



*Donovan Richards*  
*Queens Borough President*

# Community Board No. 2

43-22 50th Street, 2nd Floor  
Woodside, New York 11377

(718) 533-8773

Fax (718-533-8777

Email [qn02@cb.nyc.gov](mailto:qn02@cb.nyc.gov)

[www.nyc.gov/queenscb2](http://www.nyc.gov/queenscb2)

*Anatole Ashraf*

*Chairperson*

*Debra Markell Kleinert*

*District Manager*

**December 3, 2024**

## **Transportation Committee Meeting Minutes**

**This meeting was held in person**

### **Transportation Committee Members – Present**

*Anatole Ashraf (PV), Reilly Owens, Osman Chowdhury, Morry Galonoy, Dr. Rosamond Gianutsos (PV), Thomas Mituzas (PV), Oumaya Saab (PV) Laura Shepard*

### **Transportation Committee Members – Absent**

*Danielle Brecker*

### **Transportation Committee Public Members – Present**

*Patricia Pan*

### **Transportation Committee Public Members – Absent**

*Corey Hannigan*

### **Community Board 2 Staff**

*Debra Markell Kleinert*

### **NYC Department of Transportation**

*Joseph Patti*

### **Guests**

*Autumn Bosco, Fanny Chang, Barry Druss*

Reilly Owens welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Public Comments – Comments by Community Members (1 Minute) up to ten minutes.

*“Serving the Communities of Long Island City, Sunnyside, Woodside, and Maspeth”*

Autumn Bosco discussed safety issues from the Queens Boulevard Bridge to Skillman Avenue.

Anatole Ashraf requested safety improvements on 43<sup>rd</sup> Avenue and 43<sup>rd</sup> Street as his daughter was nearly injured by a speeding motorists making a sloppy right turn at the location.

Laura Shepard discussed vehicles parking on the sidewalk at 39<sup>th</sup> Street and 43<sup>rd</sup> Avenue.

Debra Markell reported on numerous locations such as 37<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Van Dam Street where vehicles are double parking and blocking the sidewalk. This is an issue discussed at the District Cabinet Meetings.

Joseph Patti reported the DOT has been looking at this and will follow up.

Joseph Patti, provided an update on the following:

- 60<sup>th</sup> Street and 37<sup>th</sup> Avenue. DOT reported this is still active and being studied.
- 50<sup>th</sup> Avenue between 65<sup>th</sup> Place and 60<sup>th</sup> Street. DOT reported this is still active and being studied.
- 49<sup>th</sup> Street and 43<sup>rd</sup> Avenue. DOT reported this is still active and being studied.
- 39<sup>th</sup> Road between Woodside Avenue and 52<sup>nd</sup> Street. DOT reported this has not been approved as it does not have the required width for double yellow markings.
- Provided an update on: NYC DOT Completes Installation of Over 500 Loading Zones in Response to Public Feedback on Double Parking and Blocked Bike and Bus Lanes.  
<https://www.nyc.gov/html/dot/html/pr2024/nyc-dot-loading-zones.shtml>
- Provided an update on: NYC DOT Expands Number of Secure Public Delivery Lockers Available to send and receive packages ahead of the holiday shopping season.  
<https://www.nyc.gov/html/dot/html/pr2024/nyc-dot-delivery-lockers.shtml>
- DOT will be providing a letter on the Green Asphalt. Still waiting for more details on next steps.
- DOT reported the Land Use Division is aware of the concerns with the location and still waiting to hear for the plan moving forward.
- Queens Boulevard, the DOT is not done there, and it is a work in progress. Spoke with businesses along the corridor. Spoke about the area around 48<sup>th</sup> and 49<sup>th</sup>, trying to get marking refurbishment there.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by:

MA Gurrado

