

Brooklyn Community Board 9
890 Nostrand Avenue
Brooklyn, New York 11225
Economic Development Committee Meeting Minutes

April 8, 2024

Attendance (Board Members): Vanessa Raptopoulos, Jean Rene Mbeng Nguema

Attendance (Community Resident Members): Regina Clarke

Absent (Board Members): Max Coen

Absent (Community Resident Members): Allison Samuels, Kristin Thomas

Guests: Jolee Cobb, Lisa Etienne

CB9 Staff: Dante B. Arnwine, District Manager

- I. Welcome/Introduction**
 - a. Welcome subcommittee members and guest
- II. Discuss Business Owner Breakfast in May**
 - a. Flyers
 - i. Community Resident Allison Samuels has not us an updated flyer so we will table this for later in the meeting
 - b. Location
 - i. HasenStuble located at 1184 Nostrand Ave. Hasenstuble volunteered their restaurant/bar with hopes of continuing the partnership with the committee
 - ii. Bodega Lounge potential volunteer
 - c. Distribution Strategy
 - i. Map outline of the designated walking path for distributing flyers in the district
 - d. New date for Business Owners Breakfast
 - i. June 4th – will give committee members more time for preparation
 - e. Dante to Funding for event
 - i. Expenses under \$300
 - ii. ‘Friends of CB9’ to cover costs
 - f. Invites recipients for the event
 - i. All business owners in the district (not including schools)
- III. Action items**
 - a. Provide the District Manager Dante with a flyer by Friday, April 12, 2024, if Allison does not send the flyer to Committee Chair Vanessa Raptopoulos
 - b. 150 printed flyers- 5 people for Monday, April 15, 2024

IV. Voting items

a. Unanimous consent to bring the event to the executive committee meeting on April 16 to be proposed at the General Board Meeting on April 18th.

V. Adjournment

a. Meeting adjourned at 8:53 PM