



# BROOKLYN COMMUNITY BOARD 9

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**TO:** Alethea Best, CB9 Member; Candace Edwards, CB9 Member; Letwine Mavina, CB9 Member; Natoya McGhie, CB9 Member; Twyla Ware, CB9 Member; Linda Watson-Lorde, CB9 Member; John Beckles, Jr. Resident Member; Anna Lerner, Resident Member; Leah McClain, Resident Member; Cynthia Rose, Resident Member

**FROM:** Soul Creary, Committee Chair

**RE:** Youth Services & Education Committee Meeting

**DATE:** Tuesday, February 13, 2024

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The meeting of the Nominating Committee has been scheduled as follows:

**DATE:** Tuesday, February 13, 2024

**TIME:** 7:00PM

**PLACE:** Zoom Virtual Platform

**Join Zoom Meeting:**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81850787125>

**Meeting ID:** 813 9456 1957

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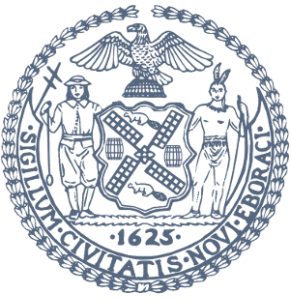
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**Livestreamed on the CB9 Youtube channel here:**

[Brooklyn Community Board 9 - YouTube](#)

## AGENDA

- I. Welcome
- II. Review the last meeting minutes
- III. Guest Speaker, District Leader Shaquana Boykins
- IV. Finalize our calendar and proposed event/activities
  - February- May
- V. Past suggestions - Choose deadline and dates
  - a. Clothing drive – follow up with John
    - i. We are approved to make the clothing drop-site CB9's office
- VI. Youth Forum with Jackie Robinson School
- VII. Community clean-up
- VIII. Community garden= Union between Franklin and Classon



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- Jackie Robinson School also has a garden area underdeveloped
- Are there people on the committee who knows how to plant or garden?
  - i. Can we donate seeds and invite students from the afterschool to work with us to plant them?
- IX. New suggestions
  - Twyla mentorship program – high school students to elementary school students during after-school
  - Black History Month event with students?
  - Apply for CitizensNYC awards micro-grants up to \$3,000 to community building projects carried out by resident-led groups to improve neighborhood life, strengthen local leadership, and scale community partnerships. Grassroots leaders know and have what it takes to roll up their sleeves and make change to boost civic engagement, neighborhood wealth, and community health
    - i. Is this an event we would like to do and request money?
    - ii. Proposal is due March 1<sup>st</sup>  
Applied for the full community event last year
- X. Finalize our program calendar for events and commitment to duties for events
- XI. WhatsApp Group is set up