



**THE CITY OF NEW YORK  
BRONX COMMUNITY BOARD 6**

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*Honorable Ruben Diaz Jr., Bronx Borough President*

**MS. WENDY RODRIGUEZ**  
Board Chairperson

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District Manager

**Economic Development Committee Meeting**  
**Tuesday, November 14 @ 6:30 PM**  
**Location: 1932 Arthur Avenue, Room 403-A**  
**Chairperson: Vacant**

The Economic Development Committee met on Tuesday, November 14th, 2017 at the Bronx Community Board 6 Office located at 1932 Arthur Avenue, Bronx, NY 10457. During the meeting the following members were present: Claudette Coles, Frank Kolovic, Michael Nelson, Victoria Palmas, Stephanie Addo-Zuniga, Michael Yu.

The following items were discussed:

1. Michael Nixon from Bronx Overall Economic Development Corporation on SBS's Chamber on the Go Program presented to the committee. The program reaches out to businesses not within a BID or a merchant's association in an effort to provide free services to help small business owners in a variety of different ways. Some of the programs offered include assistance to minority and women owned businesses in becoming certified, social media programs, and referrals to pro-bono lawyers for specific cases. Mr. Nixon mentioned the possibility of hosting at least one or two big workshops and is open to hosting smaller scale workshops if there's interest from business owners.
2. The upcoming Investing 101 event on Tuesday, November 20, 2017. Attendees were encouraged to attend and invite individuals who might be of need.
3. A possible Entrepreneurship Expo in the Spring with Stephanie Addo-Zuniga.
4. A personal finance workshop series hosted by Michael Yu and My Money Workshop. We discussed holding a series of 4 workshops on Saturdays in February.

**The Economic Development committee will meet next at 6:30PM on Tuesday, December 19, 2017 at the Bronx Community Board 6 Office at 1932 Arthur Avenue, Room 403-A.**

*Honorable Ritchie Torres,*  
*City Council Member, 15<sup>th</sup> Council District*

*Honorable Rafael Salamanca,*  
*City Council Member, 17<sup>th</sup> Council District*