

The New York City Council

*City Hall
New York, NY 10007*



Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, January 31, 2024

1:00 PM

Council Chambers - City Hall

Committee on Consumer and Worker Protection

Julie Menin, Chair

Members: Shaun Abreu, Gale A. Brewer, Amanda Farias, Shekar Krishnan, Chi A. Ossé and Julie Won

Roll Call

Present: Menin, Abreu, Brewer, Farías, Krishnan, Ossé and Won

Other Council Members Attending: Restler, De La Rosa and Feliz

Int 0019-2024

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the posting of lithium-ion battery safety guides in places of business and online retail platforms that sell powered mobility devices

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 19, Int. No. 19, Hearing Testimony 10/23/23, Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript 1/31/24, February 8, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda

This Introduction was Hearing on P-C Item by Comm

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 19, Int. No. 19, Hearing Testimony 10/23/23, Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript 1/31/24, February 8, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Int 0020-2024

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to third-party delivery workers and powered bicycle safety

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 20, Int. No. 20, Hearing Testimony 10/23/23, Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript 1/31/24, February 8, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 20, Int. No. 20, Hearing Testimony 10/23/23, Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript 1/31/24, February 8, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Int 0021-2024

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to creating licensing requirements for electric bicycle or scooter businesses

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 21, Int. No. 21, Hearing Testimony 10/23/23, Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript 1/31/24, February 8, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 21, Int. No. 21, Hearing Testimony 10/23/23, Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript 1/31/24, February 8, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Int 0022-2024

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to vending on bridges

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 22, Int. No. 22, Hearing Testimony 12/13/23, Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript 1/31/24, February 8, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 22, Int. No. 22, Hearing Testimony 12/13/23, Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript 1/31/24, February 8, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Int 0024-2024

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to permitting street vendors to vend within two feet from the curb

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 24, Int. No. 24, Hearing Testimony 12/13/23, Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript 1/31/24, February 8, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 24, Int. No. 24, Hearing Testimony 12/13/23, Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript 1/31/24, February 8, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Int 0030-2024

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to safety standards for powered bicycles and powered mobility devices used for food delivery services.

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 30, Int. No. 30, Hearing Testimony 10/23/23, Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript 1/31/24, February 8, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 30, Int. No. 30, Hearing Testimony 10/23/23, Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript 1/31/24, February 8, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Int 0047-2024

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to repealing the misdemeanor criminal penalties for general vendors and mobile food vendors

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 47, Int. No. 47, Hearing Testimony 12/13/23, Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript 1/31/24, February 8, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 47, Int. No. 47, Hearing Testimony 12/13/23,
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Int 0049-2024

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to vendor display and storage of goods, and to repeal sections 17-313 and 20-463 of such code, relating to bookkeeping requirements

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 49, Int. No. 49, Hearing Testimony 12/13/23,
Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript
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Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 49, Int. No. 49, Hearing Testimony 12/13/23,
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Int 0050-2024

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the requirement of food vendors to obtain a certificate of authority to collect sales tax

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 50, Int. No. 50, Hearing Testimony 12/13/23,
Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript
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Int 0051-2024

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to prohibiting vending or vendor-related activity in bicycle lanes

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 51, Int. No. 51, Hearing Testimony 12/13/23,
Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript
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Int 0054-2024

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to record keeping and reporting on the disposal of rechargeable batteries used for powered mobility devices

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 54, Int. No. 54, Hearing Testimony 10/23/23, Committee Report 1/31/24, Hearing Testimony 1/31/24, Hearing Transcript 1/31/24, February 8, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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