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Public Safety Committee Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, April 19, 2023 Carmen Rivera, Public Safety Committee Chairperson

The Public Safety Committee met on April 19, 2023 via Zoom Audio and Video Conference.

The Public Safety discussed the following information:

• Discussion on Liquor License Applications

No representative from 609 Edibles Inc. located at 2410 Arthur Avenue appeared, but the committee and expressed no concerns with the renewal liquor license application for this establishment, therefore, a favorable recommendation will be issued to the New York State Liquor Authority. The Public Safety Committee also met with representatives from Ajo y Oregano Restaurant located at 621 Crescent Avenue to discuss their change method of operation application and expressed concerns in regard to the level of amplified music volume at late hours and how the residents of that area of the district will be affected. The committee determined that a favorable recommendation will be issued to the New York State Liquor Authority, but with the stipulation that the outdoor seating area be noted in the renewal paperwork. The Public Safety Committee also met with representatives Aramack Services Inc. located at 441 East Fordham Road to discuss their alteration application. Fordham University will be adding an additional floor and bar to the on-campus dining location. The committee expressed no concerns with the renewal liquor license application for this establishment, therefore, a favorable recommendation will be issued to the New York State Liquor Authority. The Public Safety Committee also met with representatives from Dominick's Bar and Grill located at 2335 Arthur Avenue to discuss their renewal application and expressed no concerns with the renewal liquor license application for this establishment, therefore, a favorable recommendation will be issued to the New York State Liquor Authority. The Public Safety Committee also met with representatives from Full Moon Pizzeria located at 600 East 187th Street to discuss their renewal application and expressed no concerns with the renewal liquor license application for this establishment, therefore, a favorable recommendation will be issued to the New York State Liquor Authority. The Public Safety Committee also met with representatives from Gean Bean Inc. located at 2344 Arthur Avenue to discuss their renewal application and discussed the need for clarification on the name of the business. The committee recommended a renewal of the liquor license application for this establishment, with the stipulation that the business clarify its operating name to the SLA, therefore, a favorable recommendation will be issued to the New York State Liquor Authority. The Public Safety Committee also met with representatives from Kairo's NYC Restaurant and Lounge located at 4371 Third Avenue to discuss their new application and temporary retail permit. The committee was informed that this is establishment is under new ownership. The committee expressed no

concerns with the renewal liquor license application for this establishment, therefore, a favorable recommendation will be issued to the New York State Liquor Authority. The Public Safety Committee also discussed the renewal application for Rosa Fernandez Restaurant located at 718 East Tremont Avenue and expressed no concerns with the renewal liquor license application for this establishment, therefore, a favorable recommendation will be issued to the New York State Liquor Authority.

• Informational presentation by Release the Grip

The Public Safety Committee was informed that Release the Grip is located at 779 Garden Street. Release the Grip is an anti-gun violence organization at which they offer community therapeutic services, employment readiness, and leadership classes to the recently released incarcerated youth in the Belmont area of the district. They also have different teams that specialize in providing vigilance over high-risk youth, for example, gang- related individuals. The Public Safety Committee wishes to associate and assist in the expansion of the Release the Grip program into other areas of the district as a strategy to address the increase of crimes. The committee discussed the need for this programming in other areas of the Community District.