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## Environment, Open Space, & Parks Committee

Thursday, May 2, 2018, 6:30 p.m.

Board Office

### \*\*\* Minutes \*\*\*

Present: David Giordano, Jada Heredia, Frances Mastrota, Malik McCullough, Jeffrey Monteiro, Ryan Sheffield (Chair), Russel Shuler (Public Member) Thomas Herrera (Asst. District Manager)

Guests: Caitlin Forney, Shena Kaufman (Parks), Chris O'Brien, Sari Chang

1. Call to Order – Adoption of the Agenda

The meeting was called to order by Jeffrey Monteiro at 6:37pm.

2. Announcements
3. Presentations & Discussions

- a. Friends of the Esplanade to give an update on the grant award and placement of a bait station in the vicinity of the 107<sup>th</sup> Street Pier

Sari Chang gave an update on the proposed temporary art project, known as the Bait Station Project a practical installation project and necessary amenity for the fishermen that line the edges of the East River day and night during the fishing seasons. The project will also serve as a catalyst for activating the neglected stretch of the river. Current proposed placement for the bait station is the East Harlem section of the Esplanade at 100<sup>th</sup> Street.

4. New Business

- a. NYJL partnership and volunteer project in Thomas Jefferson Park

EOsP committee will be partnering with the NYJL on Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup> to clean and renovate portions of Thomas Jefferson Park. A ribbon cutting ceremony will take place on Saturday, June 1<sup>st</sup> at 11:00am and all are welcome.

5. Old Business

6. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 7:40pm.