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TO: Baptiste, Fred (Ex-Officio); Rod S. Herbert, Bishop Sylveta Hamilton Gonzales, CB9 Member; Theresa Westerdahl, CB9 Member;
FROM: Debbie Timothy, Committee Chair
RE: Environmental Protection Committee Meeting
DATE: December 1, 2023

The virtual meeting of the Environmental Protection Committee has been scheduled as follows:

DATE: December 5, 2023
TIME: 7:00 p.m.
PLACE: Meeting ID: 827 2407 4571; No Password Required; 1(646) 558-8656
Livestreamed on the CB9 YouTube page here:
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCciPIIJ01pLvrG0xod1_LvQ

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Words of Encouragement (Bishop Hamilton-Gonzales)
3. Acceptance of the Minutes of October 16, 2023 & Meeting Agenda for October 5, 2023
4. Introductions / Roll Call
5. Old Business: Outstanding issues / updates
 - Infrastructure drainage system capacity is being exceeded! How do we advocate on behalf of our community?
 - Drainage system in dire need of upgrades.
 - Water ponding in many areas throughout the community.
 - Street paving and heavy ponding in community.
 - Recommendations from EP Committee.
 - Rats from developments, supermarkets, restaurants.
 - Garbage disposal complaints
 - Bedford Avenue/Sullivan Place project update from Dante - Throughout the month of November, Con Edison was working around the clock with the DEP and a contractor to de-energize the electric system impacting the collapsed area (which is complete).
 - As of yesterday, DEP's Emergency Contractor resumed work and continues excavation for sewer repair on the second condition. Contractor is also performing continuous bypass pumping operations. Completion is tentative for the second week of December.
 - McNair DSNY Compost Giveback Event – Residents were able to get 2 (40lb) bags of compost.
6. New Business: Open discussion on the following:
 - DEP Staff presenter status?
 - EP Committee goals for 2024- Re-evaluate list from October 16, 2023, mtg
 - Parking/Towing issues
7. Role of the Environmental Protection Committee
8. Adjourn

"Namaste."