

BROOKLYN COMMUNITY BOARD 13

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New General and Committee Meeting Procedures

Effective July 3, 2023

As voted at the June 28, 2023, board meeting by a vote of 19 in favor; 16 opposed, 0 abstentions and 0 recusals

Open Meeting amended procedures provided by NYS Open Meeting Law Chapter 56 of the Laws of 2022, as set forth in this resolution to permit modified hybrid meetings.

- 1. Full board meetings will be held in person.
- 2. Committee and Ad Hoc meetings will be hybrid.
- 3. Hybrid meetings *may be held* with some members attending remotely, but a quorum of board members must attend in person.
- 4. The circumstances or conditions under which members will be permitted to participate from remote locations are as follows (circumstances should qualify as "extraordinary"):
 - (a) Unexpected disability, illness, caregiving responsibilities and weather conditions that prevent safe travel conditions for those with accessibility needs.
 - (b) Medical condition creating vulnerability to COVID, verified with a doctor's note.
- 5. Meeting procedure for remote attendance requires the following criteria:
 - (a) When a member attends virtually, the name and specific reasons for virtual attendance must be noted in the board minutes or audibly stated for the meeting recording when a note taker is not present.
 - (b) Any member participating virtually cannot be counted toward quorum but will be allowed to vote.
 - (c) Any participating member appearing virtually must at all times be able to be "heard, seen and identified", i.e. they must be continuously visible on video with identification.
 - (d) The public and presenters will be permitted to attend remotely and participate.