

**Community Board 9
890 Nostrand Avenue
Brooklyn, New York 11225**

**Health and Social Services Committee Minutes
May 6, 2021**

Attendance

Francisca Leopold, Committee Chair
Melissa Severe , CB 9 Board Member; Committee Secretary
Nicolas Almonar, CB 9 Board Member
Desma Ross - CB 9 Board Member
Soul Creary - Soul 2 Soulz
Enid Dillard - One Brooklyn Health System
Litshay Alves
Darlene Nelson
Pamela Payne
Adele Flateau ,President of the Brooklyn Branch, National Assn of University Women-
Co-Chair of Health Committee
Sabrina J. Lewis - SCTPN; HHC Community Health Worker; Brooklyn NAACP, Health
Committee.
Facilitator, Rapha Art Life Center
Rashida Skyes - The Phoenix

Meeting started at 7:04PM and adjourned at approximately 7:52PM

Agenda

1. Updates

Chair Leopold - The June meeting of the Committee will focus on men's health, diabetes and obesity. Cooking During COVID series will resume in June. Thank you to Dr. Scarlett Ho of Kings County Hospital for this month's presentation on Mental Health.
Enid Dillard - OneBrooklyn will host a 5/10 community conversation on Kingsbrook changes.
Sabrina J. Lewis - This Juneteenth she will host Shine the Light on Sickle Cell outreach events.
Save the Date for 5/24 Brooklyn NAACP event.
Soul Creary - Soul 2 Soulz will host a Juneteenth event at Eastern Parkway and Franklin Avenue.

2. Open Discussion

The committee proposed a community yoga event for either June or July to encourage community and fitness.

- Open to everyone
- Possible dates: June 12th, June 16th, June 26th
- Possible partnership 1: Yoga session after the run/walk sessions hosted by Rashida S. of The Phoenix
- Possible partnership 2: Yoga session at the Juneteenth celebration hosted by Soul Creary of Soul 2 Soulz; CB 9 can also distribute masks at this event.