

# The New York City Council

*City Hall  
New York, NY 10007*



## Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, May 14, 2019

1:00 PM

250 Broadway - Committee Rm, 16th Fl.

### **Subcommittee on Landmarks, Public Siting and Maritime Uses**

*Adrienne E. Adams, Chair*

*Members: Inez D. Barron, Peter A. Koo,  
I. Daneek Miller and Mark Treyger*

Roll Call

**Present:** Adams, Koo and Treyger

**Absent:** Barron and Miller

*Other Council Members Attending: Richards and Ampry-Samuel*

LU 0398-2019

**Application No. 20195473 HAM (East Harlem El Barrio Community Land Trust) submitted by the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development requesting the approval of an Urban Development Action Area Project pursuant to Section 694 of the General Municipal Law and approval of an exemption from real property taxation pursuant to Section 577 of Article XI of the Private Housing Finance Law for property located at 53 East 110th Street (Block 1616, Lot 123), 304 East 126th Street (Block 1802, Lot 47) and 201 East 120th Street (Block 1785, Lot 1), Borough of Manhattan, Council District 8, Community District 11, and 204 West 121st Street (Block 1926, Lot 35), Borough of Manhattan, Council District 9, Community District 10.**

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LU 0399-2019      **Application No. 20195470 HAM (Lenox Avenue Cluster) submitted by the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development pursuant to Section 694 of the General Municipal Law for the approval of an Urban Development Action Area Project and pursuant to Section 577 of Article XI of the Private Housing Finance Law for the approval of an exemption from real property taxation for property located at 135 West 132nd Street, and 406, 422, 424, 426, 428, 432 Lenox Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Council District 9, Community District 10.**

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LU 0400-2019      **Application No. 20195535 HAM (MNN1802 CLOTH Amsterdam Avenue – 2185 Amsterdam Avenue) submitted by the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development pursuant to Article 16 of the General Municipal Law for the approval of an urban development area project and pursuant to Article XI of the Private Housing Finance Law for the approval of an exemption from real property taxes for property located at 2185 Amsterdam Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Council District 10, Community District 12.**

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**Application No. 20195534 HAM (MNN1802 CLOTH Amsterdam Avenue – 2110 Amsterdam Avenue) submitted by the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development pursuant to Article 16 of the General Municipal Law for the approval of an urban development area project and pursuant to Article XI of the Private Housing Finance Law for the approval of an exemption from real property taxes for property located at 2110 Amsterdam Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Council District 7, Community District 12.**

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**Application No. 20195536 HAM (MNN1802 CLOTH Amsterdam Avenue – 2488-90 Adam Clayton Powell Jr. Blvd.) submitted by the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development pursuant to Article 16 of the General Municipal Law for the approval of an urban development area project and pursuant to Article XI of the Private Housing Finance Law for the approval of an exemption from real property taxes for property located at 2488-90 Adam Clayton Powell Jr. Blvd. and 2794 Frederick Douglas Blvd., Borough of Manhattan, Council District 9, Community District 10.**

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LU 0415-2019

**Application No. C 180517 MMQ (JFK North Site) submitted by Jughandle Realty LLC and The New York City Economic Development Corporation, pursuant to Sections 197-c and 199 of the New York City Charter and Section 5-430 et seq. of the New York City Administrative Code, for an amendment to the City Map involving the elimination, narrowing and realignment of the Nassau Expressway and the establishment of a portion of the south street line of Rockaway Boulevard within the area bounded by 159th Street, Nassau Expressway and Rockaway Boulevard, and the adjustment of grades and block dimensions necessitated thereby, and authorization for any acquisition or disposition of real property related thereto. Borough of Queens, Council District 31, Community District 13.**

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LU 0416-2019

**Application No. C 190127 PQM (Manhattanville Walkway 437 West 126th Street) submitted by the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development, pursuant to Section 197-c of the New York City Charter, for the acquisition of property located at 437 West 126th Street (Block 1967, Lot 5) for use as an open, landscaped walkway. Borough of Manhattan, Council District 7, Community District 9.**

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LU 0417-2019

**Application No. C 190128 HAM (Manhattanville Walkway 437 West 126th Street) submitted by the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development, pursuant to Section 197-c of the New York City Charter and Article 16 of the General Municipal Law, for an urban development action area designation and project approval, and the disposition of city-owned property, for property located at 437 West 126th Street (Block 1967, Lot 5). Borough of Manhattan, Council District 7, Community District 9.**

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LU 0418-2019

**Application No. 20190177 HAK (Brownsville North NCP) submitted by the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development pursuant to Section 197-c of the New York City Charter and Article 16 of the General Municipal Law, for an urban development action area designation and project approval, and the disposition of city-owned property located at 379-383 Howard Avenue (Block 146, Lots 1 and 3) and 1297 East New York Avenue (Block 1476, Lot 34), to a developer to be selected by HPD. Borough of Brooklyn, Council District 41, Community District 16.**

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