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**ADVISORY: Civilian Complaint Review Board to Hold Public Board Meeting in Queens**

**New York, NY** – The Civilian Complaint Review Board (CCRB) will hold its monthly Board Meeting at the Jacob A. Riis Neighborhood Settlement House on **Thursday, September 12, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.**

Representatives from the agency will provide an overview of CCRB complaint data from Queens, including complaint rates by precinct and the impact of body-worn camera evidence on cases originating in Queens.

All New Yorkers are welcome to share their experiences with police-community relations and to discuss how the agency can best serve the people of New York. CCRB investigators will be present to receive complaints of police misconduct.

**WHO:** *Assembly Member Catherine Nolan, 37<sup>th</sup> Assembly District*  
*Council Member Rory Lancman, New York City Council District 24*  
*Shyism “Himo” Bryant, Violence Interruption Supervisor, 696 Build Queensbridge*  
*Ruben Gill, Operations Manager, United Sikhs*  
*Jon McFarlane, Organizer, Voices of Community Activists & Leaders (VOCAL-NY)*  
*Candace Prince-Modeste, President, Jamaica Branch NAACP*  
*Suga Ray, Host, The Suga Ray Show*  
*April Simpson, President, Queensbridge Houses Tenant Association*

*Speakers and participants still in formation*

**WHAT:** Public Board Meeting on Police-Community Relations in Queens

**WHEN:** Thursday, September 12, 2019 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

**WHERE:** Jacob A. Riis Neighborhood Settlement House  
10-25 41st Avenue  
Long Island City, NY 11101

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*The New York City Civilian Complaint Review Board (CCRB) is the largest police oversight entity in the nation and is empowered to investigate, mediate, prosecute, and recommend disciplinary action for complaints alleging misconduct by NYPD officers. See NYC Charter § 440(c)(1). The agency's jurisdiction includes excessive and unnecessary force, abuse of authority, discourtesy, and use of offensive language. To further this mission, CCRB issues monthly, biannual, and special statistical and qualitative reports analyzing trends and recurring issues arising from the many thousands of civilian complaints it receives each year.*