



REGISTER OF COMMUNITY BOARD BUDGET REQUESTS

For the Preliminary Budget Fiscal Year 2021

Manhattan 2



The City of New York
Bill de Blasio, Mayor

FY 2021 Preliminary Budget Register of Community Board Budget Priorities

The Register of Community Board Budget Requests for the Preliminary Budget reports the FY 2021 preliminary budget status of each of the projects and programs requested by the City's 59 community boards.

The FY 2021 Register is the charter mandated product of a dynamic and cyclical budget process for the 59 community boards. The community boards consult with agencies on the capital and expense needs of the district. After consulting, each community board develops and votes separate priorities for up to 40 capital and 25 expense budget requests which the agencies review and respond to in the **Register of Community Board Requests for the Preliminary Budget** in January.

The Mayor's Office of Management and Budget (OMB) reviews these same budget requests and updates the responses for the Executive Budget, publishing them in the **Register of Community Board Requests for the Executive Budget** in April.

In May, the City Council holds public hearings on the Executive Budget. At these hearings, community boards, community groups and interested citizens may comment on the budget decisions contained in the Register.

In June, OMB publishes the **Register of Community Board Budget Requests for the Adopted Budget** which informs the boards of the final disposition of their original budget priorities. The Adopted Register contains responses that reflect the changes made to the Executive Budget by the City Council.

Capital project requests from community boards are site specific, and primarily for infrastructure or public facility improvements.

For more specific information about programs important to the community boards, refer to each agency's section in the Message of the Mayor for the Executive Capital and Expense Budgets.

Call 212-788-5943 for more information about the community board process including consultations, and the geographic versions of budget documents.

FORMAT OF THE REGISTER

The Register of Community Board Budget Requests is sorted into four versions: Community Board, Borough, Council and Agency. In all versions of the Register, each board's expense requests directly follow their capital requests. The requests are in board order.

LAYOUT OF BUDGET REQUESTS PAGES

Column 1: Priority Number

The priority assigned by a community board reflects the importance of that request as compared to its other requests. Boards may assign Continued Support (CS) to a project which received funding for construction in any year of the current Financial Plan.

Column 2: Tracking Code

The nine digit identification number assigned to each community board budget request. Tracking codes are unique to each request and identify the borough, community district, year submitted, and request. The first digit refers to the borough, 1 = the Bronx, 2 = Brooklyn, 3 = Manhattan, 4 = Queens, and 5 = Staten Island; the second and third digits indicate the district number. The fourth through seventh digits represent the fiscal year for which the request was submitted and the last two digits are the request number. The tenth character indicates whether it is a capital ("C") or expense ("E") budget request.

Column 3: Project Information

Request: A brief description of the project.

Explanation: Supporting information detailing the project, and its potential benefits.

Responsible Agency: The City agency which would implement the project.

Budget Line Number: The number assigned to a capital project that was previously funded or is included in any year of the current Financial Plan.

PROJECT ID: The Capital Project Information System identification number which allows projects to be entered into the City's computer tracking system. The number of the managing agency and the project identification number make up the PROJECT ID of the project.

Source of Request: Any group(s) which support the request.

Column 4: Response

The Preliminary Budget recommendation for each budget request.

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01	302202101C	<p>Request: Provide a new or expanded park or playground</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for the permanent preservation of the Elizabeth St. Garden, in its entirety, on land owned by NYC DCAS, on a through lot on Elizabeth and Mott Sts., between Prince and Spring Sts. CB2 urges DCAS to transfer jurisdiction over this lot to the Parks Dept. without further delay. The neighborhood around Elizabeth St. Garden lacks open space. Little Italy and SoHo account for 23% of CB 2's population but have only 3% of its open space, virtually 100% paved, for an open space ratio of only 0.07 acres per 1,000 residents. The Elizabeth St. Garden is located in the only downtown Manhattan neighborhood that the NYC Parks Department defines as underserved by open space.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p> <p>Location Site Name: Elizabeth Street Garden</p>	<p>The Department of Parks and Recreation does not maintain this facility.</p>
02	302202102C	<p>Request: Provide a new or expand an existing elementary school</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for the 100,000 square foot Bleecker Street School. As part of the New York University 2012 up-zoning, NYU's key community giveback was the option to build the Bleecker School, a 100,000 square foot public school that would serve approximately 600 students. If the Bleecker School is not built, 100,000 square feet of school space reverts to NYU for university use. If the Bleecker School option expires on December 31, 2021, \$65+ million in value transfers from NYC taxpayers to NYU, based on the average price per buildable square foot in Manhattan and arguably higher, due to the lack of vacant land in Greenwich Village.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Education</p> <p>Location Site Name: Bleecker Street School</p>	<p>Community District is located in a School District with identified seat need. Location for school will be based on site and funding availability.</p>

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03	302202103C	<p>Request: Improve accessibility of transit infrastructure, by providing elevators, escalators, etc.</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to refurbish walls, floors and ceilings in the West 4th Street subway station and add full disabled access by elevator at the northern end of the station. This station, the ninth busiest in the City and a major hub for seven subway lines, suffers from peeling walls, leaky ceilings, and broken wall tiles. These conditions not only affect local and transient users but also have negative impacts on Greenwich Village's role as an important center of business, tourism and major institutions and needs to be quickly addressed by the MTA's Station Renewal Program.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Transit Authority</p> <p>Location Site Name: West 4th Street Subway Station</p>	<p>For information regarding the status of this Request, contact the Transit Authority directly at telephone number 646-252-2660.</p>
04	302202104C	<p>Request: Enhance park safety through design interventions, e.g. better lighting (Capital)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for resiliency efforts to shore up the west side of Community District 2 along the Hudson River Park. In the aftermath of Hurricane Sandy, it became clear that the Hudson River waterfront was dangerously vulnerable. After making this request last year, the agency response was that further study of the request was needed. We would like to know if any study has been done and, if so, what were the findings and recommendations.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p> <p>Location Site Name: Hudson River Park</p>	<p>The Department of Parks and Recreation does not maintain this facility.</p>

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05	302202105C	<p>Request: Create a new, or renovate or upgrade an existing public library</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for Hudson Park Library to create better accessibility for disabled persons and strollers, including the installation of an elevator, in order to be in compliance with the NYPL's accessibility statement that everyone is welcome and has access to the full range of information, services and programs that are offered in our neighborhood branches.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: New York Public Library</p> <p>Location Site Name: Hudson Park Library Address: 66 Leroy Street</p>	<p>NYPL is in favor of this project but added or restored City funding is required for all expense budget costs and any needed capital costs. NYPL will continue to work through the City's budget process for needed funding. Contact NYPL for more information.</p>
06	302202106C	<p>Request: Roadway maintenance (i.e. pothole repair, resurfacing, trench restoration, etc.)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to reconstruct Clarkson St. from West St. to Greenwich St. including repair & replacement of Belgian blocks and installation of a granite bicycle lane. The Belgian block street bed on Clarkson St. bet. West and Greenwich Sts. is in great need of repair with loose, broken, scattered and missing blocks, large uncovered spaces, exposed manholes, and deep ridges, posing a major hazard to pedestrians, those in wheelchairs and with strollers, bicyclists and drivers. Bicyclists opt to use the sidewalk instead, endangering people walking there. A granite strip bike lane will provide comfortable, direct bike access and keep bike riders off the sidewalk.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p> <p>Location Address: Clarkson Street Cross Street 1: Greenwich Street Cross Street 2: West Street</p>	<p>DOT has requested funding for this project.</p>

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07	302202107C	<p>Request: Reconstruct or upgrade a park or playground</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for the complete renovation of the Mercer Playground. The project to redesign and renovate this space is underway and most, though probably not all required funding has been pledged by NYU, as the budget is anticipated to be higher than the pledged amount, so CB2 requests that funds be allocated to complete this project.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p> <p>Location Site Name: Mercer Playground</p>	<p>The agency will try to accommodate this issue within existing resources.</p>
08	302202108C	<p>Request: Reconstruct or upgrade a park or playground</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for the complete renovation of Vesuvio Playground. the number of children using Vesuvio Playground continues to grow. The current design was completed in 2006 and was not really adequate to meet the needs of the surrounding community even at the time of opening. Further, the current design does not maximize the possibilities in the envelope of the square footage available to the public and much of it is worn down and not functioning.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p> <p>Location Site Name: Vesuvio Playground</p>	<p>Department of Parks and Recreation funds are insufficient for this project. We recommend this project be brought to the attention of your elected officials, i.e. Borough President and/or City Council member.</p>
09	302202109C	<p>Request: Provide technology upgrade</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for technology improvements, including smartboards, laptops and computers for PS 3, PS 130, MS 297, P751, Broome Street Academy and City-As-School High School. CB 2 supports additional funding for technology at PS 3, PS 130,MS 297, P751, Broome Street Academy and City-As-School High to ensure that all children have access to technology, a critical equity issue in education.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Education</p>	<p>This request includes more than one proposal. Funding for part is recommended.</p>

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10	302202110C	<p>Request: Reconstruct or upgrade a park or playground</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for the complete renovation the Tony Dapolito Recreation Center. The Dapolito Center is a hub of activity and is well-used by young and old alike. Rather than partial measures to address recurring problems, Community Board 2 requests that funds be allocated to repair, renovate and re-imagine uses for the center.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p> <p>Location Site Name: Dapolito Recreation Center</p>	<p>Parks Department funds are insufficient for this purpose. We recommend this request be brought to the attention of your Council Members.</p>
11	302202111C	<p>Request: Renovate or upgrade an existing cultural facility</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to Judson Memorial Church nonsectarian nonprofit affiliate (in formation) to replace aging and overused lift with new elevator to promote ADA accessibility to 2nd & 3rd floor program spaces. Judson Memorial Church hosts a vast array of nonsectarian events, including a large number of arts-related events, in its main building. For the past few years, the lift which provides ADA access to the second floor has been overused and is often not functioning. We are requesting funds to replace the aging lift with a new elevator, so the community-at-large will continue to be able to use the facilities that Judson generously makes available.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Cultural Affairs</p> <p>Location Site Name: Judson Church</p>	<p>The Department of Cultural Affairs recommends this project be brought to the attention of your local elected official, i.e. Borough President or City Council member.</p>

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12	302202112C	<p>Request: Reconstruct streets</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to install a granite strip bicycle lane on Morton Street between West Street and Washington Street. The Belgian block surface is unsuitable for bikes, resulting in cyclists riding on the sidewalks, hazardous for pedestrians. Morton Street is a main thoroughfare from the Hudson River Park (West St) going east, calling for an eastbound bicycle lane, granite between West and Washington Streets and striped eastward from Washington. The new 75 Morton Street school makes it even more urgent to keep bicycles safely off the sidewalks and provide for safe bicycling for all.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p> <p>Location Address: Morton Street Cross Street 1: West Street Cross Street 2: Washington Street</p>	DOT has requested funding for this project.
13	302202113C	<p>Request: Renovate or upgrade an elementary school</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to P.S. 3 for gymateria dividers to increase flexibility and use, library renovation and physical fitness, including playground equipment upgrade and enhancements to the roof playground.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Education</p> <p>Location Site Name: P.S. 3</p>	Unable to prioritize funding for this project request at this time.

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14	302202114C	<p>Request: Renovate or upgrade a high school</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to build STEAM and Literacy programs including a Wet Lab, Maker Space, Literacy Lab and Library / Media Center as well as to add water bottle refilling stations at City-as-School High School.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Education</p> <p>Location Site Name: City-As-School</p>	Unable to prioritize funding for this project request at this time.
15	302202115C	<p>Request: Renovate or upgrade a high school</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for a library at Broome Street Academy, which also would be available to The Door members, as well as a cafeteria upgrade.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Education</p> <p>Location Site Name: Broome Street Academy</p>	Unable to prioritize funding for this project request at this time.
16	302202116C	<p>Request: Roadway maintenance (i.e. pothole repair, resurfacing, trench restoration, etc.)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to repair and replace Belgian blocks on Bond St., between Broadway and the Bowery, on Wooster St. between Houston and Canal Streets., on Gansevoort and Little West 12th Streets between 9A and 8th Ave., and on 14th St. between 9th Ave. and Route 9A. Belgian Blocks are either badly damaged, missing or both and need to be restored and/or replaced. In some cases the structural base is so deteriorated, reconstruction is needed. Current poor condition is hazardous to pedestrians and a blight to the historic districts. The restoration of these streets with Belgian blocks is essential in keeping with the nature of these historically important areas</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>	DOT has requested funding for this project.

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17	302202117C	<p>Request: Reconstruct or upgrade a park or playground</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for repair needs at JJ Walker courts and park.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p> <p>Location Site Name: JJ Walker Park</p>	<p>Department of Parks and Recreation funds are insufficient for this project. We recommend this project be brought to the attention of your elected officials, i.e. Borough President and/or City Council member.</p>
18	302202118C	<p>Request: Reconstruct or upgrade a park or playground</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to install an irrigation system to the planted area in Seravalli Playground.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p> <p>Location Site Name: Seravalli Playground Address: Gansevoort Street, Manhattan, Ne</p>	<p>Department of Parks and Recreation funds are insufficient for this project. We recommend this project be brought to the attention of your elected officials, i.e. Borough President and/or City Council member.</p>
19	302202119C	<p>Request: Reconstruct or upgrade a park or playground</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for Horatio Greenstreet wall (at West 4th and 8th Avenue) to have the wall removed and have the garden match the design of the one on the east side of 8th Avenue and Jane Street</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p> <p>Location Site Name: Horatio Greenstreet</p>	<p>Department of Parks and Recreation funds are insufficient for this project. We recommend this project be brought to the attention of your elected officials, i.e. Borough President and/or City Council member.</p>

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20	302202120C	<p>Request: Reconstruct or upgrade a parks facility</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for the update and renovation of Minetta Playground. This very popular playground has become worn down over the years and suffers from an ongoing rat infestation problem.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p> <p>Location Site Name: Minetta Playground</p>	<p>Department of Parks and Recreation funds are insufficient for this project. We recommend this project be brought to the attention of your elected officials, i.e. Borough President and/or City Council member.</p>
CS	302202121C	<p>Request: Improve traffic and pedestrian safety, including traffic calming (Capital)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for traffic safety measures, such as road markings and Stop signs, on Bedford St. between 6th Ave. (Ave. of the Americas) and Carmine St. Speeding vehicles, sharp curves and varied lane sizes with abrupt turns and changes, an unusually wide entrance from 6th Ave., obscured sight lines (in particular at Downing St.), insufficient signage and markings make Bedford St. exceptionally hazardous for the many pedestrians using these neighborhood streets as well as for motorists.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>	<p>Work on this project/program has either been completed or will be finished in FY 2020.</p>

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CS	302202122C	<p>Request: Improve traffic and pedestrian safety, including traffic calming (Capital)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for parking and intersection alignment improvements, including sidewalk extensions, high visibility crosswalks and signalization changes on Greenwich Ave. from Bank St. to W. 12th St. and on W. 12th St. from Greenwich Ave. to the midblock entrance of the new AIDS Memorial Park at St. Vincent's Triangle. Broad, oddly angled intersections, long, badly marked crosswalks (or</p> <p>none), shortage of traffic controls and wide street beds endanger the increasing number of pedestrians crossing on Greenwich Ave. between W. 11th and W. 12th Sts. and on W. 12th St. between Greenwich and 7th Aves., heading to the new park, the AIDS memorial, the subway and to school, particularly hazardous at Bank St. and at the intersection of Greenwich Ave. and W. 12th St.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p> <p>Supported by: Hudson Square BID</p>	Work on this project/program has either been completed or will be finished in FY 2020.
CS	302202123C	<p>Request: Improve traffic and pedestrian safety, including traffic calming (Capital)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to extend the corner sidewalk extension on West St, at the northeast corner of Houston and West Sts., to widen the median on West St. at Houston, and change the traffic light signal to phasing. Numerous cars and trucks turn right rapidly from Houston St. onto West St. going north, while vehicles turn east from West onto Houston, all at the same time pedestrians are crossing West St., endangered by the fast-turning traffic and often getting stuck in the narrow West St. median. A separate green light phase for pedestrians and shortened crossings are needed to safeguard the many people traversing West St. to Pier 40 and the Hudson River Park. NYC DOT is urged to work together with NYS DOT on signalization and geometric improvements.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>	Work on this project/program has either been completed or will be finished in FY 2020.

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CS	302202124C	<p>Request: Improve traffic and pedestrian safety, including traffic calming (Capital)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to study and institute safety improvements at 7th Ave. S., Carmine, Varick and Clarkson Sts. intersection, including neckdowns, traffic signal changes and repositioning, daylighting, lane reconfiguration, and other geometric improvements. Excessively long pedestrian crossings, poor visibility, motorists driving on the sidewalk, gridlock, blocked crosswalks, hazardous turning movements, intermittent speeding, irregularly angled design and chaotic Holland Tunnel-bound traffic create exceptionally dangerous conditions for the many pedestrians (residential, working, tourists/seniors and children) using this area. A promised improvement plan presentation is awaited.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p> <p>Location Address: 7th Avenue South Cross Street 1: Carmine Street Cross Street 2: Clarkson Street</p>	<p>Work on this project/program has either been completed or will be finished in FY 2020.</p>
CS	302202125C	<p>Request: Improve traffic and pedestrian safety, including traffic calming (Capital)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for the concrete widening of the subway triangle on 7th Ave. S. between Grove and Christopher Streets and on Grove St. between W. 4th St and 7th Ave. S. Different turning and traffic patterns call for safer pedestrian crossings, while the new bicycle path configuration on 7th Ave. S. has introduced a dangerous conflict for people coming from the subway who expect they can head for the 7th Ave. S. pedestrian island to cross the street, not realizing their vulnerability to bikes. The Grove St. curb edge doesn't align with the southern tip of the 7th Ave. S. island, allowing for a curbside No Parking lane leading directly into the island's protruding southern edge, particularly dangerous for both drivers and pedestrians in the snow with no visibility to avoid the island edge.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p> <p>Location Site Name: Christopher Street Station Triangle</p>	<p>Further study by the agency of this request is needed.</p>

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01	302202101E	<p>Request: Allocate funds for outreach services to homebound older adults and for programs that allow the elderly to age in place</p> <p>Explanation: These programs result in happier and healthier seniors, as well as save hospital and nursing home costs. Current cuts have short-changed the needs of our elderly. Reorganization and strategic prioritizing of city/state/federal agencies may be needed.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department for the Aging</p> <p>Supported by: Visiting Neighbors</p>	<p>DFTA is aware of the growing aging population and continues to fund programs in this CD, as well as advocate for increased Federal, State, and City funding to enable seniors to remain independent, and to support homebound frail seniors and their caregivers. When funding is available, we are required to conduct an open competition.</p>
02	302202102E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to hire additional DCA inspectors to work nights and weekends to conduct enforcement and compliance of sidewalk café regulations. A major weakness in the enforcement of the sidewalk cafe rules by the Department of Consumer Affairs is the lack of inspectors working regular shifts on the weekends and at night when many violations occur. These are peak sidewalk cafe times and it is imperative that DCA has inspectors in the field at these times. Many of the complaints we receive regarding sidewalk cafes pertain to illegal activity at these times.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Consumer Affairs</p>	<p>The agency will accommodate this issue within existing resources.</p>
03	302202103E	<p>Request: Other programs to address public health issues requests</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to provide outreach and treatment that targets individuals who are using drugs on NYC streets. We support the work of Greenwich House as our local provider of needed substance abuse treatment to New Yorkers within our district and without. However, we also support DOHMH initiating an outreach program that targets individuals openly using drugs on public streets, so they can get the help they need.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Health and Mental Hygiene</p>	<p>DOHMH funds a variety of services related to mental health, alcohol, drug abuse, and depression. We will review and assess the request for additional programming, which would be contingent upon available resources.</p>

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04	302202104E	<p>Request: Expand street outreach</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate additional funds for outreach and for improved access to existing services for our homeless population. While we recognize the difficulty in encouraging street homeless to accept shelter and services, we also know that the more engagement there is with providers, the more successful their efforts are likely to be. Strong funding is necessary to maintain a robust presence of outreach workers in our district.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Homeless Services</p>	<p>The Agency continually works with Provider organizations to enhance services that are working successfully. Identifying best practices and expanding those services are a ideal.</p>
05	302202105E	<p>Request: Provide more on-street trash cans and recycling containers</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for the placement of additional litter baskets and for additional basket service. Too often, corner litter baskets in pedestrian heavy areas of CD2 are overflowing with debris. We are requesting additional resources be allocated to remedy this situation.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Sanitation</p>	<p>This is not a budget request. The matter in question is an issue of service delivery and/or agency policy. Contact the Department of Sanitation to determine how best to resolve this issue.</p>
06	302202106E	<p>Request: Other community board facilities and staff requests</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate additional funding to community boards by baselining the extra allocations that the City Council has approved for community boards in the past two fiscal years. In order to facilitate stability and long-term planning, it would be helpful to baseline the money that the City Council has allocated to community boards the past two years.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Mayor's Office of Management and Budget</p>	<p>The Community Boards received funding from the City Council in FY20. The City Council will make a decision on whether to reallocate funding for FY21.</p>

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07	302202107E	<p>Request: Improve traffic and pedestrian safety, including traffic calming (Expense)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for traffic safety improvements at Cooper Sq. Plaza crossing (4th Ave. to Bowery at E. 6th St.) including speed humps, signage, signalization changes. The roadway winding around and through Cooper Sq. Plaza bet 4th Avenue at E. 7th St. and the Bowery at E. 6th St. presents numerous crossing hazards to pedestrians and potential vehicular conflicts, such as buses, taxis, livery vehicles, trucks and private cars entering from the Bowery at excessive speeds, obstruction of drivers' visibility at the 4th Ave. bend in the roadway, lack of coordinated traffic light signals at the Bowery with a constant "Walk" light misleading pedestrians, and pedestrians crossing every which way, for lack of information on where to cross.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>	Further study by the agency of this request is needed.
08	302202108E	<p>Request: Provide more funds for teaching resources such as classroom material</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for a washing machine and dryer to give students access at MS 297 and City-as-School High School. Because students who lack access to laundry facilities tend to have higher absentee rates, CB 2 supports funding the installation of washers and dryers at schools that serve students in temporary or transitional housing.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Education</p>	Funding for this type of program is decided at the local level. Contact the Borough Field Support Centers (BFSCs) for the school.

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09	302202109E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to enable the Street Activity Permit Office (SAPO) to conduct a study on the effects that full street closures for commercial events have on neighboring businesses and residents. Community Board 2 remains disturbed by the endless proliferation of promotional and commercial events, some permitted and some not, which are occurring regularly in SoHo and, to a lesser extent, in NoHo. These events clog sidewalks and streets and often result in chaotic street scenes costing the City money and resources as it struggles to bring order to the mayhem. Residents are inconvenienced and neighboring businesses are hurt as temporary pop-up shops commandeer the sidewalks, close streets and often blast music that illegally impacts the quality of life of the neighbors.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Citywide Event Coordination and Management</p>	The agency will try to accommodate this issue within existing resources.
10	302202110E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to hire additional Landmarks enforcement officers and staff to survey landmark districts to identify properties that have been altered without review and permission of the Commission and the processing of notices of violation in a timely manner. Changes without certificates of appropriateness are frequent. The board, the landmarks committee, and the residents of the neighborhood are vigilant in documenting work in progress without permission. The Commission does not have staff who survey the districts for violations of this type. They only respond to complaints.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Landmarks Preservation Commission</p>	The agency will accommodate this issue within existing resources.

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11	302202111E	<p>Request: Improve traffic and pedestrian safety, including traffic calming (Expense)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to reduce speeding and directional impacts at the pedestrian crossing on the east side of W. 8th St. at 6th Ave. and at the intersection of W, 8th St., 6th and Greenwich Aves. We propose considering solutions such as installation of a traffic diverter on the northern lane of Greenwich Ave. at 6th Ave. and/or continuing the 6th Ave. protected bike lane south with an extended median. The exceptionally wide open and irregularly angled intersection creates confusion, causes turning conflicts, facilitates speeding and hinders visibility, putting pedestrians in grave danger, exemplified by the recent horrific pedestrian fatality.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>	<p>Further study by the agency of this request is needed.</p>
12	302202112E	<p>Request: Other educational programs requests</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for curriculum development and teacher training for Culturally Responsive Sustaining Education in our district's public schools. CB 2 supports funding for curriculum development and teacher training for CB 2 areas schools for Culturally Responsive Sustaining Education in alignment with the Culturally Responsive - Sustaining Education (CR-SE) Framework that the NYS Education Department issued in March 2019 and the definition of Culturally Responsive - Sustaining Education (CR-SE) that the DOE approved in July 2019.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Education</p>	<p>The agency recommends funding this expense budget request in FY 2021, but at this time the availability of funds is uncertain.</p>

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13	302202113E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to enable the Street Activity Permit Office (SAPO) to conduct enforcement and compliance of street activity permits. There has been an explosion in the number of street events receiving permits from SAPO or operating illegally without required permits. The local precincts have not been able to keep up with the proliferation of these events nor do they always have the requisite familiarity with what is permitted. SAPO needs funding to hire additional staff dedicated to monitoring these street events and noting violations when they occur.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Citywide Event Coordination and Management</p>	<p>The agency will try to accommodate this issue within existing resources.</p>
14	302202114E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to enable the Mayor's Office of Media and Entertainment (MOME) to conduct enforcement and compliance of film and television permits. As the number of film shoots in CD2 continues to proliferate, as does the number of complaints we receive from our residents and businesses. We feel strongly that MOME needs to have enforcement staff that tracks film shoots in real time and proactively to ensure that all permits are being adhered to.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Mayor's Office of Media and Entertainment</p>	<p>The agency recommends funding this expense budget request in FY 2021, but at this time the availability of funds is uncertain.</p>
15	302202115E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for the DSNY to study the quantity and condition of trash containers, evaluate pick-up schedules and adjust them as necessary, and improve trash removal by providing more frequent litter basket collection.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Sanitation</p>	<p>Although the Department of Sanitation supports this program, due to fiscal constraints the availability of funds is uncertain.</p>

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16	302202116E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for effective rat control throughout Community District 2 parks. Despite efforts by the Department of Parks and Recreation to address the problem of rat infestation, the CB2 office constantly receives complaints about rats in Washington Square Park and the parks along Avenue of the Americas (Minetta Triangle, Minetta Playground, and Golden Swan). We are requesting additional resources targeting it and note that special focus should be paid to rat burrows and tunneling in and around trees because such damage to the root base is causing trees to lean and eventually damaged trees have to be removed because of the hazard of them falling.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p>	<p>The agency will try to accommodate this issue within existing resources.</p>
17	302202117E	<p>Request: Improve traffic and pedestrian safety, including traffic calming (Expense)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for traffic safety improvements at the intersection of Waverly Pl., Christopher and Grove Sts. (Stonewall Natl Monument area), including neckdowns, sidewalk extensions, daylighting, stop signs, improved directional signage. Lack of visibility, wide crossings, illegal parking, and pedestrians crossing in multiple paths create danger and confusion for both pedestrians and drivers at this complex, irregular intersection. This area now encompasses the Stonewall National Monument, attracting increased crowds, pedestrian activity, tour buses and other vehicular movement, calling for swift attention to improving safety here.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>	<p>Further study by the agency of this request is needed.</p>

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18	302202118E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds from DFTA to implement suggested improvements recommended by the NYC Comptroller to address problems related to retroactive contracts. One threat to social service agencies is the pace of the City's fulfillment of city contracts. Social services providers are compelled to advance funding to provide services, while the City takes as long as a year to reimburse these expenses. This provides cash flow problems for our providers, increasing the cost of debt service produced by credit lines, and threatening the very existence of providers working at small-scale. We urge the City to improve procurement systems to shorten the time required to register contracts.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department for the Aging</p>	DFTA continues to advocate for seniors and senior related issues on all levels.
19	302202119E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate additional funds from DFTA to cover overhead reimbursements for Greenwich House. Greenwich House works mostly under the constraint of government contracts, which can be inflexible, byzantine in their stipulations, and out-of-step with current costs. The result is that Greenwich House's programs are unable to provide all that our curious, artistic, intellectually vibrant seniors desire. Contract reimbursements have also failed to compensate for inflation, placing increased strain on Greenwich House's budget.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department for the Aging</p> <p>Location Site Name: Greenwich House</p>	DFTA continues to advocate for seniors and senior related issues on all levels.
20	302202120E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to increase staffing levels so the Department of Buildings can monitor approved projects during and after construction to ensure that the work conforms to the approved applications</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Buildings</p>	This project was funded in a prior fiscal year and the scope is now underway.

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21	302202121E	<p>Request: Other expense traffic improvements requests</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate more resources for speed hump inspections and installation. CB2 receives many requests for speed humps, but because of lack of DOT resources, they typically take 2 or more years to install. Sufficient resources are needed to gather the data to address this need and secure proper and timely installation, including assemblage, signage, and markings so that community needs are met more speedily.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>	<p>This request is not recommended for funding.</p>
22	302202122E	<p>Request: Other expense traffic improvements requests</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to install speed humps on Jane St. between Greenwich and 8th Aves., on Spring St. bet Mott and Elizabeth Sts, and on Perry St. bet. W. 4th St. and 7th Ave. S. Excessive speeding by automobiles, taxis and trucks with many close and hazardous calls threatens the safety of pedestrians crossing the street, including many children on their way to school and call for speed humps to slow down the dangerous traffic.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>	<p>This request is not recommended for funding.</p>
23	302202123E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to DOE for teacher training and reading and writing curricula that use the Orton-Gillingham approach. CB 2 supports funding for comprehensive early screening, curriculum, teacher training, programs and schools to support and teach children with dyslexia and language-based learning disabilities using research-based screeners and programs that use the Orton-Gillingham approach.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Education</p>	<p>Funding for this type of program is decided at the local level. Contact the Borough Field Support Centers (BFSCs) for the school.</p>

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24	302202124E	<p>Request: Other educational programs requests</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate and baseline additional funds for increased arts education, faculty and classrooms in our district's public schools based on the CPI. Two recent studies, one by the NYC Comptroller ("State of the Arts") and the other by the Manhattan Borough President ("ArtsForward"), identified deficiencies in arts programs in public schools. While some funds were allocated in FY 2015, we ask the City to baseline that and provide additional funding to hire more dedicated arts faculty and provide adequate infrastructure for arts education.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Education</p>	<p>Further study by the agency of this request is needed.</p>
25	302202125E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to the Health & Hospitals Corporation for a follow-up Community Health Assessment to examine the success of the Lenox Hill Greenwich Village stand-alone emergency department model to understand the impact of the hospital's closing; and to survey the general experience of accessing medical services.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Health and Hospitals Corporation</p>	<p>The agency will accommodate this issue within existing resources.</p>
26	302202126E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funding from the Parks Department for the Washington Square Conservancy Community Arts Grant program.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p>	<p>Parks Department funds are insufficient for this purpose. We recommend this request be brought to the attention of your Council Members.</p>

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27	302202127E	<p>Request: Improve traffic and pedestrian safety, including traffic calming (Expense)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to reduce pedestrian/vehicular conflicts at the southwest side of Christopher St. and Greenwich Ave. Pedestrians crossing Christopher St. are endangered by swift-turning motor vehicles from Greenwich Ave., confusing traffic signalization, and obscured visibility. Traffic signal modifications, such as split phase with a dedicated green pedestrian light or a flashing arrow with delayed left turn, and daylighting at the Greenwich Ave. s.w. corner are needed.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>	<p>Further study by the agency of this request is needed.</p>
28	302202128E	<p>Request: Improve the quality/staffing of existing programs offered in parks or recreational centers</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for staffing of gates and expanded hours at Jefferson Market Garden. This garden is one of the truly special gems in CD2. The City should increase funding to it so its hours can be increased and the garden can be enjoyed by more residents in our district.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p>	<p>The agency recommends funding this expense budget request in FY 2021, but at this time the availability of funds is uncertain.</p>
29	302202129E	<p>Request: Improve the quality of programs offered in parks or recreational centers</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funding for Washington Square Association Music Fund. The Washington square Park Music Festival has become a popular and beloved annual event. The Parks Department should allocate additional funding to ensure that it continues to enhance the Washington Square Park experience.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p>	<p>Parks Department funds are insufficient for this purpose. We recommend this request be brought to the attention of your Council Members.</p>

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30	302202130E	<p>Request: Improve traffic and pedestrian safety, including traffic calming (Expense)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to install split phase signalization, and bulb out plus daylight the northeast corner of West 13th St. and Greenwich Ave. Speeding vehicles come west on 13th St. and turn north onto Greenwich Ave. at the same time pedestrians are crossing Greenwich there; the vehicles lack visibility of both pedestrians (who have the Walk signal) and the Walk signal itself, while also advancing continuously without slowing down, enabled to speed through because the turning radius is exceptionally wide, closer to 180 degrees than a true corner turning curve, seriously endangering pedestrians.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>	Further study by the agency of this request is needed.
31	302202131E	<p>Request: Enhance park safety through design interventions, e.g. better lighting (Expense)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for replace the fence at the Time Landscape and re-think the area completely. The fence surrounding this space is easily transgressed and intruders frequently do so.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p>	Department of Parks and Recreation funds are insufficient for this project. We recommend this project be brought to the attention of your elected officials, i.e. Borough President and/or City Council member.
32	302202132E	<p>Request: Improve traffic and pedestrian safety, including traffic calming (Expense)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to conduct a study of the blocks with and/or impacted by design changes related to dangerous traffic conditions on Jane St. btw. Greenwich and 8th Aves. and at the W. 13th St./Greenwich Ave./Horatio St. intersection, including Jane btw. Greenwich and 8th Aves., Greenwich btw. 8th Ave. & Jane, Horatio btw. W. 4th St. and 8th Ave. and W. 13th approaching Greenwich Ave./Horatio St. Recent design, operational and regulatory changes related to increasing pedestrian safety at the Mobil gas station at Horatio St. and 8th Ave. have led to westbound traffic from W. 13th St. having to turn either north or south on Greenwich Ave. resulting in unforeseen increases in vehicular activity and speeding on Greenwich btw. W. 13th and W. 14th Sts. and on Jane St. btw. Greenwich and 8th Aves.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>	Further study by the agency of this request is needed.

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33	302202133E	<p>Request: Improve trash removal and cleanliness</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds for more frequent trash removal, and/or for larger-capacity, sanitary, trash bins in Parks.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p>	<p>Parks Department funds are insufficient for this purpose. We recommend this request be brought to the attention of your Council Members.</p>
34	302202134E	<p>Request: Provide new traffic or pedestrian signals</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to install louvers on traffic light at Carmine Street on Bedford Street. A traffic light at Carmine St. on Bedford St. which is one block ahead of a hazardous crossing at Downing St. exacerbates the danger crossing Downing as drivers surge past it to catch the Carmine green light. Louvers on the Carmine traffic light would obscure the green signal, eliminating the impetus for drivers to speed up past Downing St.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p> <p>Supported by: Friends of Elizabeth Street Garden</p>	<p>The agency will try to accommodate this issue within existing resources.</p>
35	302202135E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate additional funding from DYCD to The Door so it can continue and more effectively deliver services to its target population. Thousands of LGBTQ youth find our neighborhood more accepting than most, and many need help with HIV and other problems that they are unable or unwilling to secure in their home neighborhoods. In addition, educational and vocational needs are often unmet, resulting in hostility and distress among the youth as well as our residents. Increased support for groups that help these youth is needed. Family Therapy Intervention Pilot.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Youth & Community Development</p>	<p>DYCD has increased funding in this service area.</p>

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36	302202136E	<p>Request: Provide more athletic programming (i.e. league, aquatic)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to increase the number of Learn to Swim programs. Learn to Swim offerings for young children especially are very limited in the neighborhood and would be very popular if offered in a heated and indoor pool at Vesuvio. EVERYONE NEEDS TO KNOW HOW TO SWIM!</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p>	<p>The agency recommends funding this expense budget request in FY 2021, but at this time the availability of funds is uncertain.</p>
37	302202137E	<p>Request: Other cultural facilities and resources requests (Expense)</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to increase arts and cultural programs for CB2M community centers, such as Greenwich House, the LGBT Community Center, Center on the Square Neighborhood Senior Center and Our Lady of Pompeii Senior Center.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Cultural Affairs</p>	<p>Funding was approved by the Department of Cultural Affairs for FY 2021.</p>
38	302202138E	<p>Request: Plant new street trees</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to plant new street trees throughout Community District 2 and to examine and assess all tree guards. Trees are very important to the quality of life along our heavily trafficked streets. Many trees have died over the years and have not been replaced. This causes trip hazards to pedestrians and creates an unmanaged appearance. Property owners eventually remove the pits causing the loss of a valuable tree location and an additional cost to the City when the tree is replanted. Regarding tree guards, inconsistent upkeep has also led to dangerous led to dangerous situations for pedestrians and abuse of the trees.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p>	<p>The agency will try to accommodate this issue within existing resources.</p>

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39	302202139E	<p>Request: Conduct traffic or parking studies</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds to conduct a study on the potential for installing a greenway on University Pl. from 14th St. to W. 4th St. where it would connect with Washington Sq. Park. University Pl. has been converted into a shared street btw. 13th and 14th streets and its direction reversed there, resulting in reduced vehicular traffic on University, which already is a quiet street oriented to community life. A greenway from 14th St. to Washington Sq. Park would create a calm, safe, comfortable and attractive neighborhood environment that further enhances the street's use and enjoyment.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>	Further study by the agency of this request is needed.
40	302202140E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate increased funding from Small Business Services for Hudson Square BID's new public art initiative Hudson Square Canvas and Village Alliance's public art commissions.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Small Business Services</p>	Sponsor group should apply to SBS through the funding process. Please visit nyc.gov/SBS for more information.
41	302202141E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds from the Parks Department for a re-imagining of the Playground of the Americas. This often overlooked and underused playground needs a redesign to make it more attractive to the children in Community District 2.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p>	Further study by the agency of this request is needed.
42	302202142E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds from the Parks department to add benches at Minetta Triangle Park.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p>	This request is not recommended for funding.

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43	302202143E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds from the Parks Department to add benches at Golden Swan Park.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Parks and Recreation</p>	<p>This request is not recommended for funding.</p>
44	302202144E	<p>Request: Other expense budget request</p> <p>Explanation: Allocate funds from DOT to install 3-hour metered commercial parking on Crosby St. btw. Spring and Prince Sts.</p> <p>Responsible Agency: Department of Transportation</p>	<p>The agency will try to accommodate this issue within existing resources.</p>