

# The New York City Council

*City Hall  
New York, NY 10007*



## Meeting Minutes

**Wednesday, January 18, 2017**

**10:00 AM**

**Committee Room - City Hall**

### **Committee on Finance**

*Julissa Ferreras-Copeland, Chair*

*Members: Ydanis A. Rodriguez, James G. Van Bramer, Vanessa L. Gibson,  
Robert E. Cornegy, Jr., Laurie A. Cumbo, Corey D. Johnson, Mark Levine,  
I Daneek Miller, Helen K. Rosenthal and Steven Matteo*

## Roll Call

**Present:** Ferreras-Copeland, Rodriguez, Van Bramer, Gibson, Cornegy Jr., Cumbo, Levine, Miller, Rosenthal and Matteo

**Absent:** Johnson

Int 1281-2016

**A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the review and evaluation of economic development tax expenditures, and to repeal chapter 29 of title 11 of such code, relating to the establishment of the tax study commission**

**Attachments:** Summary of Int. No. 1281-A, Summary of Int. No. 1281, Int. No. 1281 - 9/28/16, Evaluating Economic Development Tax Expenditures - Final Report, Committee Report 9/22/16, Hearing Testimony 9/22/16, Hearing Transcript 9/22/16, Committee Report 1/18/17, Hearing Transcript 1/18/17, January 18, 2017 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Fiscal Impact Statement, Int. No. 1281-A (FINAL), Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-18-17

*Proposed Int. No. 1281-A*

**This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee**

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**This Introduction was Amended by Committee**

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

**Affirmative:** 10 - Ferreras-Copeland, Rodriguez, Van Bramer, Gibson, Cornegy Jr., Cumbo, Levine, Miller, Rosenthal and Matteo

**Absent:** 1 - Johnson

**Int 1371-2016      A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to authorizing an increase in the amount to be expended annually in the DUMBO business improvement district and an extension of the DUMBO business improvement district**

**Attachments:** Summary of Int. No. 1371, Int. No. 1371, City Planning Commission Report, November 29, 2016 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Committee Report 12/15/16, Hearing Testimony 12/15/16, Hearing Transcript 12/15/16, Committee Report 1/18/17, Hearing Transcript 1/18/17, January 18, 2017 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Fiscal Impact Statement, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-18-17

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**Absent:** 1 - Johnson

Int 1385-2016

**A Local Law to amend the New York city charter and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the sale of tax liens and notice to property owners when property tax bills are available online**

**Attachments:** Summary of Int. No. 1385-A, Int. No. 1385 - 12/6/16, December 6, 2016 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Committee Report 1/11/17, Hearing Testimony 1/11/17, Hearing Transcript 1/11/17, Committee Report 1/18/17, Hearing Transcript 1/18/17, January 18, 2017 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Fiscal Impact Statement, Int. No. 1385-A (FINAL), Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-18-17

*Proposed Int. No. 1385-A*

**This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee**

**Attachments:** Summary of Int. No. 1385-A, Int. No. 1385 - 12/6/16, December 6, 2016 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Committee Report 1/11/17, Hearing Testimony 1/11/17, Hearing Transcript 1/11/17, Committee Report 1/18/17, Hearing Transcript 1/18/17, January 18, 2017 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Fiscal Impact Statement, Int. No. 1385-A (FINAL), Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-18-17

**This Introduction was Amendment Proposed by Comm**

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**This Introduction was Amended by Committee**

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

**Affirmative:** 10 - Ferreras-Copeland, Rodriguez, Van Bramer, Gibson, Cornegy Jr., Cumbo, Levine, Miller, Rosenthal and Matteo

**Absent:** 1 - Johnson

Res 1352-2017

**Resolution approving the new designation and changes in the designation of certain organizations to receive funding in the Expense Budget**

**Attachments:** Committee Report, Charts for Resolution, Hearing Transcript, January 18, 2017 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-18-17

**This Resolution was Hearing on P-C Item by Comm**

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**A motion was made that this Resolution be P-C Item Approved by Comm approved by Roll Call.**

**Affirmative:** 10 - Ferreras-Copeland, Rodriguez, Van Bramer, Gibson, Cornegy Jr., Cumbo, Levine, Miller, Rosenthal and Matteo

**Absent:** 1 - Johnson