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Parks & Recreation Committee Meeting 1741 Colden Avenue Wednesday, January 2, 2019

MINUTES

PRESENT: Patricia Charles, Chair; Joseph Menta, Co-chair; Edith Blitzer; Kelly Murphy; and Andrea Siegel.

GUEST: Roxanne Delgado, Friends of Pelham Parkway.

The meeting began at 7:00 p.m.

- 1. Committee member roles were identified and discussion took place regarding the Pelham Parkway Reconstruction Project. The committee agreed to have a meeting with all of our elected officials to discuss our concerns about trees that may come down.
- 2. The cobblestones along Bronx Park at Lydig Avenue need to be secured with cement. The benches need to be restored because of splinters and missing slate tiles. Park signs for cyclists need to be replaced and others need to be installed.
- 3. The Committee is requesting a meeting with Bronx Parks Commissioner Rodriguez to discuss additional staff to assist with summer events and quality of life issues.
- The Pelham Parkway North lights also need to be revisited. The Board's budget requests should include this issue.
 A member of the public objected to this request.
- 5. The Committee agreed to visit other parks to observe the many issues in our district. The objective is to do a survey of what are the needs, their conditions and how to move forward throughout the year.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Minutes taken by Patricia Charles, formatted and edited by staff.

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