

Chairman Mohammed Mujumder - District Manager: William Rivera

## Parks & Recreation Committee Meeting Summary

November 8, 2023

**Board Members Present:** Abunoman Rahman, David Marin, Lena Johnson, Marie Davis, Daniel Porro

- I. Introduction
- A. Committee Description: The Parks and Recreation Committee represents the community's interests with regard to parks, park services and all park-related matters and acts as a liaison between parks users and the New York City Parks Department.
- II. New Business
- A. Soundview Recreation Center Planning Meeting Recap Online Comment Link- DM Rivera stated one of the biggest concerns is parking. https://www.nycgovparks.org/planning-and-building/capital-project-

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## **III.DM Report**

- A. District needs statement was submitted
- **B.** December committee meeting dates will be crunched, the holiday GB meeting will be at Jimmy's Café 2nd Floor on December 13<sup>th</sup>
- **C.** BM Daniel Porro talked about an incident that happened at a playground at Castle Hill. Mr. Porro stated that 911 was called and there's not an actual address for Parks. Mr. Porro stated that all the parks should have addresses. DM Rivera stated that the Parks Department is working on this and suggests giving the name of the park. DM Rivera stated that every park should have an address for 911/311 and he will follow-up on this.
- D. BM Lena Johnson sent an email regarding Noble Playground requesting Park sign to be posted: Park hours: Monday to Sunday: 7am to 7pm. Request for the Park to be opened and locked on time as it's rarely closed at night. Park sign: No Dogs in Playground area, Basketball Court and Ball field, dogs allowed on exterior of park. Park Signs posted to pick up after your dog and free bags for dog poop on gate. Treatment for rats' infestation and request for beehive in basketball court to be removed. DM Rivera stated that this email will be forwarded to the parks department.

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