

## THE CITY OF NEW YORK BOROUGH OF THE BRONX COMMUNITY BOARD 7



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## TRAFFIC & TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MINUTES Monday, October 19<sup>th</sup>, 2009 @ 6:00 PM

- I) Re-naming of Southern Blvd: The Committee has received letters from Fordham University, New York Botanical Gardens and Rose Hill Housing requesting that Dr. Theodore Kazimiroff Boulevard be changed back to Southern Boulevard due to problems with Fire Department, EMS and postal organizations, etc. having problems locating the area.
  - A) Motion: CB7 supports the name change of Kazimiroff Blvd back to Southern Blvd. The Chair will take the motion to the next CB7 community meeting on October 20, 2009
- II) BX28 Bus Stop by Tracy Towers: A letter will be sent to DOT requesting a Bus Shelter at this location. Parks Department has removed the last dead tree.
- III) Support/sponsor car-free Sunday on the Concourse for June, July and August; talked about what companies, organizations, etc. could support the event. Chair will draft a letter. Mosholu Preservation Corporation expressed interest in supporting the event. Event cannot be on the same Sunday as a Yankee's game.
- IV) NYSDOT Project-MDE Bridge Reconstruction over the Mosholu Parkway: Nothing to report at this time
- V) University/Sedgwick Merchants request: Have not received a request for a sign change.
- VI) Mosholu Parkway update: nothing to report at this time. Request was made to have DOT check specific catch basins in the area.
- VII) Fordham Hill residents want to change Webb Ave (on Sedgwick Avenue) back to a two way street: This street change was original requested by Fordham Hill. DOT as part of their Safe Street for Senior Program on Fordham Road made the change for traffic as well as pedestrian safety. If there is a problem with the Fire Department making a turn into the Fordham Hill location and letter of support is provided, CB7 might be able to request parking changes on Webb Ave.