

**Brooklyn Community Board 9**  
**890 Nostrand Avenue**  
**Brooklyn, New York 11225**  
**Youth and Education Committee Meeting Minutes**

April 9, 2024

**Attendance (Board Members):** Soul Creary, Committee Chair; Candace Edwards, Letwine Mavima, Linda Watson-Lorde, Twyla Ware

**Attendance (Community Resident Members):** Cynthia Rose, Pamela Payne

**Absent (Board Members):** N/A

**Absent (Committee Members):** John Beckles Jr., Anna Lerner

**Guests:** Catherine Buccello, Melissa Severe

**CB9 Staff:** Khalid J. Jemmott, Community Associate

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**1. Welcome**

- a. Meeting convened at 7:05 pm

**2. Review the last meeting minutes**

**3. Presentation from The Alliance for Quality Education**

- a. N/A

**4. Upcoming events**

- a. Community Clean up – April 27<sup>th</sup>

- i. Meetup will be at 10 am on Eastern Parkway and Franklin Avenue in front of Wise Deli
- ii. Team Captain for Franklin Avenue – Soul Creary
- iii. Team Captain for Bedford Avenue – Linda Watson-Lorde
- iv. Team Captain for Rogers Avenue – Letwine Mavina
- v. Team Captain for Nostrand Avenue – Cat B
- vi. The first 30 people to register for clean up will receive CB9 T-shirts
- vii. Registration deadline is April 26<sup>th</sup>
- viii. CB9 will be donating supplies for cleanup, brooms, dustpans, gloves, grabbers, promotional supplies, water, trash bags
- ix. Reach out to schools and churches for volunteers for assistance with cleanup at Medgar Evers College, Erasmus HS Boys & Girls, Elite Learners
- x. Linda will contact sanitation in regard to cleanup for garbage pickup areas
- xi. Reach out to McDonald's and Billy's Pizza for food donations
- xii. After a cleanup day, have a pizza party for youth who attended the cleanup

- xiii. The meeting point after cleanup will be Jackie Robinson Park
- xiv. Combine skating with the September event

**5. Adjournment**

- a. Meeting adjourned at 8:26 PM