

The New York City Council

*New York City Council
City Hall
New York, NY 10007*



Meeting Minutes

Monday, January 26, 2009

1:00 PM

Committee Room - City Hall

Subcommittee on Planning, Dispositions and Concessions

*Daniel R. Garodnick, Chair
Members: Maria Baez, Inez E. Dickens,
Sara M. Gonzalez and Vincent M. Ignizio*

Roll Call

Present, Garodnick, Dickens, Gonzalez and Ignizio

Absent, Baez

Other Council Members Attending: Mendez

LU 0851-2008

Application no. 20095009 HAK submitted by the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development for Council approval, pursuant to Article 11 of the Private Housing Finance Law, for a modification to a previously approved Urban Development Action Area Project and related tax exemption located at 295 Jefferson Street (Block 3166/Lot 52), Council District No. 4, Borough of Brooklyn.

Attachments: Hearing Transcript - Planning 7/21/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 9/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 9/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 9/16/08, Press Advisory, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/7/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/17/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 10/17/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/20/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 11/17/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 11/19/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/18/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/10/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 2/23/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/23/09, Hearing Transcript - Land Use 2/24/09

This Land Use Application was Hearing Held by Committee

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This Land Use Application was Laid Over by Subcommittee

LU 0945-2008 **Application no. 20095220 HAX, an amended Urban Development Action Area Project located at 3100, 3106, 3120 Third Avenue and 507 East 158th Street, Council District no. 17, Borough of the Bronx. This matter is subject to Council review and action pursuant to Article 16 of the New York General Municipal Law, at the request of the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development and pursuant to Section 696 of the General Municipal Law for a tax exemption.**

Attachments: Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/18/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Land Use 1/27/09

This Land Use Application was Hearing Held by Committee

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A motion was made that this Land Use Application be Approved by Subcommittee approved by Roll Call.

Affirmative, 4 -

Garodnick, Dickens, Gonzalez and Ignizio

Absent, 1 -

Baez

LU 0879-2008 **Application no. 20095053 HAM an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 824 St. Nicholas Avenue, Council District no. 7, Borough of Manhattan. This matter is subject to Council review and action pursuant to Article 16 of the New York General Municipal Law, at the request of the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development, and pursuant to Section 577 of the Private Housing Finance Law for a partial tax exemption.**

Attachments: Hearing Transcript - Planning 9/16/08, Press Advisory, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/7/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/17/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 10/17/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/20/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 11/17/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 11/19/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/18/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Land Use 1/27/09

This Land Use Application was Hearing Held by Committee

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A motion was made that this Land Use Application be Approved by Subcommittee approved by Roll Call.

Affirmative, 4 -

Garodnick, Dickens, Gonzalez and Ignizio

Absent, 1 -

Baez

LU 0894-2008

Application no. 20095106 HAK, an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 1216 Pacific Street, Council District no. 36, Borough of Brooklyn. This matter is subject to Council review and action pursuant to Article 16 of the New York General Municipal Law, at the request of the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development.

Attachments: Press Advisory, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/7/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/17/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 10/17/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/20/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 11/17/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 11/19/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/18/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/10/09, Hearing Transcript - Land Use 2/10/09

This Land Use Application was Hearing Held by Committee

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This Land Use Application was Laid Over by Subcommittee

LU 0895-2008 **Application no. 20095107 HAK, an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 476 Linden Boulevard, Council District no. 40, Borough of Brooklyn. This matter is subject to Council review and action pursuant to Article 16 of the New York General Municipal Law, at the request of the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development.**

Attachments: Press Advisory, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/7/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/17/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 10/17/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/20/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 11/17/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 11/19/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/18/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/10/09, Hearing Transcript - Land Use 2/10/09

This Land Use Application was Hearing Held by Committee

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This Land Use Application was Laid Over by Subcommittee

LU 0896-2008 **Application no. 20095108 HAQ, an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 142-05 Rockaway Boulevard, Council District no. 28, Borough of Queens. This matter is subject to Council review and action pursuant to Article 16 of the New York General Municipal Law, at the request of the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development.**

Attachments: Press Advisory, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/7/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/17/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 10/17/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 10/20/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 11/17/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 11/19/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/18/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/10/09, Hearing Transcript - Land Use 2/10/09

This Land Use Application was Hearing Held by Committee

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This Land Use Application was Laid Over by Subcommittee

LU 0938-2008

Application no. 20095197 HAQ, an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 111-17 103rd Avenue, Council District no. 32, Borough of Queens. This matter is subject to Council review and action pursuant to Article 16 of the New York General Municipal Law, at the request of the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development.

Attachments: Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/18/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/10/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 2/23/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/23/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 3/4/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 3/18/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 3/31/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 3/31/09

This Land Use Application was Hearing Held by Committee

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This Land Use Application was Laid Over by Subcommittee

LU 0940-2008 **Application no. 20095199 HAM, an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 1801-05 7th Avenue, Council District no. 9, Borough of Manhattan. This matter is subject to Council review and action pursuant to Article 16 of the New York General Municipal Law, at the request of the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development, and pursuant to Section 577 of the Private Housing Finance Law for a partial tax exemption.**

Attachments: Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/2/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Transcript - Planning 12/18/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 12/15/08, Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/10/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 2/23/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/23/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 3/4/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 3/18/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 3/31/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 3/31/09

This Land Use Application was Hearing Held by Committee

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This Land Use Application was Laid Over by Subcommittee

LU 0974-2009 **Application no. 20095235 HAM, an amended Urban Development Action Area Project known as the Bradhurst Cluster, Council Districts no. 7 and 9, Borough of Manhattan. This matter is subject to Council review and action pursuant to Article 16 of the New York General Municipal Law, at the request of the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development and pursuant to Section 696 of the General Municipal Law for a tax exemption.**

Attachments: Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/10/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 2/23/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/23/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 3/4/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 3/18/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 3/31/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 3/31/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 4/20/09, Hearing Transcript - Land Use 4/21/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 4/20/09

This Land Use Application was Hearing on P-C Item by Comm

Attachments: Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/9/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/10/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 2/23/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 2/23/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 3/4/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 3/18/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 3/31/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 3/31/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 4/20/09, Hearing Transcript - Land Use 4/21/09, Hearing Testimony - Planning 4/20/09

This Land Use Application was P-C Item Laid Over by Comm

LU 0972-2009

Application no. 20095236 HAM, an amended Urban Development Action Area Project known as West 127th Street, Council District no. 9, Borough of Manhattan. This matter is subject to Council review and action pursuant to Article 16 of the New York General Municipal Law, at the request of the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development.

Attachments: Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Land Use 1/27/09

This Land Use Application was Hearing on P-C Item by Comm

Attachments: Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Land Use 1/27/09

A motion was made that this Land Use Application be P-C Item Approved by Subcommittee with Companion Resolution approved by Roll Call.

Affirmative, 4 -

Garodnick, Dickens, Gonzalez and Ignizio

Absent, 1 -

Baez

LU 0971-2009

Application no. 20095285 HAM, an amended Urban Development Action Area Project located at 165, 176 and 165 Avenue C, Council District no. 2, Borough of Manhattan. This matter is subject to Council review and action pursuant to Article 16 of the New York General Municipal Law, at the request of the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development, and pursuant to Section 577 of the Private Housing Finance Law for a partial tax exemption.

Attachments: Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Land Use 1/27/09

This Land Use Application was Hearing on P-C Item by Comm

Attachments: Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Land Use 1/27/09

A motion was made that this Land Use Application be P-C Item Approved by Subcommittee with Companion Resolution approved by Roll Call.

Affirmative, 4 -
Garodnick, Dickens, Gonzalez and Ignizio

Absent, 1 -
Baez

LU 0959-2009

Application no. C 070443 MMX submitted by the New York City Economic Development Corporation and the Department of Small Business Services, pursuant to Section 197-c and 199 of the New York City Charter and Section 5-430 et seq. of the New York Administrative Code for the amendment to the City Map, Community District 2, Borough of the Bronx. 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 11.20 b of the Council and Section 20-226 (g) of the New York City Administrative Code.

Attachments: Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Land Use 1/27/09

This Land Use Application was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Hearing Testimony - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Planning 1/26/09, Hearing Transcript - Land Use 1/27/09

A motion was made that this Land Use Application be Approved by Subcommittee approved by Roll Call.

Affirmative, 4 -
Garodnick, Dickens, Gonzalez and Ignizio

Absent, 1 -
Baez