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Executive Committee Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, November 1, 2023 Evonne Capers, Board Chairperson

The Executive Committee met on November 1, 2023 via Zoom Audio and Video Conference and in-person at the district office. The following Board Members were present at the meeting: Nicole Carter, Margarita Espinosa, Laura James, Magdamary Marcano, Samsondeen Raheem, Kristine Rivera, and Gil Simmons.

The Executive Committee discussed the following information:

• Informational Presentation from the New York City Department of City Planning on the Reimagining the Cross Bronx Expressway study

The Executive Committee was informed by the New York State and New York City Department of Transportation and the New York City Department of City Planning about the current phase of the Reimagining the Cross Bronx Expressway study. The City and State are collecting community input through surveys until November 14, 2023 and conducting walkshops that are scheduled into November. District Manager Rafael Moure-Punnett inquired whether the Community Board could submit their recommendations as part of the District Needs Statements and for clarification regarding the purpose for soliciting ideas. It was explained that the survey is for issue identification only, not for proposals or recommendations from the Community Board. and that ideas should be focused on the survey of New York State and New York City Department of Transportation and New York City Department of Health. The Executive Committee was also informed that ideas will be published in 2024 as part of a report on improving the Cross Bronx Expressway. At that time, the New York State and New York City Department of Transportation and the New York City Department of City Planning will return to the Community Board and community with proposed concepts for improvements along the corridor. District Manager Rafael Moure-Punnett will disseminate the walkshop and survey flyers, and information on how to sign up for updates on the Reimagining the Cross Bronx Expressway website to the Community Board and community.