



District Service Cabinet Summary

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Description: *The City Charter establishes a District Service Cabinet (DSC) in each community district, to be composed of agency officials responsible for local service delivery. The District Manager of the Community Board chairs the District Service Cabinet, whose members include representatives of the agencies that deliver local services to the Community District. The District Service Cabinet is the primary mechanism through which local service delivery issues can be raised, discussed, and resolved. If used effectively, the Cabinet can provide the basis for a comprehensive approach to service delivery within the community district.*

I. Service Requests

- A. DSNY - Mobile Food Vendors on Westchester Ave & WPR and Westchester Ave & Castle Hill**
Representative not present
- B. HPD - Mold Removal Resources**
Representative not present
- C. NYPD - Squatters in front of JHS 123 Campus**
NCOs are aware of this situation and taking steps to rectify. CB9 to send DSS detailed information on this for a collaborative effort.
- D. DOT - Follow-up on request to Extend Crosswalk time on Metropolitan Ave & Wood Rd**
Case is still with the unite, case number is DOT603397-V2J5

II. Agency Reports

- A. Josue Melendez, DFTA-** Next month there will be the annual plan summary hearing on October 12th at 990 Pelham Parkway South. Testimonies will be accepted until November 3rd for anyone that can't make it.
- B. Kenneth, DOHMH -** Receiving Covid vaccines this week and they will be available at pharmacies and primary care providers. Flu vaccines will also be available as well. If there are any concerns, it will be communicated to the public.
- C. Alina Mayors Office –** The Mayor has announced the comprehensive plan to combat car theft in NYC. The mayor has led a coalition of local governments, joining the legal fight to protect against domestic violence survivors. The Mayor, Governor Hochul and MTA have launched a campaign to stop subway surfing. Mayor announced text with Eric, this is a new initiative to communicate directly with the mayor. The Mayor and DOT commissioner are going to unveil an action plan with innovative tools to reimagine city curb space. The mayor has a new radio show 107.5.
- D. Trevon Blondet, Bronx DA-** Trevon is new to Bronx DA office and will be covering CB's 5,7, & 9. There will be a Reentry Employment Resource Fair on September 26 at Eastchester Gardens Community Center from 10am-2pm. The 6th annual 5K Run/Walk/Roll to end Domestic Violence will be Saturday, October 7 from 9:30am to

12:30pm. The event begins and ends on 161st between Grand Concourse and Walton Avenue.

- E. Scott, Red Cross- Please reach out to Scott with anything Red Cross related
- F. Chris Acosta, Parks –Join NYC Parks and Council Member Amanda Farias for a Skate Party at Watson Gleason Playground. Enjoy an afternoon of music, dancing, and skating. Skates will be provided while supplies last or, feel free to bring your own.
- G. Richard Velez, FDNY- Shared the fire stats for August
 - Kieara Solomon, NYCEM Emergency Management Share Your Space: <https://www.nyc.gov/site/em/ready/share-your-space-survey.page> Notify NYC: <https://a858-nycnotify.nyc.gov/Ready> NY Beat the Heat: Plan for Hazards - Extreme Heat - NYCEM Strengthening Communities: <https://www1.nyc.gov/site/em/ready/strengthening-communities.page> 2023 National Preparedness Month Toolkit: https://www.nyc.gov/site/em/ready/092022_npm_messaging_toolkit_lasting_legacy.page
 - Jocelyn DSS- DHS continues to stand up shelters and commercial sites to address everyday New Yorkers in homeless crisis, in addition to asylum seekers. Shared the DSS bulletin.
 - Rachel Zurita, Unionport Bridge
 - Work activities completed for Unionport Bridge in Summer 2023:**
 - Completed installation of steel at the south bascule span.
 - Placed concrete at the south bascule span and south deck over counterweight bridge deck.
 - Placed concrete and installed steel at the north bascule counterweight fill.
 - Placed concrete for the east approach island curb.
 - Installed fence posts at the south bascule span.
 - Placed permanent asphalt at the east approach (Brush Ave between Westbound & Eastbound Bruckner).
 - Upcoming work to be done for Unionport Bridge:**
 - Place permanent asphalt at the west approach of the bridge.
 - Continue installation of rebar and concrete placing for the east approach median parapet.
 - Continue installation of fender panels.
 - Continue installation of bridge railing at the south bascule span.
 - Continue installation of bridge railing at eastbound Bruckner Blvd & Zerega Ave.
 - Continue installation of bridge railing at westbound Bruckner Blvd & Zerega Ave.
 - Continue installation of steel at the north bascule span.
 - Continue installation of machinery at bascule pier and control house.

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