

## The City of New York

## **Queens Community Board 11**

Serving the Communities of Auburndale, Bayside, Douglaston, Hollis Hills Little Neck and Oakland Gardens

Paul DiBenedetto Chairperson / Joseph Marziliano District Manager

To: All Board Members

From: George Hadjiconstantinou

Date: July 14, 2025

Re: Sidewalk Dining Applications

On July 1, 2025, the CB11 Economic Development Committee met to discuss sidewalk dining applications.

## **Committee Members**

George Hadjiconstantinou, Committee Chair Henry Euler, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Chair Michelle Fields Matthew Mamak David White Christina Scherer Melanie Harster Kenneth O'Keefe Bernadette Kelly

## CB11 Staff

Joseph Marziliano, District Manager Christina Coutinho, Community Associate

Mr. Hadjiconstantinou opened the meeting with the first sidewalk café application for Gyro World located at 194-23 Northern Blvd. This application is for 16 tables on the 195<sup>th</sup> Street side of the restaurant. Mr. Euler stated that there are residential homes across the street. There was a concern regarding cars blocking driveways. It was discussed how the area should be cleaned daily. The outside café would be open until 10:00 PM daily. Mr. Marziliano referred to the diagram and suggested the tables end at the manhole, reducing the number of tables by six. There was no mention of music on the application. Discussion ensued regarding noise. The Committee agreed to recommend that the number of tables be reduced from 16 to 10.

Next was the last sidewalk café application for Elite Pastries Café located at 47-36 Bell Blvd. This application is for six tables (13 seats) in front of the establishment. The outside café would be open until 9:00 PM. The Committee discussed cleanliness and how there should be something secured for garbage.

There is no Committee vote on sidewalk applications.

The meeting was adjourned.