



Chairman Brandon Ganaishlal - District Manager William Rivera

Social Services Committee Summary

January 7, 2020 - 7PM

Board Members Present: Committee Chair Daniel Porro, Vice Chair Doralina Colon, Sarwar Jahan, Sharyn Brown, Victor Cordero & DM William Rivera.

Meeting Start Time: 7:05PM

- **Speakers/Presentations**

A. Empowering Marginalized Woman & Girls

Presenter: Mystique Chiles, Empowering Marginalized Women & Girls (EMWG) emwgonline.com

***Mission Statement:** "EMWG is a startup non-for-profit corporation that was founded by women, is designed for women and will be operated by women. Our mission is to improve outcomes, prevent trauma and aid Bronx women and teens who are overcoming trauma by: A) engaging them in wellness workshops and activities. B) provide supportive services such as, case management and groups. C) provide educational and vocational services."*

Ms. Chiles informed the committee of the services provided by EMWG. The committee and Ms. Chiles discussed questions and answers. The committee believes their mission is important and encouraged Mr. Williams to promote her organization throughout The Bronx. The DM will add their flyer attached to the CB9 Bulletin, social media and encouraged Ms. Chiles to speak at one of our General Board meetings.

- **DM Report:** District Manager (DM) William Rivera informed committee of the NYC TLC disability requirements for hire taxis, State FHEPS Rental Assistance Supplements, HOPE 2020 Survey, DHMH District resources Statement, SSA Newsletter and new commissioner press release.

- **New Business**

- DM informed the committee that the providers for the proposed shelter at 1144 Evergreen Ave. would like attend our FEB Social Services Committee. To accommodate the next meeting is Feb 11, 2010.
- Mr. Jose M. Pena introduced himself to committee and discussed Primerica & Spot On Baseball program.
- Mr. Moses McBride introduced himself to committee and discussed services at Phipps Neighborhoods.

Meeting Adjourned: 7:45 PM.

Minutes drafted by CB9 Office Staff

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