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Telephone: (718) 579-6990 Fax: (718) 579-6875 Email: bronxcb6@bronxcb6.org Honorable Ruben Diaz Jr., Bronx Borough President

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Parks and Recreation Committee Meeting Minutes Wednesday, May 17, 2017 Margarita Espinosa, Committee Chairperson

The Parks and Recreation Committee met on May 17, 2017 at the Bronx Community Board #6's district office. During the following members were present: Claudette Coles, Maria Garcia, April Hurley, Rosa Pereza, Moussa Siby, and Carrie Taft

The following items were discussed:

• Discussion on the proposed It's My Park Day at Tremont Park.

The It's My Park Day clean-up will be held on Saturday, May 20, 2017 at 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Board members and youths are advised to participate. We will be meeting at the East Tremont Avenue and Lafontaine Avenue entrance. All materials and supplies will be provided.

• Discussion on the proposed movie night at River Park in July.

The committee decide the movie night will be held on Saturday, July 22, 2017. The time and title of movie showing will be announced at the next Parks and Recreation Committee meeting. We are advising community residents to bring a blanket to sit on, although there will be a limited supply of chairs available. Bottled waters are OK, but no glass is permitted inside the park. Reservations are not taken, so space is available on a first come first served basis. All are welcome! For more information, please feel free to contact the district office for more information.

I want to thank Sara Nunez-Mejia, Claudette Coles, Maria Garcia, John Sanchez, VIP Community Services, and all the youth and community residents who participated in the It's My Park Day clean up on Saturday, May 20, 2017.

In this report, I have also attached information in regards to the City Parks Foundation's new season of sports, education and arts programs in neighborhood parks. They encourage camps, youth groups, schools and community-based organization to participate in their free and low-fee programs.

Please be cautious when barbequing and keep a safe distance from children and trees. Please search for barbecuing areas near you. Be courteous to others and please clean the area carefully before you leave. Also any events involving more than 20 people require a special events permit. Have a great summer!

The Parks and Recreation Committee meets every third Wednesday of the month at 6:30 PM in our district office.