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Anatole Ashraf
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Honorable Julie Won
NYC Council Member
District 26
37-04 Queens Boulevard
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Re: Request for Street co-naming for Julian Corniell at 38th Street between Queens Boulevard and 43rd Avenue

At the May 5th, 2026, meeting of the Queens Community Board 2 Transportation Committee, a motion was made in support of a street co-naming for Julian Corniell, a child tragically killed by shocking youth violence in our community. His death on February 14th, 2025, wrought sadness and grief in us; his family hopes we may turn that into a living memory of Julian and a greater resolve to ending youth violence.

The request was made to this committee by Julian Corniell's mother and aunt. Our resolution follows:

WHEREAS Julian Corniell was murdered on 38th Street between Queens Boulevard and 43rd Avenue in an instance of youth violence that devastated our community;

WHEREAS his family has been working with nonprofit organizations to advocate for youth violence prevention in the wake of his death; and

WHEREAS this is an instance where a person had an untimely death that led to a greater awareness of the cause of death and a concerted effort to address the problem of youth violence; now therefore be it

RESOLVED that Queens Community Board 2 supports a street co-naming request at that location in Julian Corniell's honor.

The motion passed unanimously with no abstentions.

Sincerely,



Anatole Ashraf,
Chairperson, CB2



Reilly Owens,
Chair, Transportation Committee

Cc: Hon. Julie Won, NYC Council