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Nilsa Orama Chair

Angel D. Mescain District Manager

May 21, 2019

Elvin Adames Branch Manager Popular Bank 164 East 116th Street New York, NY 10029

RE: Support for Banking Development District

Dear Mr. Adames,

Thank you very much for your presentation to Community Board 11's Economic Development and Culture Committee on May 14, 2019. Community Board 11 is pleased to offer its support for Popular Bank's application to the New York State Department of Financial Services to designate a Banking Development District within Manhattan Community District 11.

We look forward to working with you to ensure that East Harlem residents are benefiting from the banking resources Popular Bank will continue to make available to our community.

If you have any questions, please contact our District Manager, Angel Mescain at 212-831-8929.

Sincerely,

Nilsa Orama

Chair

cc: Hon. Diana Ayala, New York City Council (via email)

Hon. Gale A. Brewer, Manhattan Borough President (via email)

Hon. Jose M. Serrano, New York State Senate (via email)

Hon. Robert J. Rodriguez, New York State Assembly (via email)

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