the largest solar canopy + battery storage facility in NYS when completed. This project is expected to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.
- Letter regarding the removal and relocation of the Car Share No Parking signs
- Blueprint for Outdoor Dining. It was stated that it contained some good points that we may consider adopting.
- Notice announcing JFK Redevelopment Advisory Council Meeting. It was stated that these meetings are open to the public and they will present on the solar panel project at the meeting.

- Copy of the presentation that was made to the Transportation Committee and what they plan to do to the subway line from Rockaway to the Howard Beach area.
- Letter from NYS Office of Cannabis Management
- Announcement that Resort's World rescheduled their shredding event and e-waste disposal day due to inclement weather. It will now be held Saturday, May 6th at 10 am in the Resorts World parking lot.
- Information from the Mayor's Community Affairs Unit
- Notification of the rehabilitation of the 130th Street bridge over the Belt Pkwy in Queens that will take place from May 1st to May 14th.
- Letter regarding 79th Street traffic light safety improvement.
- MTA announcement permitting persons with e-vehicles on subways, buses and railroads.
- Solicitation from the Port Authority seeking bids for their grab and go cafeteria.
- Flyer from DA Katz regarding her Asian American Pacific Islander event that she will be holding on May 10th from 5 to 8 pm at St. John's University.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

EDUCATION: The Committee Chair congratulated students for the efforts on standardized testing and announced that there is still time to vote for the CEC election. She wished everyone a Happy Mother's Day.

GATEWAY: The Committee Chair encouraged everyone to utilize Gateway Park. He stated that there is plenty of parking, the beaches are available, and areas to explore are open.

JFK INTERNATIONAL: The Committee Chair wished everyone a Happy Mother's Day.

LAND USE: The Committee Chair stated that we will be looking into the upcoming City Planning action, and he will be setting up a committee meeting to be prepared with our response for next month.

LIBRARIES: The Committee Chair announced events being held at the 4 libraries in our district. She stated that the Ozone Park library at 94-22 Rockaway Blvd. will be hosting a mobile pantry food distribution on 5/9 from 12pm to 2pm; the South Ozone Park Library located at 128-16 Rockaway Blvd. will be holding a movie night on 5/8 and 5/25 from 5pm to 6:45 pm; the Howard Beach library located at 92-05 156 Avenue will be holding a movie night on 5/5 featuring a movie about King Richard and the Lefferts Blvd. library located at 103-34 Lefferts Blvd. is holding computer classes on 5/10 and 5/17 and 5/31 from 10 am to 11 am. She also announced that cultural passes are available to those with a library card which will allow you to reserve free passes to over 80 cultural institutions across NYC such as children's museums, public gardens, historical societies and heritage centers. She added that the libraries are facing drastic cuts and she asked everyone to support our libraries.

PUBLIC SAFETY: The Committee Chair stated that the 106th Precinct asked him to remind everyone about mailbox fishing and that it is best to bring your mail directly to the Post Office to guarantee that your mail won't be taken out of the mailbox. He added that when they recently installed the pedestrian ramps, they didn't reconnect some of the mailboxes to the concrete and individuals now can take the mailbox completely. He also reminded everyone that if you are writing checks, to use permanent ink so it can't be washed off.

The Chair introduced Captain Bacchi, Commanding Officer of the 106th Pct. and invited him to speak.

Captain Bacchi wished everyone a good evening and wished a Happy Mother's Day to all of the mothers. He stated that the 106th Precinct is down in crime 12% for the year but the driving crime is still domestic violence. He stated these are preventable crimes and that help is available by calling 718-845-2227 or the New York City Help line at 1-800-621-HOPE to mitigate services so the situation won't escalate. He added that they can't prevent these crimes, but you can help them help you. He continued that we are still having issues with mail theft and check washing. He stated that thieves are targeting the mail and he advised everyone to stop using the corner mailbox and to pay bills online if you can. The check is the most insecure method of payment and can be intercepted, then check washing can compromise your bank account. He continued that we are seeing citywide crews of individuals targeting the elderly at ATM machines especially at Citibank. Other bank locations lock your card in place while Citibank allows you to remove the card during the transaction so thieves can distract you and remove your card. He stated that you can

always push the cancel button during your transaction and reminded everyone to check your card when you remove it at the ATM to make sure that your name is on it since thieves have swapped cards from other victims. He announced that we received 6 new Police Officers at the Precinct who have graduated from the Academy and that this is their first week on patrol. Some are stationed at Liberty Avenue between Lefferts Blvd. & 126 Street, along Cross Bay Blvd and on Liberty Avenue bet. 87th Street & 92nd Street and he also mentioned to say hello to them when you see them.

The Chair asked if there were any questions for Captain Bacchi. Hearing none.

The Chair thanked the Captain for his updates.

SEWERS: The Committee Chair wished everyone a Happy Mother's Day

SUMMER YOUTH EMPLOYMENT – The Committee Chair announced that the DOT Policy Unit is seeking summer graduate student aides. The application process requires a cover letter and writing sample be submitted. For more information go to: policy@dot.nyc.gov or to the nyc.gov website. She also announced that the US open is looking for US Open Ball Persons. Applications are open on 6/2 and for more information to visit: www.usopen.org/form. She stated that the rest of her report is in the folder.

TRANSPORTATION – The Committee Chair thanked everyone for attending the Transportation Committee meeting about the Rockaway Rehabilitation Project. She stated that the Transportation Committee met on 4/19/23 and received a presentation from the MTA regarding an MTA design-build project. The project has been awarded to Schiavone Construction Company. MTA reviewed the major elements of the project. The major elements are not within CB10. They include work on the South Channel railroad bridge, viaduct repairs in Rockaway, and a new B105 Street Signal Tower and Crossover. After Superstorm Sandy in 2012 it took 7 months to replace washed out tracks, affected equipment, and restore service to the line. The line is a critical connection between the Rockaway peninsula and the rest of NYC. There is more resiliency work to be done as well as much rehabilitation work, both major and minor, to be done to address structural needs. The upcoming project will continue to build on the 2013 emergency restoration work, the 2019 work to protect the power station and signal tower, and the 2020 hardening work at key stations. At present an ongoing project is making repairs at the North Channel rail bridge and replacing or upgrading communication and fiber optic cable. She continued that a copy of MTA's presentation is in the Board folder material. The project contract started in December and will take almost 4 years to complete. It should be completed by the Summer of 2026. The majority of this work will be performed during a 16 week-24/7 shutdown to subway service south of Howard Beach in the Winter-Spring of 2025. The associated 10-week marine channel closure will occur within that 16 week-24/7 shut down. As the project moves forward MTA will come back to keep us aware of what will be happening. While most of the work for this project will happen in CB14, the subway service shutdown will have an impact in CB10 due to the necessity for shuttle bus service from Broad Channel and the Rockaway peninsula. She added that the discussion at the Committee meeting revolved around that. MTA also informed us that it will also be doing some work unrelated to the major project at the Howard Beach/AirTrain Station. The Committee recommended that MTA also engage in any needed track work and other work between the Howard Beach/AirTrain Station during the shutdown period.

The Chair stated that we have asked MTA to look at the power station in Hamilton Beach and that any needed track work at Hamilton Beach be done during the shutdown period. She stated that it was a very productive meeting.

OLD BUSINESS: None

The Board Chair acknowledged various representatives from elected officials present.

Carl Moore rep. Sen Addabbo announced that they will be holding a special e-waste recycling event on 5/7 from 10 am to 2 pm at Forest Park and that they will also be holding from 1pm to 3pm an autism developmental disability walk. He stated that the budget has passed but we haven't received the details yet. When they have the information, they will pass it on to the Community Board. He also wished everyone a Happy Mother's Day.

Joe Fedele rep. Sen. Persaud announced they will be holding a Mother's Day clothing giveaway this Saturday from 11 am to 2 pm at Sen. Persaud's Office and on 5/21 they will be holding a paper shredding and e-waste event at her district office. He wished everyone a Happy Mother's Day.

Jason Greenberg rep. AM Pheffer-Amato stated that the state passed the budget Tuesday evening and this year's budget removed the clause that limited a judge's discretion to set bail. There was \$342 million allocated to drive down gun violence and they have expanded the child tax credit for families with children aged 4 and under. They are also affording meals to 300,000 students and the Community Boards are maintaining their rights related to zoning. For more information call their office at 718-845-9550.

Imran Rahman rep. AM Weprin announced a fire safety and Narcan event on 6/28 and he wished everyone a Happy Mother's Day.

Linda Fogal rep. CM Ariola announced they will be holding an e-waste and paper shredding event on 5/6 from 11 am to 2 pm in front of PS 207 and they will be holding a schoolyard concert at PS 114 at 7pm. On 5/22 they will be hosting a Night at the Opera, on 6/13 they will be holding an event in the schoolyard at PS 146 at 7 pm. They will also be holding movie night on 5/9 in the PS 207 schoolyard at 7 pm and advised anyone attending to bring a chair. For more information call their office at 718-738-1083. She also announced that they have flood barriers in their office if anyone needs any. She wished everyone a Happy Mother's Day

Brendan Jackson rep. CM Adams wished everyone a Happy Mother's Day and announced they are holding a health and wellness expo on 5/6 from 3 pm to 5 pm at the Rochdale Community Center at 169-65 137th Avenue.

Dan Brown rep. Queens District Attorney's Office announced they will be holding a Memorial Day ceremony on 5/25 at 11 am at the Vietnam Veterans Memorial at Elmhurst Park. The event will be livestreamed. For more information go to: queensda.org or call 718-286-6593

James Mongeluzo rep. Comptroller Lander's Office announced they have completed the annual claims report for 2022 and that the city paid over 1.5 million dollars for claims and lawsuits. He continued there was one class action lawsuit from 1996 and that 18% of tort claims are for property damage and there were 7 wrongful convictions. He continued that there is a trend where a lot of settlements deal with vehicles and it was found that the reason for this is that when people get hit by an SUV there is more damage. He continued that many civil rights claims related to NYPD are down 11% and there were also Special Ed claims for lack of services for Individual Education Plans. For more information call him at 646-689-6509 or e-mail him at: jmongel@comptroller@nyc.gov

David Tanis rep. Resorts World announced that they will be holding an e-waste and paper shredding event this Saturday 5/6 in the Resorts World Parking lot.

NEW BUSINESS: None

PUBLIC FORUM:

The Chair asked if there is anyone from the public on the phone line that has a comment or a question to state their name. Hearing none.

The Chair asked if there is anyone from the public on the Zoom link that has a comment or a question to use the raise the hand feature. Seeing none.

The Chair stated for those viewing the YouTube video, that the record of the meeting will stay open until the close of business tomorrow and if there are any questions or comments to call the office at 718-843-4488 or send an e-mail to: qn10@cb.nyc.gov.

The Chair wished everyone a Happy Mother's Day and stated that we will let everyone know if the next Board meeting will be held live or on Zoom as soon as we know.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted by,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Karyn Petersen". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned to the left of the printed name.

Karyn Petersen
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