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Environment and Parks Committee Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, April 19, 2023 Margarita Espinosa, Environment and Parks Committee Chairperson

The Environment and Parks Committee met on April 19, 2023 via Zoom Audio and Video Conference.

The Environment and Parks Committee discussed the following information:

Discussion on the Walter Gladwin Recreation Center Construction

The Environment and Parks Committee was informed that the New York City Department of Parks and Recreation held a scope meeting in regards to the construction of the Walter Gladwin Recreation Center. The meeting was held with key community stakeholders (i.e. elected officials, community board members, neighborhood user-groups, members of the public), to determine the priorities and park elements for the project site. They were informed that after the scope meeting, the Department of Parks and Recreation creates a conceptual design for the site, incorporating survey, tree assessment and site testing data. The conceptual design is developed further into a schematic design. Once the schematic design is approved internally, it is ready to be presented to the community and regulatory agencies. The Environment and Parks Committee is excited for this project to be happening because there isn't a recreation center in the district.