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To: CB2 Transportation Committee Members

From: Sheila Lewandowski, Chairperson
Tom Mituzas, Co-Chairperson
Transportation Committee

Re: NOTICE OF TUESDAY APRIL 6, 2021 TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MEETING

The next meeting of CB2s Transportation Committee is scheduled for:

**** DATE: TUESDAY APRIL 6, 2021

***** TIME: 6:00 P.M.

LOCATION: TELE-COMMUNICATION
INFORMATION ON ZOOM

<https://zoom.us/j/98115126799?pwd=QmJURFo1clVFOTJHT2hrKys2K3Fvdz09>

Telephone Conference: 646 558 8656

Meeting ID: 981 1512 6799

AGENDA

TRANSPORTATION

Department of Transportation provided the following update. It has been reported that majority of the DOT projects are on hold and will be revisited once the City and the State reopen due to the COVID-19 Pandemic.

TRANSPORTATION ISSUES - Follow-up on DOT Issues

Blissville

Veterans Memorial (Blissville Flagpole) continue discussion – next steps

- CB2 is Requesting an open Street in Blissville at 37th Street between Review Avenue and Starr Avenue.
- The Blissville Greenway from K bridge to G bridge along review avenue connecting Laurel Hill and Blissville and the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Councilman Van Bramer has written a letter of support for this community inspired project that is also contained in the CB2s "Top 10" budget priorities. DOT-484255-K7Q6
- Discussion of wrong One-way conversion of 37th Street Review Avenue and Bradley Avenue.

Court Square

- Ramps Project (DOT Property)- DOT is awaiting an update.
- Update Court Square site visit with Borough President Donovan Richards.

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Sunnyside

Sunnyside Speed Reducers

- Request for Speed Reducer at 43rd Street between 37th Avenue and Barnett Avenue (DOT-469476-D3L8) Please provide installation date. (10/9 DOT informed CB2 this is prioritized). Awaiting marking update.

Woodside

- One-way conversion of 59th Street from Roosevelt Avenue to 41st Avenue as part of the pedestrian safety improvements the area of Woodside Avenue and Roosevelt Avenue. CB2 submitted letter. Please provide an additional update on conversion timing of the next construction season.
- Request for signal at Woodside Avenue and 62nd Street (intersection near LIRR entrance) DOT-438539-K3C0. According to DOT this signal investigation is on hold please provide an additional update? Traffic signals still on hold.
- Request to DOT for a One-Way Street conversion on 51st Avenue Between 65th Place and 61st Street. Provide an update. (DOT-464313-T7R8) Open and being evaluated, please provide an update?
- Request for feasibility study for a one-way conversion on 50th Avenue between 69th Street and 65th Place. (DOT-483019-P9P2)
- Request for traffic control study at 67th Street and Garfield Avenue. Did not meet conditions provide an update.

Woodside Speed Reducers

- Speed Cushion request on 58th Street from 39th Ave to Woodside Ave. (DOT- 433629-RSM3) – Please provide update DOT states this is still an active study.
- Speed Cushion request on 58th Place between Laurel Hill Blvd and 52nd Avenue (DOT-297802-W3Y6) – This is Approved. (10/9 DOT informed CB2 this is prioritized). Please provide installation date.
- Speed Reducer request on 50th Avenue between 46th and 47th Streets (DOT-427192-D0P9 (DOT -430484-Z2V7). Approved (10/9 DOT informed CB2 this is prioritized). Please provide installation date

Long Island City

- 11th Street and Borden Avenue under the Pulaski Bridge Entrance and Exit to midtown tunnel requesting a turning lane and a left turn signal.
- Request for the return of parking spots on the south side of 48th Avenue between Vernon Blvd. and 11th Street – DOT442293J7J6. There is one 'No Standing' sign up is this an error? CB 2 sent letter (DOT-487825-L9M1)
- 46th Road and Jackson Avenue – no left turn request (DOT 434607-G9J4) – Study due at the end of January. CB 2 sent a letter requesting a new study (DOT-487770-W4N0).
- Center Blvd north of 49th Avenue transfer of property from State to City. Please continue to provide update.
- Provide an update on the Vernon Blvd Bulkhead at 54th Avenue and Vernon Blvd.
- Request for a one-way conversion on 31st Place between 47th Avenue and 48th Avenue.

Long Island City Speed Reducers

- CB 2 sent a letter of request for a feasibility study for a slow zone sign and a speed reducer on 38th Street between 48th Avenue and Greenpoint Avenue (10/14/ 2020) Neighborhood

slow zone (DOT-478719-Q9P4) Speed Reducer (DOT-478711-P8D2 Please provide an update.

CB2 District Wide Initiatives

- CB 2 sent letter of support for the Queensboro bridge pedestrian cyclist lane. Please provide an update.
- Continue to follow up requests to review regulation changes for all 12/14-hour meters to 4 hours within CB 2. (DOT-481113-J7B9)
- Continue to provide an update on the Open Streets

Old Business

New Business

CC: Hon. Alexandria Ocasio Cortez, US Congress
Hon. Carolyn Maloney, US Congress
Hon. Nydia Velazquez, US Congress
Hon. Michael Gianaris, NYS Senate
Hon. Jessica Gonzalez-Rojas, NYS Assembly
Hon. Brian Barnwell, NYS Assembly
Hon. Catherine T. Nolan, NYS Assembly
Hon. Jimmy Van Bramer, NYC Council
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