

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

**Environmental Protection Committee Meeting  
November 9, 2021**

**Committee Members Present**

Christian Loubeau, Committee Chair  
Theresa Westerdahl, Community Resident Member  
Matthew Burton, Community Resident Member  
Martina Victoria, Community Resident Member

**Committee Members Absent**

Vivia Morgan, CB9 Member  
Patricia Moses, CB9 Member  
Mary Rollerson-Blackett, CB9 Member  
Zachary Thacher, Community Resident Member

**Guests**

Nicolas Almonor, CB9 Parks Committee Chair  
Yuning Feng

**CB9 Staff**

Khalid Nixon, Community Assistant

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**Meeting Called to Order:** 7:10pm

**Motions Made:** None

There was no quorum. A vision and mission for the committee were proposed and refined. Four environmental initiatives for the upcoming seven months were proposed. As a next step, committee members Martina, Chris, and Matt were asked to report back with a road map, or at the very least more information, on how to achieve these initiatives. Chris offered to partner with any committee member to support their efforts. The four initiatives are as follows:

1. Spring Environmental Protection Fair including rain barrels giveaway event (DEP) and (DSNY) composting opportunity (**Theresa+Nicolas**)
2. Replacement of trash bins so that the bins are larger and better keep the trash (DSNY) (**Martina**)
3. Traffic enforcement and DSNY Broom sweep (**Chris**)
4. Planting of rain gardens (DEP) (**Matt**)

**Meeting Adjourned:** 8:32pm