

# The New York City Council

*City Hall  
New York, NY 10007*



## Meeting Minutes

**Monday, March 30, 2015**

**1:00 PM**

**Council Chambers - City Hall**

## **Committee on Education**

*Daniel Dromm, Chair*

*Members: Vincent J. Gentile, Daniel R. Garodnick, Margaret S. Chin,  
Stephen T. Levin, Deborah L. Rose, Mark S. Weprin, Jumaane D. Williams,  
Andy L. King, Inez D. Barron, Chaim M. Deutsch, Mark Levine, Alan N. Maisel,  
Antonio Reynoso and Mark Treyger*

## Roll Call

**Present:** Dromm, Gentile, Chin, Levin, Rose, Weprin, Williams, King, Barron, Deutsch, Levine, Maisel, Reynoso and Treyger

**Absent:** Garodnick

*Other Council Members Attending: Rosenthal*

**Res 0563-2015      Resolution calling upon the New York State Legislature to reject any attempt to raise the cap on the number of charter schools.**

**Attachments:** Committee Report 3/3/15, Hearing Testimony 3/3/15, Hearing Transcript 3/3/15, Committee Report 3/30/15, Hearing Testimony 3/30/15, Hearing Transcript 3/30/15, March 31, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files

**This Resolution was Hearing Held by Committee**

**Attachments:** Committee Report 3/3/15, Hearing Testimony 3/3/15, Hearing Transcript 3/3/15, Committee Report 3/30/15, Hearing Testimony 3/30/15, Hearing Transcript 3/30/15, March 31, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files

**A motion was made that this Resolution be Approved by Committee approved by Roll Call.**

**Affirmative:** 11 - Dromm, Chin, Levin, Rose, Weprin, King, Barron, Deutsch, Maisel, Reynoso and Treyger

**Abstain:** 2 - Williams and Levine

**Non-voting:** 1 - Gentile

**Absent:** 1 - Garodnick

**Res 0577-2015      Resolution calling upon the Department of Education to amend its Parent's Bill of Rights and Responsibilities to include information about opting out of high-stakes testing and distribute this document at the beginning of every school year, to every family, in every grade.**

**Attachments:** Committee Report 3/30/15, Hearing Testimony 3/30/15, Hearing Transcript 3/30/15, March 31, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files

**This Resolution was Hearing Held by Committee**

**Attachments:** Committee Report 3/30/15, Hearing Testimony 3/30/15, Hearing Transcript 3/30/15, March 31, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files

**A motion was made that this Resolution be Approved by Committee approved by Roll Call.**

**Affirmative:** 13 - Dromm, Chin, Levin, Rose, Weprin, Williams, King, Barron, Deutsch, Levine, Maisel, Reynoso and Treyger

**Non-voting:** 1 - Gentile

**Absent:** 1 - Garodnick

**Res 0592-2015**     **Resolution calling upon the New York State Legislature to fully implement the education funding requirements for New York City resulting from the Campaign for Fiscal Equity v State of New York case.**

**Attachments:**    February 26, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Committee Report 3/30/15, Hearing Testimony 3/30/15, Hearing Transcript 3/30/15, March 31, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files

**This Resolution was Hearing Held by Committee**

**Attachments:**    February 26, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Committee Report 3/30/15, Hearing Testimony 3/30/15, Hearing Transcript 3/30/15, March 31, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files

**A motion was made that this Resolution be Approved by Committee approved by Roll Call.**

**Affirmative:**    13 -    Dromm, Chin, Levin, Rose, Weprin, Williams, King, Barron, Deutsch, Levine, Maisel, Reynoso and Treyger

**Non-voting:**    1 -    Gentile

**Absent:**        1 -    Garodnick