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**48<sup>th</sup> Police Precinct Council Meeting Minutes**  
**February 26, 2019**  
**Claudette Coles, Law Enforcement Committee Chairperson**

Deputy Inspector Brown stated the following crime statistics in a 28 day period in comparison to last year:  
There was an increase in rape 3 verses 2.  
There was an increase in crime 29 verses 28.  
The overall total of the 28 day period decreased by 8%.

Deputy Inspector Brown encouraged the community members not to leave personal belongings in their vehicles because vehicle break-ins are increasing rapidly. He announced that the street renaming in honor of Lesandro "Junior" Guzman-Feliz on Bathgate Avenue and East 183<sup>rd</sup> Street will be held on Wednesday, February 27, 2019 at 10:00 AM. He also announced that the 48<sup>th</sup> Precinct Council Meetings will be held on the following days: March 26, 2019; April 30, 2019; May 28, 2019; and June 25, 2019.

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During the month of February, I attended the following events and meetings:

On February 27, I attended the ceremony of the street renaming of Bathgate Avenue and East 183<sup>rd</sup> Street in honor of Lesandro "Junior" Guzman-Feliz.

On February 27<sup>th</sup>, I attended Build the Block meeting for Sector C of the 48<sup>th</sup> Precinct boundaries. The Build the Block meeting was held at 411 East 178<sup>th</sup> Street at 7:00 PM. This sector is covered by Officer Jerry George and Officer Dharlyn Vasquez. The officers informed the community members about what they have been working on in this community. Community members also had the opportunity to share their concerns about this sector.

On February 28<sup>th</sup>, I attended Build the Block meeting for Sector A of the 48<sup>th</sup> Precinct boundaries. The Build the Block meeting was held at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church at 7:00 PM. This sector is covered by Officer Michael Soto and Officer Andres Zambrano. The officers informed the community members about the responsibilities of the Neighborhood Coordination Officers. They also informed us that there were a decrease in robbery rates, an increase in sex crimes and an increase in vehicle break-ins within this sector. They have made a total of 130 arrest and 13 gun recoveries. The community members also requested assistance with the Fordham University students, requested more police patrolling and a speed reducer on East 183<sup>rd</sup> Street and Belmont Avenue, and reported drug activity on Belmont Avenue and East 188<sup>th</sup> Street.

On March 5<sup>th</sup>, I attended the Quarry Ballfields Visioning Meeting at the Monterey Housing Development.

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The Law Enforcement Committee will meet next on Wednesday, February 20, 2019 at 6:30PM at the Bronx Community Board #6's district office at 1932 Arthur Avenue, Room 403-A.

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

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