

The New York City Council

City Hall
New York, NY 10007



Meeting Minutes

Thursday, June 18, 2020

1:30 PM

**Continuation of the Recessed Meeting of May 28, 2020 HELD on
June 18, 2020
- REMOTE HEARING (VIRTUAL ROOM 1) -**

City Council

Corey D. Johnson, Speaker

Members: Adrienne E. Adams, Alicka Ampry-Samuel, Diana Ayala, Inez D. Barron, Joseph C. Borelli, Justin L. Brannan, Fernando Cabrera, Margaret S. Chin, Andrew Cohen, Costa G. Constantinides, Robert E. Cornegy, Jr., Laurie A. Cumbo, Chaim M. Deutsch, Ruben Diaz, Sr., Daniel Dromm, Mathieu Eugene, Vanessa L. Gibson, Mark Gjonaj, Barry S. Grodenchik, Robert F. Holden, Ben Kallos, Andy L. King, Peter A. Koo, Karen Koslowitz, Rory I. Lancman, Brad S. Lander, Stephen T. Levin, Mark Levine, Farah N. Louis, Alan N. Maisel, Steven Matteo, Carlos Menchaca, I. Daneek Miller, Francisco P. Moya, Bill Perkins, Keith Powers, Antonio Reynoso, Donovan J. Richards, Carlina Rivera, Ydanis A. Rodriguez, Deborah L. Rose, Helen K. Rosenthal, Rafael Salamanca, Jr., Ritchie J. Torres, Mark Treyger, Eric A. Ulrich, Paul A. Vallone, James G. Van Bramer and Kalman Yeger

*The Majority Leader (Council Member Cumbo)
presiding as the Acting President Pro Tempore*

The Recessed Meeting of May 28, 2020 held on June 18, 2020 was opened.

*After a Roll Call for Attendance and the announcement of a quorum,
the Recessed Meeting was adjourned in order to immediately open
the scheduled Stated Meeting of June 18, 2020.*

Stated Meeting of June 18, 2020

*The Majority Leader (Council Member Cumbo)
presiding as the Acting President Pro Tempore*

1. Roll Call

Present: Speaker Johnson, Adams, Ampry-Samuel, Ayala, Barron, Borelli, Brannan, Cabrera, Chin, Cohen, Constantinides, Cornegy Jr., Cumbo, Deutsch, Diaz Sr., Dromm, Eugene, Gibson, Gjonaj, Grodenchik, Holden, Kallos, King, Koo, Koslowitz, Lancman, Lander, Levin, Levine, Louis, Maisel, Matteo, Menchaca, Miller, Moya, Perkins, Powers, Reynoso, Richards, Rivera, Rodriguez, Rose, Rosenthal, Salamanca Jr., Torres, Treyger, Ulrich, Vallone, Van Bramer and Yeger

The presence of a quorum was announced by the Majority Leader and Acting President Pro Tempore (Council Member Cumbo).

There were 50 Council Members marked present for this Stated Meeting held remotely.

At the time of this Stated Meeting, there was one vacant seat on the Council in the 37th District (Brooklyn) pending the swearing-in of the certified winner of the November 3, 2020 General Election.

2. Invocation

The Invocation was delivered by Rev. Yunus Coldman, spiritual leader at Rivers of Living Water Ministries, UCC, located at 263 West 86th Street, New York, NY 10024.

Council Member Rosenthal moved to spread the Invocation in full upon the Record.

3. Adoption of Minutes

None

4. Messages & Papers from the Mayor

None

5. Communications from City, County & Borough Offices

M 0242-2020

Communication from the New York City Banking Commission - Transmitting recommendations of the interest rate to be charged for Fiscal Year 2021 for non-payment of taxes on real estate and for the discount rate to be allowed for early payment of real estate taxes for Fiscal Year 2021, pursuant to the City Charter.

Attachments: Banking Commission Letter, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Communication was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Finance

6. Petitions and Communications

None

7. Land Use Call-Ups

None

8. Communication from the Speaker

9. Discussion of General Orders

10. Reports of Special Committees

None

11. Reports of Standing Committees

Report of the Committee on Public Safety

Int 0487-2018-A

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to creating comprehensive reporting and oversight of New York city police department surveillance technologies

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 487-A, Summary of Int. No. 487, Int. No. 487, February 14, 2018 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2/14/20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - February 14, 2018, Committee Report 12/18/19, Hearing Testimony 12/18/19, Hearing Transcript 12/18/19, Proposed Int. No. 487-A - 6/16/20, Committee Report 6/18/20, Hearing Transcript 6/18/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Int. No. 487-A (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement, Mayor's Letter, Local Law 65, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

A motion was made that this Introduction be Approved by Council approved by Roll Call.

Affirmative: 44 - Speaker Johnson, Adams, Ampy-Samuel, Ayala, Barron, Brannan, Cabrera, Chin, Cohen, Constantinides, Cornegy Jr., Cumbo, Diaz Sr., Dromm, Eugene, Gibson, Gjonaj, Grodenchik, Kallos, King, Koo, Koslowitz, Lancman, Lander, Levin, Levine, Louis, Maisel, Menchaca, Miller, Moya, Perkins, Powers, Reynoso, Richards, Rivera, Rodriguez, Rose, Rosenthal, Salamanca Jr., Torres, Treyger, Vallone and Van Bramer

Negative: 6 - Borelli, Deutsch, Holden, Matteo, Ulrich and Yeger

Enactment No: 2020/065

Int 0536-2018-B A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the City of New York, in relation to chokeholds and other such restraints

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 536-B, Summary of Int. No. 536-A, Summary of Int. No. 536, Int. No. 536, February 14, 2018 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2/14/20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - February 14, 2018, Proposed Int. No. 536-A - 6/4/20, Committee Report 6/9/20, Hearing Testimony 6/9/20, Hearing Transcript 6/9/20, Proposed Int. No. 536-B - 6/16/20, Committee Report 6/18/20, Hearing Transcript 6/18/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Int. No. 536-B (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement, Mayor's Letter, Local Law 66, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

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Affirmative: 47 - Speaker Johnson, Adams, Ampy-Samuel, Ayala, Barron, Brannan, Cabrera, Chin, Cohen, Constantinides, Cornegy Jr., Cumbo, Deutsch, Diaz Sr., Dromm, Eugene, Gibson, Gjonaj, Grodenchik, Kallos, King, Koo, Koslowitz, Lancman, Lander, Levin, Levine, Louis, Maisel, Menchaca, Miller, Moya, Perkins, Powers, Reynoso, Richards, Rivera, Rodriguez, Rose, Rosenthal, Salamanca Jr., Torres, Treyger, Ulrich, Vallone, Van Bramer and Yeger

Negative: 3 - Borelli, Holden and Matteo

Enactment No: 2020/066

Int 0721-2018-B A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the right to record police activities

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 721-B, Summary of Int. No. 721-A, Summary of Int. No. 721, Int. No. 721, March 7, 2018 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 3/7/18, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - March 7, 2018, Proposed Int. No. 721-A - 6/4/20, Committee Report 6/9/20, Hearing Testimony 6/9/20, Hearing Transcript 6/9/20, Committee Report 6/18/20, Hearing Transcript 6/18/20, Proposed Int. No. 721-B - 6/22/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Int. No. 721-B (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement, Mayor's Letter, Local Law 67, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

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Negative: 3 - Borelli, Matteo and Yeger

Enactment No: 2020/067

Int 0760-2018-B

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to an early intervention system

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 760-B, Summary of Int. No. 760-A, Summary of Int. No. 760, Int. No. 760, April 11, 2018 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 4-11-18, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - April 11, 2018, Proposed Int. No. 760-A - 6/4/20, Committee Report 6/9/20, Hearing Testimony 6/9/20, Hearing Transcript 6/9/20, Proposed Int. No. 760-B - 6/22/20, Committee Report 6/18/20, Hearing Transcript 6/18/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Int. No. 760-B (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement, Mayor's Letter, Local Law 68, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

A motion was made that this Introduction be Approved by Council approved by Roll Call.

Affirmative: 48 - Speaker Johnson, Adams, Ampry-Samuel, Ayala, Barron, Brannan, Cabrera, Chin, Cohen, Constantinides, Cornegy Jr., Cumbo, Deutsch, Diaz Sr., Dromm, Eugene, Gibson, Gjonaj, Grodenchik, Holden, Kallos, King, Koo, Koslowitz, Lancman, Lander, Levin, Levine, Louis, Maisel, Menchaca, Miller, Moya, Perkins, Powers, Reynoso, Richards, Rivera, Rodriguez, Rose, Rosenthal, Salamanca Jr., Torres, Treyger, Ulrich, Vallone, Van Bramer and Yeger

Negative: 2 - Borelli and Matteo

Enactment No: 2020/068

Int 1309-2018-B A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the police department to develop an internal disciplinary matrix

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1309-B, Summary of Int. No. 1309-A, Summary of Int. No. 1309, Int. No. 1309, December 20, 2018 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 12/20/18, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - December 20, 2018, Committee Report 2/7/19, Hearing Testimony 2/7/19, Hearing Transcript 2/7/19, Proposed Int. No. 1309-A - 6/4/20, Proposed Int. No. 1309-B - 6/22/20, Committee Report 6/18/20, Hearing Transcript 6/18/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Int. No. 1309-B (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement, Mayor's Letter, Local Law 69, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

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Negative: 2 - Barron and Ulrich

Enactment No: 2020/069

Int 1962-2020-A A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring visible shield numbers and rank designations

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1962, Int. No. 1962, Committee Report 6/9/20, Proposed Int. No. 1962-A - 6/16/20, Hearing Testimony 6/9/20, Hearing Transcript 6/9/20, Committee Report 6/18/20, Hearing Transcript 6/18/20, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Int. No. 1962-A (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement, Mayor's Letter, Local Law 70, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

A motion was made that this Introduction be Approved by Council approved by Roll Call.

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Negative: 2 - Borelli and Matteo

Enactment No: 2020/070

Report of the Committee on Transportation

Int 1354-2019-A A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring certain spillage prevention equipment on concrete mixer trucks

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1354-A, Summary of Int. No. 1354, Int. No. 1354, January 24, 2019 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-24-19, Committee Report 10/24/19, Hearing Testimony 10/24/19, Hearing Transcript 10/24/19, Proposed Int. No. 1354-A - 6/11/20, Committee Report 6/18/20, Hearing Transcript 6/18/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Int. No. 1354-A (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement, Legislative Documents - Letter to the Mayor, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

A motion was made that this Introduction be Approved by Council approved by Roll Call.

Affirmative: 49 - Speaker Johnson, Adams, Ampy-Samuel, Ayala, Barron, Borelli, Brannan, Cabrera, Chin, Cohen, Constantinides, Cornegy Jr., Cumbo, Deutsch, Diaz Sr., Dromm, Eugene, Gibson, Gjonaj, Grodenchik, Holden, Kallos, King, Koo, Koslowitz, Lancman, Levin, Levine, Louis, Maisel, Matteo, Menchaca, Miller, Moya, Perkins, Powers, Reynoso, Richards, Rivera, Rodriguez, Rose, Rosenthal, Salamanca Jr., Torres, Treyger, Ulrich, Vallone, Van Bramer and Yeger

Abstain: 1 - Lander

Enactment No: 2020/071

12. General Orders Calendar

Coupled on General Order Calendar

Public Safety

Int 0487-2018-A A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to creating comprehensive reporting and oversight of New York city police department surveillance technologies

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Enactment No: 2020/070

Transportation

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Enactment No: 2020/071

General Order Calendar

The Majority Leader and Acting President Pro Tempore (Council Member Cumbo) put the question whether the Council would agree with and adopt such reports, which were decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Int. No. 487-A, 44-6-0 - Negative: CMs Borelli, Deutsch, Holden, Ulrich, Yeger, and the Minority Leader (Council Member Matteo);

Int. No. 536-B, 47-3-0 - Negative: CMs Borelli, Holden, and the Minority Leader (Council Member Matteo);

Int. No. 721-B, 47-3-0 - Negative: CMs Borelli, Yeger, and the Minority Leader (Council Member Matteo);

Int. No. 760-B, 48-2-0 - Negative: CMs Borelli and the Minority Leader (Council Member Matteo);

Int. No. 1309-B, 48-2-0 - Negative: CMs Barron and Ulrich;

Int. No. 1354-A, 49-0-1 - Abstain: CM Lander;

Int. No. 1962-A, 48-2-0, Negative: CMs Borelli and the Minority Leader (Council Member Matteo).

13. Introduction & Reading of Bills
See Attached
14. Discussion of Resolutions
15. Resolutions

Res 1343-2020

Resolution calling upon the United States Congress to pass, and the President to sign, the Eric Garner Excessive Use of Force Prevention Act of 2019 (H.R. 4408), which would prohibit police chokeholds and other tactics that result in asphyxiation.

Attachments: Res. No. 1343, Committee Report 6/9/20, Hearing Testimony 6/9/20, Hearing Transcript 6/9/20, Committee Report 6/18/20, Hearing Transcript 6/18/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

Pursuant to Rule 8.50 of the Council, the Majority Leader and Acting President Pro Tempore (Council Member Cumbo) called for a voice vote. Hearing those in favor, the Majority Leader and Acting President Pro Tempore (Council Member Cumbo) declared the Resolution to be adopted.

The following 2 Council Members formally noted their intention to vote negative against this item:

Council Members Borelli and the Minority Leader (Council Member Matteo).

Adopted by the Council by voice-vote.

A motion was made that this Resolution be Approved, by Council approved by voice vote.

16. General Discussion

17. Extension of Remarks

INTRODUCTION AND READING OF BILLS

Int 1962-2020-A

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring visible shield numbers and rank designations

Sponsors: By Council Members Ampry-Samuel, The Public Advocate (Mr. Williams), Rivera, Cumbo, Levin, Chin, Kallos, Van Bramer, Rosenthal, Menchaca, Louis, Moya, Ayala, Brannan, Adams, Lancman, Reynoso, Vallone, Cabrera, Cohen, Rose, Lander, Constantinides and Miller

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1962, Int. No. 1962, Committee Report 6/9/20, Proposed Int. No. 1962-A - 6/16/20, Hearing Testimony 6/9/20, Hearing Transcript 6/9/20, Committee Report 6/18/20, Hearing Transcript 6/18/20, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Int. No. 1962-A (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement, Mayor's Letter, Local Law 70, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Public Safety

Enactment No: 2020/070

Int 1963-2020 A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to entrepreneurship training for formerly incarcerated persons

Sponsors: By Council Members Cabrera, Kallos and Chin

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1963, Int. No. 1963, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Criminal Justice

Res 1334-2020 Resolution calling on the United States Congress to provide national funding for the Cure Violence program.

Sponsors: By Council Members Cabrera, Kallos and Chin

Attachments: Res. No. 1334, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Resolution was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Public Safety

Int 1964-2020 A Local Law to authorize adoption by resolution of an interest rate for nonpayment of taxes on real property with an assessed value over two hundred fifty thousand dollars in fiscal year 2021 for certain property owners adversely affected by COVID-19

Sponsors: By Council Members Chin and Adams

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1964-A, Summary of Int. No. 1964, Int. No. 1964, Committee Report 6/10/20, Hearing Testimony 6/10/20, Hearing Testimony 6/10/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 6/10/20, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Proposed Int. No. 1964-A - 6/24/20, Committee Report 6/25/20, Hearing Transcript 6/25/20, Council Member Yeger - Proposed Amendments, June 25, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-25-20, Int. No. 1964-A (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement, Mayor's Letter, Local Law 62, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Finance

Enactment No: 2020/062

Int 1965-2020

A Local Law in relation to requiring the emergency management department to report on its response to COVID-19 and the expiration and repeal thereof

Sponsors: By Council Members Constantinides and Kallos

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1965, Int. No. 1965, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Fire and Emergency Management

Int 1966-2020

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to creating a pilot program to test sewage for COVID-19 RNA

Sponsors: By Council Members Constantinides, Powers, Torres, Kallos and Yeger

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1966, Int. No. 1966, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Environmental Protection

Int 1967-2020

A Local Law in relation to requiring the department of cultural affairs to publish information on COVID-19 reopening plans and resources for art and cultural institutions in New York city

Sponsors: By Council Members Cumbo, Van Bramer, Kallos, Brannan, Perkins, Ayala, Rose, Gibson, Louis and Barron

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1967-A, Summary of Int. No. 1967, Int. No. 1967, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Committee Report 6/22/20, Hearing Testimony 6/22/20, Hearing Testimony 6/22/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 6/22/20, Proposed Int. No. 1967-A - 7/27/20, Committee Report 7/28/20, Hearing Transcript 7/28/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, July 28, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Fiscal Impact Statement, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 7-28-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Cultural Affairs, Libraries and International Intergroup Relations

Int 1968-2020 **A Local Law in relation to providing mental health counseling to healthcare professionals who provided healthcare services during the COVID-19 pandemic, and providing for the expiration and repeal of such requirement**

Sponsors: By Council Members Eugene, Kallos and Chin

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1968, Int. No. 1968, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Mental Health, Disabilities and Addiction

Int 1969-2020 **A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to suspending the schedule change premium when a state of emergency modifies fast food restaurant operations**

Sponsors: By Council Member Gjonaj

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1969, Int. No. 1969, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Civil Service and Labor

Res 1335-2020 **Resolution calling upon the New York State Legislature to pass, and Governor to sign, A.10226-B/S.8211-A, requiring certain perils be covered under business interruption insurance during the COVID-19 pandemic.**

Sponsors: By Council Members Gjonaj, Brannan, Rivera, Levine, Powers and Chin

Attachments: Res. No. 1335, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Resolution was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Small Business

Int 1970-2020 **A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the department of health and mental hygiene to report on the number of cases of communicable disease during a state of emergency**

Sponsors: By Council Members Holden, Richards and Powers

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1970, Int. No. 1970, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Health

Res 1336-2020 Resolution calling on the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, legislation that creates statewide guidelines on closing schools during a biological crisis.

Sponsors: By Council Member Holden

Attachments: Res. No. 1336, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Resolution was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Education

Int 1971-2020 A Local Law in relation to requiring the department of consumer affairs to study access to financial services

Sponsors: By Council Members Menchaca and Kallos

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1971, Int. No. 1971, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Consumer Affairs and Business Licensing

Int 1972-2020 A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to suspending demolition permits for properties under consideration for landmark or historic district designation

Sponsors: By Council Members Menchaca and Kallos

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1972, Int. No. 1972, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Housing and Buildings

Int 1973-2020 A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the department of transportation to conduct an annual study on bicycle activity

Sponsors: By Council Members Menchaca and Kallos

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1973, Int. No. 1973, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Transportation

Res 1337-2020 **Resolution opposing the U.S. Department of Homeland Security’s proposed increases to filing fees for immigration status adjustments, including but not limited to, Citizenship, Permanent Legal Residence, Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals, Asylum, and Temporary Protected Status and urging the federal government not to move forward with its adoption.**

Sponsors: By Council Members Menchaca and Kallos

Attachments: Res. No. 1337, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Resolution was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Immigration

Res 1338-2020 **Resolution calling upon the New York State Legislature to override Governor Andrew Cuomo’s veto of S6427A/A8060A, legislation relating to the standards of proof for unfounded and indicated reports of abuse or maltreatment and the admissibility of reports of child abuse and maltreatment.**

Sponsors: By Council Member Menchaca

Attachments: Res. No. 1338, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Resolution was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on General Welfare

Res 1339-2020 **Resolution expressing a loss of confidence in Mayor de Blasio and calling upon the Governor of the State of New York to bring charges to effectuate the removal of the Mayor for failing to protect the safety and promote the general welfare of the public, in accordance with section 33 of the Public Officers Law and section 9 of the Charter.**

Sponsors: By Council Member Menchaca

Attachments: Res. No. 1339, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Resolution was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Governmental Operations

Res 1340-2020 **Resolution calling on Congress to pass, and the President to sign, the Emergency Community Supervision Act (S 3579/ HR 6400), which would require the Bureau of Prisons to immediately release vulnerable individuals to home confinement or other community supervision outside of prison to stop the spread of COVID-19.**

Sponsors: By Council Members Powers and Chin

Attachments: Res. No. 1340, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Resolution was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Criminal Justice

Res 1341-2020 **Resolution calling on the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, A.7658A/S.6276, in relation to providing telephone calls to persons incarcerated in state correctional facilities at no cost.**

Sponsors: By Council Members Powers, Grodenchik and Chin

Attachments: Res. No. 1341, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Resolution was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Criminal Justice

Int 1974-2020 **A Local Law to authorize adoption by resolution of an interest rate for nonpayment of taxes on real property with an assessed value of two-hundred and fifty thousand dollars or less in fiscal year 2021 for property owners adversely affected by COVID-19**

Sponsors: By The Public Advocate (Mr. Williams) and Council Members Kallos, Lander, Adams, Ayala and Grodenchik

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1974-A, Summary of Int. No. 1974, Int. No. 1974, Committee Report 6/10/20, Hearing Testimony 6/10/20, Hearing Testimony 6/10/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 6/10/20, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Proposed Int. No. 1974-A - 6/24/20, Committee Report 6/25/20, Hearing Transcript 6/25/20, June 25, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-25-20, Message of Necessity, Int. No. 1974-A (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement, Mayor's Letter, Local Law 63, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Finance

Enactment No: 2020/063

Int 1975-2020

A Local Law in relation to guidelines for cleaning and disinfecting multiple dwellings

Sponsors: By The Public Advocate (Mr. Williams) and Council Members Cornegy Jr., Ampy-Samuel, Kallos and Chin

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1975, Int. No. 1975, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Housing and Buildings

Res 1342-2020

Resolution calling on the State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, A.10430/S.8184-A, which would establish tiers of essential employees during a state of emergency.

Sponsors: By The Public Advocate (Mr. Williams)

Attachments: Res. No. 1342, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Resolution was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Economic Development

Int 1976-2020

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring booking services to report short-term housing rental transactions

Sponsors: By Council Members Rivera and Kallos

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1976, Int. No. 1976, Committee Report 6/17/20, Hearing Testimony 6/17/20, Hearing Transcript 6/17/20, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Committee Report 6/25/20, Hearing Transcript 6/25/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, June 25, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-25-20, Int. No. 1976 (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement, Mayor's Letter, Local Law 64, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Housing and Buildings

Enactment No: 2020/064

Int 1977-2020

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to giving qualified entities a first opportunity to purchase and an opportunity to submit an offer to purchase certain residential buildings when offered for sale

Sponsors: By Council Members Rivera, Reynoso, Kallos, Ampry-Samuel and Chin

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1977, Int. No. 1977, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Housing and Buildings

Res 1343-2020

Resolution calling upon the United States Congress to pass, and the President to sign, the Eric Garner Excessive Use of Force Prevention Act of 2019 (H.R. 4408), which would prohibit police chokeholds and other tactics that result in asphyxiation.

Sponsors: By Council Members Rivera, Ampry-Samuel, Constantinides, Kallos, Van Bramer, Rosenthal, Menchaca, Louis, Ayala, Brannan, Adams, Reynoso, Rose, Moya, Cabrera, Cohen, Chin, Powers, Miller, Grodenchik and Levin

Attachments: Res. No. 1343, Committee Report 6/9/20, Hearing Testimony 6/9/20, Hearing Transcript 6/9/20, Committee Report 6/18/20, Hearing Transcript 6/18/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Resolution was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Public Safety

Int 1978-2020

A Local Law in relation to the establishment of a COVID-19 economic recovery task force

Sponsors: By Council Members Rodriguez, Kallos and Holden

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1978, Int. No. 1978, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Governmental Operations

Int 1979-2020 **A Local Law in relation to a public information and outreach campaign on domestic violence during the COVID-19 emergency, and the repeal thereof**

Sponsors: By Council Members Rosenthal and Kallos

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1979, Int. No. 1979, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Women and Gender Equity

Int 1980-2020 **A Local Law in relation to establishing a special inspector within the department of investigation to review contracts that were entered into in response to the 2019 novel coronavirus, and providing for the repeal of such provision upon the expiration thereof**

Sponsors: By Council Members Torres, Kallos and Chin

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1980, Int. No. 1980, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Introduction was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Oversight and Investigations

Res 1344-2020 **Resolution expressing a loss of confidence in Mayor Bill de Blasio and calling upon the Governor of the State of New York to bring charges to effectuate the removal of the Mayor for failing to maintain public order and safety during this period of persistent social unrest, in accordance with section 33 of the Public Officers Law and section 9 of the Charter.**

Sponsors: By Council Member Ulrich

Attachments: Res. No. 1344, June 18, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-18-20, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 18, 2020

This Resolution was Referred to Comm by Council to the Committee on Governmental Operations

At this point the Speaker (Council Member Johnson) made the following announcements:

Whereupon on motion of the Speaker (Council Member Johnson), the Majority Leader and Acting President Pro Tempore (Council Member Cumbo) adjourned to meet again on Thursday, June 25, 2020

*MICHAEL McSWEENEY, City Clerk
Clerk of the Council*