

The New York City Council

*City Hall
New York, NY 10007*



Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, February 25, 2026

10:00 AM

Council Chambers - City Hall

Committee to Combat Hate

Yusef Salaam, Chair

*Members: Shekar Krishnan, Darlene Mealy, Pierina Ana Sanchez, Lynn C. Schulman
and Julie Won*

Roll Call

Present: Salaam, Krishnan, Mealy, Schulman and Won

Conflict: Sanchez

Other Council Members Attending: Speaker Menin, Avilés, Nurse, Hanif, Dinowitz, Restler, Vernikov, Stevens, Williams, Lee, Hudson, Santosuosso, Wong, Gennaro, Cabán, Won and Abreu

Int 0001-2026

Report Required

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1-B, Summary of Int. No. 1-A, Summary of Int. No. 1, Int. No. 1, January 29, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-29-26, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Proposed Int. No. 1-A - 2/23/26, Proposed Int. No. 1-A -Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 1, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 2, Appearance Cards 2/25/26, Hearing Transcript 2/25/26, Proposed Int. No. 1-B - 3/19/26, Proposed Int. No. 1-B - Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 3/26/26, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, March 26, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Int. No. 1-B (FINAL)

Proposed Int. No. 1-A

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This Introduction was Amended by Committee

Int 0001-2026-A

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This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee**Int 0022-2026**

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 22-A, Summary of Int. No. 22, Int. No. 22, January 29, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-29-26, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 1, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 2, Appearance Cards 2/25/26, Hearing Transcript 2/25/26, Memorandum in Support, Proposed Int. No. 22-A - 3/19/26, Proposed Int. No. 22-A - Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 3/26/26, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, March 26, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Int. No. 22-A (FINAL)

This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 22-A, Summary of Int. No. 22, Int. No. 22, January 29, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-29-26, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 1, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 2, Appearance Cards 2/25/26, Hearing Transcript 2/25/26, Memorandum in Support, Proposed Int. No. 22-A - 3/19/26, Proposed Int. No. 22-A - Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 3/26/26, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, March 26, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Int. No. 22-A (FINAL)

This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee**Int 0165-2026**

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 165, Int. No. 165, Memorandum in Support, January 29, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-29-26, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 1, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 2, Appearance Cards 2/25/26, Hearing Transcript 2/25/26

This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 165, Int. No. 165, Memorandum in Support, January 29, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-29-26, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 1, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 2, Appearance Cards 2/25/26, Hearing Transcript 2/25/26

This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee

Int 0175-2026

Report Required

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 175-B, Summary of Int. No. 175-A, Summary of Int. No. 175, Int. No. 175, January 29, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-29-26, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Proposed Int. No. 175-A - 2/23/26, Proposed Int. No. 175-A - Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 1, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 2, Appearance Cards 2/25/26, Hearing Transcript 2/25/26, Proposed Int. No. 175-B - 3/19/26, Proposed Int. No. 175-B - Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 3/26/26, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, March 26, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Memorandum in Support, Int. No. 175-B (FINAL)

Proposed Int. No. 175-A

This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 175-B, Summary of Int. No. 175-A, Summary of Int. No. 175, Int. No. 175, January 29, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-29-26, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Proposed Int. No. 175-A - 2/23/26, Proposed Int. No. 175-A - Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 1, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 2, Appearance Cards 2/25/26, Hearing Transcript 2/25/26, Proposed Int. No. 175-B - 3/19/26, Proposed Int. No. 175-B - Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 3/26/26, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, March 26, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Memorandum in Support, Int. No. 175-B (FINAL)

This Introduction was Amendment Proposed by Comm

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 175-B, Summary of Int. No. 175-A, Summary of Int. No. 175, Int. No. 175, January 29, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-29-26, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Proposed Int. No. 175-A - 2/23/26, Proposed Int. No. 175-A - Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 1, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 2, Appearance Cards 2/25/26, Hearing Transcript 2/25/26, Proposed Int. No. 175-B - 3/19/26, Proposed Int. No. 175-B - Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 3/26/26, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, March 26, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Memorandum in Support, Int. No. 175-B (FINAL)

This Introduction was Amended by Committee

Int 0175-2026-A

Report Required

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 175-B, Summary of Int. No. 175-A, Summary of Int. No. 175, Int. No. 175, January 29, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-29-26, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Proposed Int. No. 175-A - 2/23/26, Proposed Int. No. 175-A - Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 1, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 2, Appearance Cards 2/25/26, Hearing Transcript 2/25/26, Proposed Int. No. 175-B - 3/19/26, Proposed Int. No. 175-B - Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 3/26/26, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, March 26, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Memorandum in Support, Int. No. 175-B (FINAL)

This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee**Int 0297-2026**

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 297-A, Summary of Int. No. 297, Int. No. 297, January 29, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-29-26, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 1, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 2, Appearance Cards 2/25/26, Hearing Transcript 2/25/26, Proposed Int. No. 297-A - 3/19/26, Proposed Int. No. 297-A - Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 3/26/26, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, March 26, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Int. No. 297-A (FINAL)

This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 297-A, Summary of Int. No. 297, Int. No. 297, January 29, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-29-26, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 1, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 2, Appearance Cards 2/25/26, Hearing Transcript 2/25/26, Proposed Int. No. 297-A - 3/19/26, Proposed Int. No. 297-A - Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 3/26/26, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, March 26, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Int. No. 297-A (FINAL)

This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee**Int 0327-2026**

Agency Rule-making Required

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 327-A, Summary of Int. No. 327, Int. No. 327, January 29, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-29-26, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 1, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 2, Appearance Cards 2/25/26, Hearing Transcript 2/25/26, Proposed Int. No. 327-A - 3/19/26

This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 327-A, Summary of Int. No. 327, Int. No. 327, January 29, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-29-26, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 1, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 2, Appearance Cards 2/25/26, Hearing Transcript 2/25/26, Proposed Int. No. 327-A - 3/19/26

This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee

Int 0388-2026

Report Required

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 388-A, Summary of Int. No. 388, Int. No. 388, Memorandum in Support, January 29, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-29-26, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 1, Hearing Testimony 2/25/26 additional 2, Appearance Cards 2/25/26, Hearing Transcript 2/25/26, Proposed Int. No. 388-A - 3/19/26, Proposed Int. No. 388-A - Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Committee Report 3/26/26, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, March 26, 2026 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Int. No. 388-A (FINAL)

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