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Housing and Land-Use Committee Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, March 14, 2023

Frank Franz, Housing and Land-Use Committee Chairperson

The Housing and Land-Use Committee met on March 14, 2023 via Zoom Audio and Video Conference. The following board members were present at the meeting: John Barzack, Cornell Brown, Evonne Capers, Michael Caraballo, Mamoudou Diallo, Frank Franz, Audrey Harden, Laura James, Magdamary Marcano, Matthew Martinez, Floretta O'Brien, Reggie Powell, Kristine Rivera, Maria Ruiz, and Monique Williams.

The Housing and Land-Use Committee discussed the following information:

- **Discussion on the upcoming joint meeting with Bronx Community Board #5 regarding on shelter siting policy on April 10, 2023**

The Housing and Land-Use Committee was informed discussed the upcoming joint meeting with Bronx Community Board #5 regarding shelter siting policy, with a tentative date set for April 10, 2023. The meeting will be led by the District Managers of Bronx Community Board #5 and Bronx Community Board #6 and be geared around how the shelter sitting policy is affecting our communities and strategies to mitigate the issues presented. The Housing and Land-Use Committee discussed ideas that should be presented at the meeting, including the specific concerns of homeless students in shelters, developers building hotels that then turn into shelters, and the oversaturation of shelters in the district. Creating a google map pinpointing where and what kind of shelters exist in both districts were considered.