

Chairman Mohammed Mujumder - District Manager William Rivera

Social Services Committee Meeting Summary May 7, 2024

Board Members Present: Nellie Santiago-Rivera, Linda Soto, Daniel Porro, Md Alauddin, Sharyn Brown

I. Introduction

A. Committee Description: The social services committee represents the community's interests with regards to social services including senior services, disability, and veterans concerns and acts as a liaison between community members and the NYC Human Resources Administration, Department of Homeless Services, Department of Aging, and the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. The Seniors Connected Sub-Committee is under this committee.

II. New Business

A. PALS Pilot Announcement on May 2nd at 10AM at Uplift Families Residence in the Bronx Urban Resource Institute (URI) and the New York City Department of Homeless Services (DHS) have unveiled Uplift Families Residence, a groundbreaking transitional housing facility in CB9 that welcomes families experiencing homelessness along with their beloved pets.

B. June Agenda Items

NYC Department of Veterans' Services remains tentative to come to a potential future meeting Request for a 311 presentation and how the system works

C. BXCB9 Shredding Event

CB9 is attempting to schedule an upcoming Shredding Event for Seniors Connected potentially in June or September with DSNY and the Office of CM Amanda Farias. In order to accommodate available truck dates, upcoming Seniors Connected may need to be hosted on a different date than usual (third Friday of the month), however, if meeting date is changed, flyering with advance notice will be circulated.