

# The New York City Council

*City Hall  
New York, NY 10007*



## Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, September 26, 2023

10:00 AM

Committee Room - City Hall

### **Committee on Cultural Affairs, Libraries and International Intergroup Relations**

*Chi A. Ossé, Chair*

*Members: Eric Dinowitz, Amanda Farías, Shahana K. Hanif,  
Crystal Hudson, Rita C. Joseph, Farah N. Louis, Francisco P. Moya and Sandra Ung*

Roll Call

**Present:** Ossé, Farías, Hanif, Joseph, Moya and Ung

**Absent:** Louis

**Conflict:** Dinowitz

**Parental :** Hudson

*Other Council Members Attending: Menin*

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**Oversight - Administering DCLA's Cultural Development Fund.**

**Attachments:** Committee Report, Hearing Testimony, Hearing Transcript

**This Oversight was Hearing Held by Committee**

**Attachments:** Committee Report, Hearing Testimony, Hearing Transcript

**This Oversight was Filed, by Committee**

Int 1184-2023

**A Local Law to amend the New York city charter, in relation to requiring the commissioner of cultural affairs to report annually on department funding of art and cultural organizations and institutions**

**Attachments:** Summary of Int. No. 1184-A, Summary of Int. No. 1184, Int. No. 1184, September 14, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 9-14-23, Committee Report 9/26/23, Hearing Testimony 9/26/23, Hearing Transcript 9/26/23, Proposed Int. No. 1184-A - 11/29/23, Committee Report 12/6/23, Hearing Transcript 12/6/23, December 6, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 12-6-23, Int. No. 1184-A (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement

**This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee**

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**This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee**

Res 0509-2023

**Resolution declaring April as Sikh Awareness and Appreciation Month in New York City.**

**Attachments:** Res. No. 509, March 2, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 3-2-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - March 2, 2023, Committee Report 9/26/23, Hearing Testimony 9/26/23, Hearing Transcript 9/26/23

**This Resolution was Hearing Held by Committee**

**Attachments:** Res. No. 509, March 2, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 3-2-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - March 2, 2023, Committee Report 9/26/23, Hearing Testimony 9/26/23, Hearing Transcript 9/26/23

**This Resolution was Laid Over by Committee**

Res 0513-2023

**Resolution to declare June 3 in New York City as World Bicycle Day.**

**Attachments:** Res. No. 513, March 2, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 3-2-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - March 2, 2023, Committee Report 9/26/23, Hearing Testimony 9/26/23, Hearing Transcript 9/26/23

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**Attachments:** Res. No. 513, March 2, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 3-2-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - March 2, 2023, Committee Report 9/26/23, Hearing Testimony 9/26/23, Hearing Transcript 9/26/23

**This Resolution was Laid Over by Committee**

Res 0568-2023

**Resolution designating May 10 annually as National Pan-Hellenic Council Day in the City of New York to recognize the contributions made to social change by members of nine Black sororities and fraternities, known as the Divine Nine.**

**Attachments:** Res. No. 568, April 11, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 4-11-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - April 11, 2023, Committee Report 9/26/23, Hearing Testimony 9/26/23, Hearing Transcript 9/26/23, Committee Report 12/6/23, Hearing Transcript 12/6/23, December 6, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 12-6-23

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**Attachments:** Res. No. 568, April 11, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 4-11-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - April 11, 2023, Committee Report 9/26/23, Hearing Testimony 9/26/23, Hearing Transcript 9/26/23, Committee Report 12/6/23, Hearing Transcript 12/6/23, December 6, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 12-6-23

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**Res 0639-2023**

**Resolution declaring July annually as Muslim-American Heritage Month in the City of New York to celebrate the culture and history of Muslim Americans and their contributions to New York City communities.**

**Attachments:** Res. No. 639, May 25, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-25-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - May 25, 2023, Committee Report 9/26/23, Hearing Testimony 9/26/23, Hearing Transcript 9/26/23

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