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Public Safety & Transportation Committee

Tuesday, October 2, 2018, 6:30 p.m.

Bonifacio Senior Center, 7 East 116th Street

*** MINUTES ***

Present: Jarquay Abdullah, Yolanda Brown, Diane Collier, Judith Febbraro, Amie Kiros-Petrucci, Marissa Mack, Robert Perkins, Dawn Sanders, Jonathan Winstone

Absent: Mahfuzur Rahman

Excused: Jose Altamirano, Jeffrey Monteiro

Guests: Lyle Blackwood (DOT); Christina Gould (ABC); Chrissy Zaccaro (ABC); Russel Shuler (YES Inc.); James Ratti; Phil Kelly; Ann Marie Vasquez

1. Call to Order – Adoption of Agenda

A motion to adopt the agenda was made by Yolonda Brown and was seconded by Judith Feberro. Motion passed unanimously.

2. Informational updates

- a. NYPD- 25th Precinct reported their 28-day numbers for the month in comparison to last year. The numbers are as follows: No murders for this month compared to none last year; 3 rapes compared to 1 for this month last year; 23 robberies compared to 18 this month last year; 29 felony assaults compared to 30 this month last year; 9 burglaries compared to 5 this month last year; 92 grand larcenies compared to 75 this month last year; 2 G.L.A's compared to 5 this month last year
- b. MTA Police-Reported of the deployment of plain clothes officers to help combat the aggressive panhandling and illegal activities on the platform of the 125th Street Metro North Station. It was also reported that the MTA police is in communication with the NYPD as they coordinate to eliminate these activities.

- c. DOT-Reported on the completion of most of the street paving operations in upper Manhattan and will be reporting back on clarity for the signage change proposal brought before the committee the previous month.

3. Presentations & Discussions

- a. Association to Benefit Children (ABC)
Staff from the Association to Benefit Children (ABC) came to seek support from the committee on having two parking spaces set apart for school hours for loading and unloading of their students, whom are special needs. The committee was favorable to the usage of the two parking spaces by the school. They will be returning next month, where the committee will weigh in and take a vote to either support or disapprove.

4. Old Business

- a. Continuing discussion East Harlem Rezoning Points of Agreement

No discussion on the East Harlem Points of Agreement.

- b. Continuing discussion on Capital and Expense Budget Requests

No discussion on the budget.

5. New Business

6. Adjournment

A motion to adjourn was made by Judith Febbraro and seconded by Amy Kiros-Petrucci. Motion passed unanimously.