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March 5, 2020

Community Board 2 Meeting

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Board Members Present

Anatole Ashraf
Thalia (Karesia) Batan
Osman Chowdhury
Stephen Cooper
Warren Davis
Lisa Deller
Sally Frank
William Garrett
Dr. Rosamond Gianutsos
Kenneth Greenberg
Benjamin Guttman
Christine Hunter

Denise Keehan-Smith
Jordan Levine
Dominic Lippolis
Kristen McGowan
Dorothy Morehead
Patrick Murray
Steven Raga
Regina Shanley
Lauren Springer
Carol Terrano
Mary Torres
Karolina Tosi

Board Members Absent

Czarinna Andres
Diane Ballek
Sandra Bigitschke
Bessie Cassaro
Jake DeGroot
Richard Gundlach
Mohammed Chowdhury Jewel
Ellen Kang
Badrun Khan

Thomas Mituzas
Dr. Tara Niraula
Patrick O'Brien
Clara Oza
Elliot Park
Norbert Saldana
Michael Son
Rebecca Trent
Anthony Tudela

Nancy Kleaver
Sheila Lewandowski
Elizabeth McKenna
Taina McShane

Santiago Vargas
Adrienne Verrilli
Maria Magdalena Vielma

Community Board 2 Staff

Debra Markell Kleinert
MaryAnn Gurrado

Guests

Andrea Thomas, Sunnyside Community Services

EDC

Eleni DeSiervio
Adam Grossman Meagher

Elected Officials/Representatives

John Perricone, Representing Queens Borough President Sharon Lee
Jack Bernatovicz, Representing Council Member Jimmy Van Bramer
Irene Stathates, Representing Senator Michael Gianaris
Ben Geremia, Representing Council Member Robert Holden
Zachariah Boyer, Representing Public Advocate Jumaane Williams
Victoria Leahy, Representing Assembly Member Brian Barnwell
Elaine Fan, Representing NYC Comptroller Scott Stringer
Daniel Bonthius, Representing Congresswoman Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez
Jessica Schabowski, Mayor's Office, Community Affairs Unit

Ms. Keehan-Smith welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Overview of the Sunnyside Yards Master Plan - Presented by EDC

Ms. Keehan-Smith welcomed Eleni DeSiervio, EDC and Adam Grossman Meagher, EDC

Ms. DeSiervio stated the Sunnyside Yard Planning Process is not a development and is not a shovel-ready proposal. Before any of this happens, the City wants to plan with the community. This is a framework for how decisions could be made around the yards in order to preserve the City's option to create new land.

Ms. DeSiervio stated that she and Mr. Marr would provide an overview of where they are with the release of the Master Plan that came out this week. She distributed copies of the booklet for board members and the CB 2 Office.

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For information about the proposal visit the website at: www.nyc.gov/edc

Questions were entertained.

Attendance Report

Board Members Present	24	Board Members Absent	25	Quorum	No
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The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by:
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