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Sanitation Committee Meeting Minutes

Thursday, November 17, 2022

Maria Latimer, Committee Chairperson

The committee discussed a request from the New York Public Interest Research Group to have CB6 sign onto a letter calling for the state to amend its bottle return law (Bottle Bill (S. 9164/ A. 10184)). The bill would expand coverage to non-carbonated beverages, liquor, and wine, while raising the deposit to a dime. Advocates argue that New York's redemption system is lagging behind other programs nationwide in its achievement of critical waste diversion. Because the bill was being presented to governor Hochul the following week, the committee decided to sign onto the letter as a committee only.