# THE COUNCIL THE CITY OF NEW YORK AGENDA

# STATED MEETING

## May 5, 2016

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## ROLL CALL

**2. INVOCATION** Delivered by: Rev. Juan Carlos Ruiz, St. Jacobi Evangelical Lutheran Church, 5406 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Brooklyn, N.Y. 11220.

Motion to spread the invocation in full upon the record by **Council Member Menchaca** 

### ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Motion that the Minutes of the Stated Meeting of April 7, 2016 be adopted as printed by **Council Member Cabrera** 

#### 4. MESSAGES & PAPERS FROM THE MAYOR <u>M 395</u>

Communication from the Mayor – Submitting the name of **Robert Farrell, Jr.** to the City Council for advice and consent concerning his appointment to the New York City Tax Commission, pursuant to Sections 31 and 153 of the New York City Charter.

#### Rules, Privileges and Elections

#### <u>M 396</u>

Communication from the Mayor – Submitting the name of **Nora Marino** to the City Council for its advice and consent concerning her reappointment to the New York City Taxi and Limousine Commission, pursuant to Sections 31 and 2301 of the New York City Charter.

#### **Rules, Privileges and Elections**

### <u>M 397</u>

Communication from the Mayor - Submitting the Expense Revenue Contract Budget, for Fiscal Year 2017, pursuant to Section 249 of the New York City Charter. **Finance** 

#### M 398

Communication from the Mayor - Submitting the Executive Capital Budget for Fiscal Year 2017, pursuant to Section 249 of the New York City Charter. Finance

#### M 399

Communication from the Mayor - Submitting the Proposed City Fiscal Year 2017 Community Development Program, the Proposed CFY'17 Budget, the Proposed Reallocations-the CD XDLII Funds, Proposed CD XLIII Statement of Objectives and Budget, dated April 26, 2016.

#### Finance

#### M 400

Communication from the Mayor - Submitting the Executive Budget Supporting Schedules, for Fiscal Year 2017 pursuant to Section 250 of the New York City Charter.

#### Finance

#### M 401

Communication from the Mayor - Submitting the Capital Commitment Plan, Executive Budget, Fiscal Year 2017, Volumes I, II, III and IV, pursuant to Section 219(d) of the New York City Charter.

#### Finance

#### M 402

Communication from the Mayor - Submitting the Executive Budget -Geographic Reports for Expense Budget for Fiscal Year 2017.

#### Finance

#### <u>M 403</u>

Communication from the Mayor - Submitting the Executive Capital Budget Fiscal Year 2017, Capital Project Detail Data, Citywide Volumes 1 and 2 and Volumes for the Five Boroughs, dated April 26, 2016 pursuant to the provisions of Sections 213 (4) & 219 (D) of the New York City Charter. Finance

#### M 404

Communication from the Mayor - Submitting the Budget Summary, Message of the Mayor and Summary of Reduction Program relative to the Executive Budget, Fiscal Year 2017, pursuant to Section 249 of the New York City Charter.

#### Finance

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#### M 405

Communication from the Mayor - Submitting certificate setting forth the maximum amount of debt and reserves which the City, and the NYC Municipal Water Finance Authority, may soundly incur for capital projects for Fiscal Year 2017 and the ensuing three fiscal years, and the maximum amount of appropriations and expenditures for capital projects which may soundly be made during each fiscal year, pursuant to Section 250 (16) of the New York City Charter.

#### **Received, Ordered, Printed and Filed**

### **5. COMMUNICATION FROM CITY, COUNTY & BOROUGH OFFICES**

None

#### **PETITIONS & COMMUNICATIONS**

#### None

#### LAND USE CALL-UPS M 406

By Council Member Levin:

Pursuant to Rule 11.20(b) of the Council and §20-226 or §20-225 of the New York City Administrative Code, the Council resolves that the action of the Department of Consumer Affairs approving an unenclosed sidewalk café located at 114 Nassau Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, Community Board No. 1, Application No. **20165363 TCK** shall be subject to review by the Council.

#### Roll Call

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#### 8. COMMUNICATION FROM THE SPEAKER

#### 9. DISCUSSION OF GENERAL ORDERS

10. REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES None

#### 11. REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES Report of the Committee on Consumer Affairs Int 1006-A

An Amended Local Law to repeal section 24-423 of the administrative code of the city of New York, relating to the licensure of operators of motion-picture projecting machines.

#### Amended and Coupled on GO

#### Report of the Committee on Finance Preconsidered <u>L.U. 359</u> & <u>Res 1063</u>

810 River Avenue, Block 2483, Lot 5; Bronx, Community District No. 4, Council District No. 8.

#### Coupled on GO

#### Preconsidered L.U. 360 & Res 1064

Calvary Baptist Church Senior Housing, Block 12182, Lot 80; Queens, Community District No. 12, Council District No. 28. **Coupled on GO** 

### **Report of the Committee on Governmental Operations**

#### <u>Int 62-A</u>

An Amended Local Law to amend the New York city charter, in relation to requiring notice on former poll sites.

#### Amended and Coupled on GO

#### <u>Int 463-A</u>

An Amended Local Law to amend the New York city charter, in relation to providing e-mail and text message notifications to New York city voters. **Amended and Coupled on GO** 

#### Int 659-A

An Amended Local Law to amend the New York city charter, in relation to creating an online voter information portal allowing absentee voters to track the status of their absentee application and ballot, allowing users to view their registration status and voting history and allowing users to access online resources related to voting.

#### Amended and Coupled on GO

#### Report of the Committee on Land Use L.U. 358 & Res 1065

Application No. **C 050319 MMQ** submitted by New York City Department of Parks and Recreation pursuant to Sections 197-c and 199 of the New York City Charter and Section 5-430 of the New York City Administrative Code for an amendment to the City Map involving the establishment of Socrates Sculpture Park, Borough of Queens, Community Board 1, Council District 26. 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 a vote of the Council pursuant to 197-d(b)(3) of the Charter. **Coupled on GO** 

#### Report of the Committee on Recovery and Resiliency Int 448-A

An Amended Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to civil and criminal penalties for building code violations resulting from certain work done in response to a natural or man-made disaster. **Amended and Coupled on GO** 

#### <u>Int 1037-A</u>

An Amended Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to violations received after a disaster. **Amended and Coupled on GO** 

### Amended and coupled on Go

#### Report of the Committee on Sanitation and Solid Waste Management

#### <u>Int 209-A</u>

An Amended Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to reducing the use of carryout bags. **Amended and Coupled on GO** 

#### Report of the Committee on Women's Issues Int 1137-A

An Amended Local Law to amend the New York city charter, in relation to creating a commission on gender equity.

#### Amended and Coupled on GO

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#### GENERAL ORDER CALENDAR

Commissioner of Deeds Coupled on GO

#### COUPLED ON GENERAL ORDER CALENDAR Consumer Affairs

Int 1006-A - Licensure of operators of motion-picture projecting machines. A and GO

Finance

**Preconsidered** <u>L.U. 359</u> & <u>Res 1063</u> - 810 River Avenue, Bronx, Community District No. 4, Council District No. 8.

**GO Preconsidered** <u>L.U. 360</u> & <u>Res 1064</u> - Calvary Baptist Church Senior Housing, Queens, Community District No. 12, Council District No. 28. **GO** 

#### **Governmental Operations**

Int 62-A - Requiring notice on former poll sites. A and GO Int 463-A - Providing e-mail and text message notifications to New York city voters. A and GO Int 659-A - Online voter information portal.

A and GO

#### Land Use

L.U. 358 & <u>Res 1065</u> - Socrates Sculpture Park, Queens, Community Board 1, Council District 26.

GO

### **Recovery and Resiliency**

Int 448-A - Civil and criminal penalties for building code violations. A and GO Int 1037-A - Violations received after a disaster. A and GO

#### **Sanitation and Solid Waste Management**

Int 209-A - Reducing the use of carryout bags. A and GO

#### Women's Issues

Int 1137-A - Creating a commission on gender equity. A and GO

### **GENERAL ORDER CALENDAR**

Commissioner of Deeds **GO** 

Roll Call

**13.** INTRODUCTION & READING OF BILLS

See Attached

#### DISCUSSION OF RESOLUTIONS

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### RESOLUTIONS

<u>Res 553-A</u>

An Amended Resolution calling on the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, A.8582-A and S.3813-B, which would allow early voting in New York State.

# Amended and Adopted by the Committee on Governmental Operations

#### <u>Res 848</u>

Resolution calling upon the New York State Legislature and the People of the State of New York to amend the State Constitution, and the New York State Legislature to pass and the Governor to sign legislation amending the Election Law to establish same-day and online voter registration.

#### Adopted by the Committee on Governmental Operations

#### <u>Res 853</u>

Resolution calling on Congress to pass, and the President to sign, H.R. 1217, also known as the Public Safety and Second Amendment Rights Protection Act of 2015, which closes loopholes in the current gun background check system. **Adopted by the Committee on Public Safety** 

#### <u>Res 979-A</u>

An Amended Resolution calling upon the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, legislation that provides safeguards against wrongful convictions by requiring law enforcement to implement evidence-based eyewitness identification procedures and recording of custodial interrogations.

#### Amended and Adopted by the Committee on Public Safety

#### <u>Res 1000</u>

Resolution recognizing March 5<sup>th</sup> as "Three-Fifths Clause Awareness Day" to be officially observed each year in New York City.

#### Adopted by the Committee on Civil Rights

#### <u>Res 1001-A</u>

An Amended Resolution calling upon Congress to add an amendment to the Constitution of the United States directly negating the language of Article 1, Section two, Paragraph 3, known as the "three-fifths clause".

#### Amended and Adopted by the Committee on Civil Rights

#### <u>Res 1024</u>

Resolution calling on Congress and the President to oppose H.R.923/S.498, known as the "Constitutional Concealed Carry Reciprocity Act of 2015," and related bill H.R.402, known as the "National Right-to-Carry Reciprocity Act of 2015," which would allow a resident from one state who has a license to carry a concealed handgun to lawfully carry his or her handgun in a different state, regardless of the licensing eligibility standards in the other state.

#### Adopted by the Committee on Public Safety

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#### Preconsidered <u>Res 1061</u>

Resolution calling upon the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, A.2644, and the electors of the State of New York to approve and ratify the resulting constitutional amendment, to establish no-excuse absentee voting.

### Adopted by the Committee on Governmental Operations

#### 16.GENERAL DISCUSSION

#### **17. EXTENSION OF REMARKS**

#### **INTRODUCTION AND READING OF BILLS Res 1058**

By Council Members Cohen, Deutsch, Garodnick, Greenfield, Grodenchik, Kallos, Koslowitz, Lancman, Levine, Maisel, Treyger and Rosenthal:

Resolution calling on the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, A8220/S6086 and A9036/S6378, in relation to purchasing restrictions on persons boycotting Israel; and to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to the investment of certain public funds in companies bovcotting Israel.

#### Contracts

#### Int 1172

By Council Members Crowley, Cumbo, Johnson and Rosenthal:

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 issue an annual report on maternal mortality.

#### Health

#### Int 1173

By Council Member Espinal:

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to increasing maximum charges for towing motor vehicles.

#### **Consumer Affairs**

#### **Int 1174**

By Council Member Eugene:

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the placement of automated, self-administered blood pressure testing machines at certain public places. Health

#### **Res 1059**

By Council Member Eugene:

Resolution calling upon the state of New York to provide blood pressure machines in public places throughout the state.

#### Health

#### **Int 1175**

By Council Member Garodnick:

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to placement of signs on all bridges and tunnels entering the City warning of the penalty for possessing a firearm.

#### Transportation

#### <u>Int 1176</u>

By Council Member Kallos:

A Local Law to amend the New York city charter, in relation to requiring budget documents to be provided in certain formats. Finance

#### Preconsidered Res 1060

By Council Member Kallos:

Resolution calling upon the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, the Voter Empowerment Act of New York (A.5972 and S.2538-B), to streamline the voter registration process.

#### **Governmental Operations**

#### Preconsidered <u>Res 1061</u>

By Council Member Kallos:

Resolution calling upon the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, A.2644, and the electors of the State of New York to approve and ratify the resulting constitutional amendment, to establish noexcuse absentee voting.

#### **Governmental Operations**

#### **Res 1062**

By Council Member Rodriguez:

Resolution calling upon the United States Congress to pass and the President to sign legislation requiring automobile manufacturers to include carbon monoxide detectors in all cars sold in the United States.

#### **State and Federal Legislation**

#### Int 1177

By Council Members Rosenthal, Eugene and Rodriguez: A Local Law in relation to requiring a study on the feasibility of implementing Barnes dance pedestrian crossing systems in dangerous intersections. Transportation

#### Int 1178

By Council Member Vacca:

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to making disclosure forms of elected officials posted on the conflicts of interest board's website available in a non-proprietary, machine-readable format.

#### Technology

#### Int 1179

By Council Members Van Bramer and Espinal:

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to preventing businesses licensed by the department of consumer affairs from unlawfully parking on a sidewalk or crosswalk.

#### **Consumer Affairs**

#### Int 1180

By Council Members Van Bramer and Espinal: A Local Law in relation to increasing penalties for repeated violations of unlawful parking on a sidewalk or crosswalk.

#### Finance

#### Preconsidered L.U. 359

By Council Member Ferreras-Copeland: 810 River Avenue, Block 2483, Lot 5; Bronx, Community District No. 4, Council District No. 8.

#### Finance

#### Preconsidered L.U. 360

By Council Member Ferreras-Copeland: Calvary Baptist Church Senior Housing, Block 12182, Lot 80; Queens, Community District No. 12, Council District No. 28. **Finance** 

#### Preconsidered L.U. 361

By Council Member Greenfield:

Application No. **N 160166 ZRM** submitted by the Alliance for Downtown New York, the Economic Development Corporation, and Department of City Planning pursuant to Section 201 of the New York City for an amendment of Article IX, Chapter 1 (Special Lower Manhattan District) of the New York City Zoning Resolution, concerning permitted uses in arcades, plazas, and urban plazas, Borough of Manhattan, Community Board 1, Council District 1.

#### **Zoning and Franchises**

#### <u>L.U. 362</u>

By Council Member Greenfield:

Application No. **20165363 TCK** pursuant to Section 20-226 of the Administrative Code of the City of New York, concerning the petition of GFLC Market LLC, d/b/a Greenpoint Fish and Lobster Company, for a revocable consent to establish, maintain and operate an unenclosed sidewalk café located at 114 Nassau Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, Community Board 1, Council District 33. This application is subject to review and action by the Land Use Committee only if called-up by vote of the Council pursuant to Rule 11.20b of the Council and Section 20-226 of the New York City Administrative Code.

#### Zoning and Franchises

### <u>L.U. 363</u>

By Council Member Greenfield:

Application No. **C 160064 ZMX** submitted by Mosholu Petrol Realty, LLC pursuant to Sections 197-s and 201 of the New York City for an amendment of the Zoning Map, Section No. 1d, changing from an R8 district to a C8-2 district property located at Jerome Avenue and Risse Street, Borough of the Bronx, Community Board 7, Council District 11.

#### Zoning and Franchises

### <u>L.U. 364</u>

By Council Member Greenfield:

Application No. **20165576 HAX** submitted by New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development pursuant to Section 577 of the Private Housing Finance Law for the approval of a real property tax exemption for property located at 775 Jennings Street, Borough of the Bronx, Community Board 3, Council District 16.

#### Planning, Dispositions, and Concessions

#### <u>L.U. 365</u>

By Council Member Greenfield:

Application No. **20165577 HAX** submitted by New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development pursuant to Section 577 of the Private Housing Finance Law for the approval of a real property tax exemption for properties located at 384 Grand Concourse, 1038 Rogers Place, 1129 Morris Avenue, 1202, 1183, and 1171 Clay Avenue, Borough of the Bronx, Community Boards 1, 2, and 4, Council Districts 8, 17, and 16.

Planning, Dispositions, and Concessions