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To: CB2 Transportation Committee Members

From: Sheila Lewandowski, Chairperson
Tom Mituzas, Co-Chairperson
Transportation Committee

Re: NOTICE OF **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2022**, TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MEETING

The next meeting of CB2s Transportation Committee is scheduled for:

**** DATE: **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2022**
***** TIME: **6:00 P.M.**
LOCATION: **TELE-COMMUNICATION
INFORMATION ON ZOOM**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82540508449?pwd=Ujc2MTA0NVhOOEdRWk94Q0JMWENQUT09>

Telephone Conference: **646 558 8656**

Meeting ID: 825 4050 8449

AGENDA

UPDATE BY 108TH POLICE PRECINCT ON TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT ISSUES

- Discuss enforcement need from parked cars and warehouse south of Wynwood Gardens and Mt. Zion Cemetery. Provide an update
- Request for Enforcement and discussion of wrong one-way conversion of 37th Street between Review Avenue and Bradley Avenue. Provide an update
- Drag Racing – Woodside, Sunnyside
- 44th Avenue between 12th and 13th Street's auto body shops storing vehicles
- 51st Avenue between 70th and 71st Street
- Follow up with the 108th Police Precinct on Bike Cops.
- Rules for the use of placards for parking.
- Announce traffic community Zoom meeting with PD on February 9th

DOT Presentations

- **12th Street Plaza**
- **Citi Bike Expansion**

“Serving the Communities of Long Island City, Sunnyside, Woodside, and Maspeth”

DOT

- Provide an update for request for a dedicated bus lane on 21st Street.
- CB 2 sent letter of support for the Queensboro bridge pedestrian cyclist lane. Request and update on design and timeline.
- Provide an update on the clear markings along the Northern Blvd. Protected Bike Lane Path.
- Discuss DOT response that meters will remain as is... review regulation changes for all 12/14-hour meters to 4 hours within CB 2. (DOT-481113-J7B9)
- Provide update on Open Restaurants and preparation for winter Inspections & Complaints
- Plans for snow removal and keeping structures safe (electric, ramps)

REQUEST UPDATES FROM DOT - Follow-up on DOT Issues

Blissville

- The Blissville Greenway from K bridge to G bridge along Review Avenue connecting Laurel Hill and Blissville and the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Councilman Van Bramer has written a letter of support for this community inspired project that is also contained in the CB2s “Top 10” budget priorities. DOT-484255-K7Q6 – Request an update

Court Square

- Request an update on letter from Court Square Civic sent regarding a study for Crescent Street.
- Crescent Street request to change the diagonal markings and expand the sidewalk. case number DOT-516190-R6K9. Request update.

Sunnyside

- Provide an update on the 39th Ave, Barnett Ave to Woodside Ave Bike Blvd Improvements
- CB 2 sent a letter of request for a feasibility study for a slow zone sign and a speed reducer on 38th Street between 48th Avenue and Greenpoint Avenue (10/14/ 2020) Neighborhood slow zone (DOT-478719-Q9P4) Speed Reducer (DOT-478711-P8D2). Request an update.

Woodside

- Request to DOT for a One-Way Street conversion on 51st Avenue Between 65th Place and 61st Street. Provide an update. (DOT-464313-T7R8) Open and being evaluated, please provide an update?
- Request for feasibility study for a one-way conversion on 50th Avenue between 69th Street and 65th Place. (DOT-483019-P9P2) request an update.
- Request an update on traffic control study at 67th Street and Garfield Avenue:
 - Enhanced Crosswalks – Garfield Avenue and 67th Street (DOT-499828-Z0H6) Provide an update based on safety at schools?
 - Speed Mobile Enforcement – Garfield Avenue and 67th Street (DOT-500207-P9J1) Letter received from DOT concerning fixed speed enforcement program. Provide Implementation schedule?
- 58th and Laurel Hill Blvd – heading west. Complaint that the right lane now only lets you turn right onto 58th and now go straight (DOT-531299-VOV2)
- Traffic Study 63rd and Laurel Hill to Tyler Ave – to evaluate the request from the community to reverse the one-way street. (DOT-531011-3C8)

Woodside Speed Reducers

- Speed Cushion request on 58th Street from 39th Ave to Woodside Ave. (DOT- 433629-RSM3) – Request an update - DOT states this is still an active study.

Woodside Completed Items

- Traffic signal approved at the intersection of 39th Ave and 52nd Street (DOT – 398882-J7N2), Work to be completed by Nov 30, 2021. Provide Implementation update?
- Speed Cushion request on 58th Place between Laurel Hill Blvd and 52Nd Avenue (DOT- 297802-W3Y6) –Approved. (10/9 DOT informed CB2 this is prioritized). Please provide installation date.
- Speed Reducer request on 50th Avenue between 46th and 47th Streets (DOT-427192-D0P9 (DOT - 430484-Z2V7). Approved (10/9 DOT informed CB2 this is prioritized). Please provide installation date.
- Provide an update on the Implementation of the Street Improvement Project on Northern Blvd. from Broadway to 114th Street. (Completed as per DOT report on December 7, 2021)

Long Island City

- Request for all way stop, cross walks and safety improvements on 5th Street and 47th Road
- 11th Street and Borden Avenue under the Pulaski Bridge Entrance and Exit to midtown tunnel requesting a turning lane and a left turn signal (DOT-497660 Z4G6). DOT denied continue discussion.
- Center Blvd north of 47th Road transfer of property from State to City. Please continue to provide update. 47th Road and N Basin Road.
- Request an update on the Vernon Blvd Bulkhead at 54th Avenue and Vernon Blvd. (Construction Started) Provide update?
- Request for a one-way conversion on 31st Place between 47th Avenue and 48th Avenue (DOT-497662-R8J2). (APPROVED) Provide Implementation date?
- Request for a one-way conversion southbound – 5th Street between 50th Avenue and Borden Avenue (DOT-509191-57R9 – Request update
 - Discussion to bring recommendation to the full board for a vote
- Multi Way Stop – Borden Avenue and 5th Street (DOT 508287-VOB8) – Request update
- 51st Avenue Pedestrian Bridge – Request an update on a letter DOT to send to CB 2 to close this project.

CB2 District Wide Initiatives and other Agencies

- MTA Disruptions
- DOT is conducting a Parking Study for Congestion Pricing initiative (DOT-481113-J7B9)
- CB2 sent a letter to DOS regarding street cleaning regulations for 23rd Street. (Request Follow up with DOS)
- Bike Share / Car Share / Scooter / Mopeds–
 - updates on ridership, docks and plans for changes, expansion in CB2
- NYC Ferry – provide regular ridership updates and any plans for schedules changes and/or expansions

Old Business:

New Business:

CC: Hon. Alexandria Ocasio Cortez, US Congress
Hon. Carolyn Maloney, US Congress
Hon. Nydia Velazquez, US Congress
Hon. Michael Gianaris, NYS Senate
Hon. Jessica Ramos, NYS Assembly
Hon. Jessica Gonzalez-Rojas, NYS Assembly
Hon. Brian Barnwell, NYS Assembly
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