



# BROOKLYN COMMUNITY BOARD 9

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TO: Baptiste, Fred (Ex-Officio); Bishop Sylveta Hamilton Gonzales, CB9 Member; Theresa Westerdahl, CB9 Member; Christine Azzoli,  
FROM: Debbie Timothy, Committee Chair  
RE: Environmental Protection Committee Meeting  
DATE: May 31, 2023

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

DATE: June 1, 2023  
TIME: 7:00 p.m.  
PLACE: Meeting ID: 861 8203 1710; No Password Required; 1(646) 558-8656  
Livestreamed on the CB9 YouTube page here:  
[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCciPIIJ01pLvrG0xod1\\_LvQ](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCciPIIJ01pLvrG0xod1_LvQ)

## AGENDA

1. Call to Order Meeting
2. Words of Encouragement (Bishop Hamilton-Gonzales)
3. Acceptance of the Minutes of May 4, 2023 & Meeting Agenda for June 1, 2023
4. Introductions / Roll Call
5. Old Business: Outstanding issues / updates.
6. New Business: Open discussion on the following:
7. **Role of the Environmental Protection Committee?**
  - Ensure that principal areas of safety, health and environmental risks and impacts are identified within the community and that resources/services are allocated to address these.
  - Engage the community in environmental and sustainability issues. EnviroProtectCom is an advisory body and action committee to the Community Board and the community at large.
  - Advocate for the following:
    - A clean environment where public health and natural heritage are protected.
    - Commitment to having respectful and fruitful discussions on behalf of community residents.
    - Residents being included in issues that impact their daily lives.
    - Commitment to the protection and enhancement of our environment.
    - Stewardship of natural resources ensuring a sustainable economy for future generations.
    - A healthy environment and a strong economy which is supportive of one another.
    - Legislative mandates which direct DEP to prevent, abate and control the pollution of the air, water, and land.
    - Preserve, improve, and prevent diminution of the natural environment of our community. Make regulatory decisions that contribute to the achievement of our mission.
8. Adjourn

*"Together we aspire, together we achieve."*