



Chairman Brandon Ganaishlal - District Manager William Rivera

Social Services Committee Meeting Summary September 6, 2022

Board Members Present: Daniel Porro, Md Alauddin, Sharyn Brown, Sarwar Jahan, James Tynan, Miriam Sanchez, Julia Quinones Jr., Monique Farrington, Robbin Kelly, Brent Woodie,

Committee Description: The social service & housing committee represents the community's interests with regards to social services including senior services, disability, veterans and housing concerns and acts as a liaison between community members and the NYC Human Resources Administration, Department of Homeless Services, Department of Aging, New York City Housing Authority, and the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. The Disability Sub-Committee is under this committee.

I. Meeting Discussion/Announcements

- A. BM Daniel Porro asked for an update on agencies that he requested to speak at the Social Services committee meeting. DM Rivera stated that all requested agencies have been reached out to via email
- B. BM Daniel Porro stated that speakers that came to previous meetings give their information and when he reaches out there's no answer. DM Rivera advised Mr. Porro to send more information with the agencies that are not answering so CB9 can contact the agencies leadership.
- C. BM Daniel Porro requested for HPD and MOPD to be contacted to present at the Social Services Committee
- D. BM Daniel inquired about getting bus maps for the district, an email was sent out to MTA regarding this request
- E. BM Daniel Porro wants to possibly get someone from the 311 system to present at a meeting. DM Rivera states that CB9 will reach out and try to see if they can come to a General Board meeting
- F. BM James Tynan stated that the disability pride parade will be on October 2nd
- G. BM Daniel stated that the Bronx Borough President does "Ask the Borough President", on Bronx 12 at the end of the month. Mr. Porro stated to submit any questions for the BP.
- H. BM Daniel Porro requested a day of action for families who live in poverty

II. DM Report

- A. The District Needs Report and Budget priorities are submitted annually around this time of year and encompasses all aspects of government with CB9 recommendations. CB9 involves community board members via a survey that lists district priorities. The form is easy to fill and collectively as a Board these are reflected on the District Needs report. District Needs Survey Link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/52MG3JB>
- B. Senior Connected will be on September 16th, 10 am at ShopRite

Meeting Adjourned: 7:21pm

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