

The New York City Council
Recessed Meeting of June 5, 2002

Council Agenda

Stated Meeting

June 19, 2002

8:30 PM

Council Chambers - City Hall

- 1 The Public Advocate (Ms. Gotbaum) called the meeting to order.**
- 2. ROLL CALL**
- 3. The Clerk announced the presence of a quorum.**

- 1. Adoption of Minutes**
*Motion that the Minutes of the Stated Meeting of April 24, 2002
be adopted and printed by Council Member Baez.*
- 2. Messages and Papers from the Mayor**

M 0211-2002**Sale of bonds and notes of the city of NY (S.7529/A.11553)**

Communication from the Mayor - "An act to amend the local finance law, in relation to the sale of bonds and notes of the city of New York, the refunding of bonds and the down payment for projects financed by bonds; and to amend the New York state financial emergency act for the city of New York, in relation to a pledge and agreement of the state".

S.7529/A.11553

Preconsidered - State and Federal Legislation

M 0212-2002**Temporary investments by local governments (S.7530, A.11552)**

Communication from the Mayor - "An act to amend chapter 130 of the laws of 1998, amending the general municipal law relating to temporary investments by local governments, in relation to the effective date of such chapter".

S.7530/A.11552

Preconsidered - State and Federal Legislation

M 0213-2002**Mailing requirements for documents (S.6553-A/A.3823-A)**

Communication from the Mayor - "An act to amend the real property tax law and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the mailing requirements for documents required to be filed and payments required to be made in connection with certain taxes in the city of New York; to amend the tax law, in relation to the power of the commissioner of taxation and finance to compromise taxes or warrants or judgments for taxes; to amend the New York city charter, in relation to the power of the department of finance of the city of New York to compromise excise or nonproperty taxes or annual vault charges; to amend the tax law and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to authorizing the commissioner of taxation and finance and the commissioner of finance of the city of New York to vacate tax warrants; to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the definition of partnership for purposes

of title 11 of the administrative code of the city of New York and in relation to the banking corporation tax of taxpayers who elect to be taxed under subchapter s of chapter one of the internal revenue code and in relation to the treatment of qualified subchapter s subsidiaries under the banking corporation tax and the general corporation tax; to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to conforming the general corporation tax and unincorporated business tax allocation provisions for receipts of broadcasters and publishers and in relation to revising the allocation provisions for subscription receipts and to repeal subdivision 1-a of section 11-645 of the administrative code of the city of New York relating to the computation of the estimated tax". S.6553-A/A.3823-A

Preconsidered - State and Federal Legislation

M 0214-2002

Imposing Civil Penalties (S.7350-A/A.11776)

Communication from the Mayor - "AN ACT to amend the New York city charter, in relation to imposing civil penalties for violations of the rules of the battery park city authority and the Hudson river park trust relating to the government and protection of park and recreational property held by such authority and trust, providing for the adjudication of such violations by the environmental control board and clarifying the authority of the New York city department of parks and recreation with respect to such property". S.7350-A/A.11776

Preconsidered - State and Federal Legislation

M 0215-2002

Funding of certain cost-of-living adjustments (S.7740/ A.11800)

Communication from the Mayor - "AN ACT to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the funding of certain cost-of-living adjustments payable to retired members of the New York city employees' retirement system, the New York city teachers' retirement system, the New York city police pension fund, the New York city fire department pension fund and the New York city board of education

retirement system". S.7740/ A.11800
Preconsidered - State and Federal Legislation

M 0216-2002 Temporary retirement incentive (A.11773)

Communication from the Mayor - "AN ACT to amend chapter 69 of the laws of 2002 relating to providing a temporary retirement incentive for certain public employees; and to provide an age 55/25 temporary incentive for certain public employees, in relation to providing additional service credit for certain employees of New York city who retire pursuant to a retirement incentive". A.11773
Preconsidered - State and Federal Legislation

- 3. Communications from City, County, and Borough Offices**
- 4. Petitions and Communications**
- 5. Land Use Call-Ups**
NONE
- 6. Communications from the Speaker**
- 7. Discussion of General Orders**
- 8. Report of Special Committees**
NONE
- 9. Reports of Standing Committees**

Report of the Committee on State and Federal Legislation

SLR 0038-2002 In rem, Elia Figueroa, Bronx (S.6492, A.10411)

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Hassell-Thompson, S.6492, and Assembly Member Davis, A.10411, "AN ACT authorizing the city of New York to reconvey its interest in certain real property acquired by in rem tax foreclosure in the borough of the Bronx to former owner, Estate of Elia Figueroa, without public auction and notwithstanding expiration of the two year period within which application may be made to the city of release its interest in property thus acquired; Block No. 3062, Lot No. 3 on tax map for the borough of the Bronx ".

Coupled on GO

SLR 0042-2002 In rem, Florence Timmons, Queens (S.6282, A.9855)

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Smith, S.6282, and Assembly Member Cook, A.9855, "AN ACT authorizing the city of New York to reconvey its interest in certain real property acquired by in rem tax foreclosure in the borough of Queens to former owner Florence Timmons, notwithstanding expiration of the two year period within which application may be made to the city to release its interest in property thus acquired; Block No. 11975, Lot No. 29 on tax map for the borough of Queens".

Coupled on GO

SLR 0053-2002 Establishment of a twenty year retirement program for members of the NYCERS employed as investigators by district attorney's offices (S.6314-A, A.9914-A)

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senators Padavan, Maltese and Marchi, S.6314-A, and Assembly Members

Abbate, M. Cohen, Colton, Cymbrowitz, Ortiz, Pheffer and Seddio, et al A.9914-A, "AN ACT to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the establishment of a twenty year retirement program for members of the New York city employees' retirement system employed as investigators by district attorneys' offices; and to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to the establishment of twenty year retirement programs for such members who are subject to articles 11 and 15 of such law".

Coupled on GO

SLR 0070-2002 In rem, Frances Drakes, Brooklyn (S.6410, A.10255)

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Montgomery, S.6410, and Assembly Member Boyland, A.10255, "AN ACT authorizing the city of New York to reconvey its interest in certain real property acquired April 18, 1979 by in rem tax foreclosure in the borough of Brooklyn, to the distributees or devisees of prior owner Frances Drakes as of April 29, 1972, notwithstanding expiration of the two year period within which application may be made to the city to release its interest in property thus acquired; Block No. 1658, Lot No. 76, section 6 on the tax map for the borough of Brooklyn".

Coupled on GO

SLR 0079-2002 Employee contributions to the twenty year improved benefit retirement programs for New York city correction members (S.1544-A, A.2470-A)

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Maltese, S.1544-A, and Assembly Member Seminerio, A.2470-A, "AN ACT to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to employee contributions to the twenty year improved benefit retirement programs for New York city correction members".

Coupled on GO

SLR 0091-2002 **Establishment of a twenty-five year retirement program for members of the NYCERS or NYC board of education retirement system (S.7344, A.11392)**

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Maltese, S.7344, and by Committee on Rules, A.11392, "AN ACT to amend the administrative code of the city of New York and the retirement and social security law, in relation to the establishment of a twenty-five year retirement program for members of the New York city employees' retirement system or New York city board of education retirement system".

Coupled on GO

SLR 0093-2002 **In rem, Eleanor E. Sniffen, Staten Island (S.5418-A, A.10696)**

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Gentile, S.5418-A, and Assembly Member Mirones, A.10696, "AN ACT authorizing the city of New York to reconvey its interest in certain real property acquired by in rem tax foreclosure in the borough of Staten Island to the former owner Eleanor E. Sniffen, without public auction and notwithstanding expiration of the two year period within which application may be made to the city to release its interest in property thus acquired; Block No. 2857, Lot No. 3 on the tax map for the borough of Staten Island".

Coupled on GO

SLR 0096-2002 **Provisional appointments (S.7377, A.10291)**

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Velella, S.7377, and Assembly Members Abbate, Lavelle, Cymbrowitz and Seddio, et al, A.10291, "AN ACT to amend the civil service law, in relation to provisional appointments".

Coupled on GO

SLR 0099-2002 **Establishment of a twenty-five year/age fifty retirement**

program for members of the NYCERS employed in automotive positions (S.7598-A, A.11540-B)

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Committee on Rules, S.7598-A, and Committee on Rules, A.11540-B, "AN ACT to amend the retirement and social security law and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the establishment of a twenty-five year/age fifty retirement program for members of the New York city employees' retirement system employed in automotive positions; and in relation to providing for employer pick up, pursuant to provisions of the internal revenue code, of certain additional member contributions required to be made by certain participants in the twenty-five year/age fifty retirement programs and repealing certain provisions of the retirement and social security law relating thereto".

Preconsidered - Coupled on GO

SLR 0100-2002

In rem, Richard Bothwell, Brooklyn (S.7447-A, A.11439-A)

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Smith, S.7447-A, and Committee on Rules, A.11439-A, "AN ACT authorizing the city of New York to reconvey its interest in certain real property acquired by in rem tax foreclosure in the borough of Brooklyn to former owner Richard Bothwell, notwithstanding expiration to the two year period within which application may be made to the city to release its interest in property thus acquired; Block No. 3868, Lots No. 20 and 22 on tax map for the borough of Brooklyn also known as 891-895 Mother Gaston Boulevard in the borough of Brooklyn".

Preconsidered - Coupled on GO

SLR 0101-2002

Benefits for employees of governmental entities performing emergency medical services (S.7367-A, A.11320-A)

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State

Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senators Maltese, Alesi, Leibell, Libous, McGee, Morahan, Spano and Velella, S.7367-A, and Committee on Rules, A.11320-A, "AN ACT to amend the general municipal law, in relation to benefits for employees of governmental entities performing emergency medical services in the city of New York who suffer any condition or impairment of health caused by diseases of the heart resulting in disability or death".

Preconsidered - Coupled on GO

SLR 0102-2002 Deputy sheriffs who are injured in the performance of their duties (S.6101-B, A.9633-B)

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Maltese, S.6101-B, and Assembly Member Abbate, A.9633-B, "AN ACT to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to deputy sheriffs of the city of New York who are injured in the performance of their duties".

Preconsidered - Coupled on GO

SLR 0103-2002 Increasing benefits payable by the police and fire variable supplements funds to pension fund beneficiaries (S.5852-B, A.10373-B)

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senators Maltese, Padavan, Velella, Marchi, Spano, Leibell, Skelos, Balboni, Fuschillo, Hannon, Johnson, Lack, Lavallo, Marcellino, Trunzo and Morahan, S.5852-C, and Assembly Member Abbate, A.10373-B, "AN ACT to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to increasing benefits payable by the police and fire variable supplements funds to pension fund beneficiaries".

Preconsidered - Coupled on GO

SLR 0108-2002 Providing special accidental death benefits and accidental death benefits to registered domestic partners (S.7772, A.11799)

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Preconsidered - Coupled on GO

M 0180-2002

Adjudication of violations of laws enforced by the NYC Dep't of Consumer Affairs (S.7319A/A.11201A)

Communication from the Mayor - "AN ACT to amend the county law and the New York city charter, in relation to the adjudication of violations of laws enforced by the New York city department of consumer affairs". S.7319-A/A.11201-A
Coupled on GO

M 0181-2002

Enabling a city having a population of one million or more to raise tax revenue (S.4331A/A.8536A)

Communication from the Mayor - "AN ACT to amend the general city law, chapter 772 of the laws of 1996, relating to enabling a city having a population of one million or more to raise tax revenue, and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to tax credits authorized under the relocation and employment assistance program".

S.4331-A/A.8536-A

Coupled on GO

M 0182-2002

Number of intersections at which traffic control signal photo-monitoring devices may be installed". (S.6727/A.7266A)

Communication from the Mayor - "AN ACT to amend the vehicle and traffic law and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the number of intersections at which traffic control signal photo-monitoring devices may be installed". S.6727/A.7266-A

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taxes or annual vault charges; to amend the tax law and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to authorizing the commissioner of taxation and finance and the commissioner of finance of the city of New York to vacate tax warrants; to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the definition of partnership for purposes of title 11 of the administrative code of the city of New York and in relation to the banking corporation tax of taxpayers who elect to be taxed under subchapter s of chapter one of the internal revenue code and in relation to the treatment of qualified subchapter s subsidiaries under the banking corporation tax and the general corporation tax; to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to conforming the general corporation tax and unincorporated business tax allocation provisions for receipts of broadcasters and publishers and in relation to revising the allocation provisions for subscription receipts and to repeal subdivision 1-a of section 11-645 of the administrative code of the city of New York relating to the computation of the estimated tax". S.6553-A/A.3823-A

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10. General Order Calendar

Coupled on General Order

State and Federal Legislation

SLR 0038-2002 In rem, Elia Figueroa, Bronx (S.6492, A.10411)
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- SLR 0099-2002** **Establishment of a twenty-five year/age fifty retirement
program for members of the NYCERS employed in automotive
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Preconsidered - GO
- SLR 0100-2002** **In rem, Richard Bothwell, Brooklyn (S.7447-A, A.11439-A)**
Preconsidered - GO
- SLR 0101-2002** **Benefits for employees of governmental entities performing
emergency medical services (S.7367-A, A.11320-A)**
Preconsidered - GO
- SLR 0102-2002** **Deputy sheriffs who are injured in the performance of their
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Preconsidered - GO
- SLR 0103-2002** **Increasing benefits payable by the police and fire variable
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Preconsidered - GO

Roll Call

11. Introduction and Reading of Bills

See Attached

12. General Discussion

13. Extension of Remarks

INTRODUCTION AND READING OF BILLS

SLR 0099-2002 *By Council Member Baez*

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Committee on Rules, S.7598-A, and Committee on Rules, A.11540-B, "AN ACT to amend the retirement and social security law and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the establishment of a twenty-five year/age fifty retirement program for members of the New York city employees' retirement system employed in automotive positions; and in relation to providing for employer pick up, pursuant to provisions of the internal revenue code, of certain additional member contributions required to be made by certain participants in the twenty-five year/age fifty retirement programs and repealing certain provisions of the retirement and social security law relating thereto".

Preconsidered - State and Federal Legislation

SLR 0100-2002 *By Council Member Baez*

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Smith, S.7447-A, and Committee on Rules, A.11439-A, "AN ACT authorizing the city of New York to reconvey its interest in

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Preconsidered - State and Federal Legislation

SLR 0102-2002

By Council Member Baez ; also Council Member Monserrate

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Maltese, S.6101-B, and Assembly Member Abbate, A.9633-B, "AN ACT to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to deputy sheriffs of the city of New York who are injured in the performance of their duties".

Preconsidered - State and Federal Legislation

SLR 0103-2002

By Council Member Baez ; also Council Members Addabbo Jr. and Monserrate

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senators Maltese,

Padavan, Velella, Marchi, Spano, Leibell, Skelos, Balboni, Fuschillo, Hannon, Johnson, Lack, Lavallo, Marcellino, Trunzo and Morahan, S.5852-C, and Assembly Member Abbate, A.10373-B, "AN ACT to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to increasing benefits payable by the police and fire variable supplements funds to pension fund beneficiaries".

Preconsidered - State and Federal Legislation

SLR 0104-2002

By Council Member Baez

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Skelos, S.6840, and Assembly Member DiNapoli, et al, A.10541, "AN ACT to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to allowing the transfer of membership from the New York city police pension fund to the metropolitan transportation authority police pension fund".

State and Federal Legislation

SLR 0105-2002

By Council Member Baez ; also Council Member Gioia

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Leibell, S.7272, and Committee on Rules, A.11394, "AN ACT to amend the retirement and social security law and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the establishment of twenty-five year retirement programs for members of the New York city employees' retirement system employed as water supply police; and to amend the retirement and social security law and the general municipal law, in relation to benefits for such members who are injured in the performance of their duties".

State and Federal Legislation

SLR 0106-2002

By Council Member Baez

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senators Maltese,

Balboni, Hannon, Johnson, Lavallo, Leibell, Marcellino, Marchi, Morahan, Padavan, Spano, Trunzo and Velella, S.6473-B, and Assembly Member Abbate, A.10407-B, "AN ACT to amend the administrative code of the city of New York and the retirement and social security law, in relation to the determination of retirement benefits of certain members of the New York city police pension fund, subchapter two and the New York city department pension fund, subchapter two".

State and Federal Legislation

SLR 0107-2002

By Council Member Baez

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Maltese, S.72-B, and Assembly Members Perry, Jacobs, McLaughlin, P. Rivera, Seddio, Heastie and A. Cohen, et al, A.6337-B, "AN ACT to amend the New York city charter, the vehicle and traffic law and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the environmental control board adjudication of disputes concerning the blocking of a driveway; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon expiration thereof".

State and Federal Legislation

SLR 0108-2002

By Council Member Baez ; also Council Members Boyland, Monserrate, Reed, Gerson and Sears

State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Committee on Rules, S.7772, and Committee on Rules, A.11799, "AN ACT to amend the general municipal law, the administrative code of the city of New York, the retirement and social security law and the education law, in relation to providing special accidental death benefits and accidental death benefits to registered domestic partners of deceased members of the New York city police pension fund, subchapter two, the New York city fire department pension fund, subchapter two, the New York city employees' retirement system, the New York city

teachers' retirement system and the board of education retirement system of the city of New York".

Preconsidered - State and Federal Legislation

Int 0223-2002

By Council Members Brewer, Provenzano, Jackson, Nelson and Sears ; also Council Member Gerson and The Speaker (Speaker Quinn)

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to amending the obligations of owners to provide notice to their tenants for non-emergency repairs.

Housing and Buildings

Int 0224-2002

By Council Members Clarke and Gerson ; also Council Member Stewart

A Local Law to amend the New York City charter and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to reimbursement for health services provided to persons under the jurisdiction of the department of juvenile justice and the department of correction.

Fire and Criminal Justice Services

Int 0225-2002

By Council Members Gerson, Felder and Jackson ; also Council Member Stewart

A Local Law to amend the New York city charter, in relation to the provision of reports that detail the effects of the preliminary budget and the executive budget on the city's youth.

Youth Services

Int 0226-2002

By Council Members Gerson, Felder, Jackson and Brewer ; also The Speaker (Speaker Quinn)

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to plating and decking during street openings and excavations.

Transportation

Res 0335-2002 *By Council Member Nelson ; also Council Members Gerson and Jackson*

Resolution calling upon the New York State Legislature to authorize the City of New York to sell new taxicab medallions conditioned upon their exclusive use with wheelchair-accessible vehicles, or in the alternative, calling upon the State Legislature to authorize the sale of new taxicab medallions and allow the City of New York to impose such condition.

Transportation

Int 0227-2002 *By Council Members Perkins and Felder (by request of the Mayor); also Council Member Stewart*

A Local Law to amend the New York City charter and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to changing the name of the department of public health to the department of health and mental hygiene.

Governmental Operations

Res 0336-2002 *By Council Members Perkins, Barron and Sanders Jr. ; also Council Members Gerson and Stewart*

Resolution calling upon the State Legislature to enact Assembly Bill A9912, acknowledging the tragedy of slavery in New York State, and to establish a commemorative day to pay tribute to persons enslaved in this State.

Governmental Operations

Res 0337-2002 *By Council Members Perkins, Barron and Sanders Jr. ; also Council Member Stewart*

Resolution calling upon the State Legislature to enact Assembly Bill A9286-B, establishing a New York State commission to quantify the debt owed to people of African descent and permitting certain claims and making an appropriation therefor.

Governmental Operations

- Int 0228-2002** *By Council Member Reed*
- A Local Law in relation to a plaza name, Osvaldo Vega Plaza, Borough of Manhattan.
- Parks and Recreation***
- Int 0229-2002** *By Council Member Reed*
- A Local Law in relation to a street name, Robert Rodriguez Place, Borough of Manhattan.
- Parks and Recreation***
- Res 0338-2002** *By Council Members Seabrook, Jackson and Gennaro ; also Council Member Gerson*
- Resolution calling upon the President of the United States and the United States Congress to enforce compliance with Executive Order 13170 which increased access to federal contracts for disadvantaged businesses.
- Economic Development***
- Int 0230-2002** *By Council Member Weprin (by request of the Mayor)*
- A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to increasing the rate of tax on cigarettes.
- Finance***
- Res 0339-2002** *By Council Member Weprin ; also Council Member Stewart*
- Resolution to establish that the discount rate for the prepayment of real estate taxes be continued at 2% per annum for Fiscal Year 2003.
- Finance***
- Res 0340-2002** *By Council Member Weprin*
- Resolution to establish that the interest rate be 18% per annum for Fiscal Year 2003 for non-payment of taxes on real property where the annual tax on the parcel is more than \$2,750 or where, irrespective of the annual tax, the parcel

consists of vacant or unimproved land; and for non-payment of charges for work performed pursuant to orders of the Board of Health or Department of Health.

Finance

Res 0341-2002

By Council Member Weprin ; also Council Member Stewart

Resolution to establish that the interest rate to be charged for non-payment of taxes on real property where the annual tax on the parcel, other than a parcel that consists of vacant or unimproved land, is not more than \$2,750, be 18% per annum for Fiscal Year 2003 in the case of any such parcel where the real property taxes are held in escrow and paid to the Commissioner of Finance by a mortgage escrow agent; and 9% per annum in the case of all other such parcels.

Finance

Res 0342-2002

By Council Member Weprin ; also Council Member Stewart

Resolution to establish that the interest rate to be charged for Fiscal Year 2003 for non-payment of water rents and sewer rents be 18% per annum for any parcel where the annual real estate tax is more than \$2,750 or where the real estate taxes are held in escrow and paid to the Commissioner of Finance by a mortgage escrow agent or where the parcel consists of vacant or unimproved land; and 9% per annum in all other cases.

Finance

Res 0343-2002

By Council Members Yassky, The Speaker (Speaker Quinn), Reed, Lopez, Gerson and Jackson

Resolution calling upon the New York State legislature to enact legislation to protect persons from discrimination based on actual or perceived sexual orientation and from discrimination based on gender identity, self image, appearance, behavior or expression.

General Welfare

LU 0198-2002

By Council Member Katz

Uniform land use review procedure application no. C 020547 HAM, an Urban Development Action Area Designation and Project, generally located at 755/765 10th Avenue, and the disposition of such property, Borough of Manhattan, Council District no. 3. This matter is subject to Council Review and action pursuant to §197-c and §197-d of the New York City Charter and Article 16 of the General Municipal Law.

Planning, Dispositions and Concessions

LU 0199-2002

By Council Member Katz

Uniform land use review procedure, application no. C 020548 HUM pursuant to §197-c and §197-d of the Charter of the City of New York and §505 of the General Municipal Law concerning the approval of an amendment to the Clinton Urban Renewal Plan, Borough of Manhattan, Council District no. 3.

Planning, Dispositions and Concessions

LU 0200-2002

By Council Member Katz

Uniform land use review procedure application no. C 020591 HAM, an Urban Development Action Area Designation and Project, located at 225-241 East 118th Street, and the disposition of such property, Borough of Manhattan, Council District no. 8. This matter is subject to Council Review and action pursuant to §197-c and §197-d of the New York City Charter and Article 16 of the General Municipal Law.

Planning, Dispositions and Concessions

LU 0201-2002

By Council Member Katz

Uniform land use review procedure application no. C 020177 PPQ, pursuant to §197-c and §197-d of the New York City Charter concerning the disposition of four city-owned properties, located in Community Board 3, Borough of Queens, Council Districts no. 21 and 25. This application is subject to review and action by the Land Use Committee only if appealed to the Council pursuant to §197-d(b)(2) of the

Charter or called up by vote of the Council pursuant to §197-d(b)(3) of the Charter.

Planning, Dispositions and Concessions

LU 0202-2002

By Council Member Katz

Uniform land use review procedure application no. C 020590 HAK, an Urban Development Action Area Designation and Project, located at 68-84 Harrison Avenue, and the disposition of such property, Borough of Brooklyn, Council District no. 33. This matter is subject to Council Review and action pursuant to §197-c and §197-d of the New York City Charter and Article 16 of the General Municipal Law.

Planning, Dispositions and Concessions