



BRONX COMMUNITY BOARD 8

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MEETING NOTICE ENVIRONMENT & SANITATION COMMITTEE

OFFICERS:

Vice Chairperson
Bob Bender

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Margaret Della

Treasurer
Scott Krompinger

Date: Wednesday, April 19, 2023

Time: 7 PM

Location: 5676 Riverdale Avenue, Suite #100, or

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AMENDED AGENDA

COMMITTEE CHAIRS:

Aging
Vacant

Budget
David Gellman

Economic Development
Nicholas R. Fazio

**Education, Libraries &
Cultural Affairs**
Sylvia Alexander

Environment & Sanitation
Dr. Camelia Tepelus

**Health, Hospitals &
Social Services**
Omar Murray

Housing
Lee Chong

Land Use
Charles G. Moerdler

Law, Rules & Ethics
Martin Wolpoff

Parks & Recreation
Debra Travis

Public Safety
Edward Green

Traffic & Transportation
Kelli Buford

Youth
Dr. Julia Gomez

I. Roll Call

II. Approval of Minutes Meeting March 15, 2023 (distributed on March 27, 2023)

III. Chairperson Report

Important forthcoming events: Monday, April 24, TAG zoom; Thursday April 27, Site visit, 9am; Wednesday May 24 DEP presentation at CB8 Joint Meeting E&S and Parks

IV. Metro North Railroad

Andrew Buder, Director, Government & Community Relations

V. CALL/City as Living Laboratory presentation

Olivia Georgia, Executive Director

VI. Budget priorities

Final prioritization (document included)

VII. Old Business

VIII. New Business

IX. Adjournment

Dr. Camelia Tepelus

Chair, Environment & Sanitation Committee

Included:

Preliminary (March 2023) CB8 E&S FY25 Budget Priorities

Bronx CB8 Environment & Sanitation Committee FY25 Budget Priorities

FY25	Bronx CB8 FY2025 Initial Capital Budget Requests
1	E & S - DEP: Major Deegan Storm Water Management Study - Feasibility study for a district-wide resilience and storm water management plan using green infrastructure along the Major Deegan Expressway corridor, with focus on Van Cortlandt Village, Kingsbridge Heights roadway, Bailey Avenue and the Broadway corridor and Kingsbridge floodplains.
2	E & S - DEP: Bailey and Broadway Corridor GI - Install Right-of-Way Green infrastructure along Bailey Avenue corridor and Broadway corridor to alleviate flooding and pooling in Kingsbridge and Marble Hill
3	E & S - DEP: Spuyten Duyvil Creek CSO Outfalls - Mitigate the CSO outfalls into Spuyten Duyvil Creek at Spuyten Duyvil and Marble Hill with a living shoreline and green infrastructure along DEP easements
4	E & S - DSNY: 215th Street Garage Rehabilitation - Rehabilitate and update DSNY garage on 215th and Broadway used for vehicles servicing CD8 (to confirm with Steve Caruso/DSNY -potentially out – Reached out, no answer) POTENTIALLY CUT pending confirmation

FY25	Bronx CB8 FY2025 Initial Expense Budget Requests
1	E & S - DEP: Jerome Park Reservoir Public Access - Develop and implement an updated plan with community stakeholders to expand regular, ongoing public access to the Jerome Park Reservoir
2	E & S - DEP: Tibbetts Brook Waterway Infrastructure Maintenance - Fund continual maintenance for operation, efficiency, and good housekeeping of Daylighting Project in Van Cortlandt Park and along the Putnam South Greenway.
3	E & S - DSNY: Compost Project Expansion - Expand funding for NYC Compost Project and community composting to beyond pre-Covid levels to enable compost education, community-based composting sites, and organic waste drop-off sites
4	E & S - DSNY: Smart Compost Bins - Expand smart compost bins throughout Bronx CD 8
5	E & S - DSNY: Universal Curbside Organics - Implement universal curbside organics pick up for the Bronx CD 8
6	E & S - DSNY: Litter Patrol Funding - Increased funding for Manual Litter Patrol, particularly in the Environmental Justice-designated areas of Kingsbridge, Kingsbridge Heights, Marble Hill in Bronx CD8
7	E & S - DEP: Jerome Park Reservoir Sanitation - Increase funding for maintenance contracts for Jerome Park Reservoir to pick up litter within DEP property
8	E & S - DSNY: Commercial District Clean Streets - Full restoration of all street cleaning and pickup service required for clean streets in commercial districts of Marble Hill, Kingsbridge, Kingsbridge Heights, Spuyten Duyvil, and Central and North Riverdale.
9	E & S - DSNY: Vacant Lot Cleanup - Increase funding for removal of litter on vacant lots and around building sites in CD8
10	E & S - DEP: Catch Basin Maintenance - Maintain funding for catch basin inspection, cleaning, and maintenance in flood prone areas along Broadway and Bailey Avenue and on roadways in Kingsbridge Heights and Van Cortlandt Village
11	E & S - DSNY: E-Cycling Programs - Fund e-cycling program to include community drop-off for buildings with less than 10 units in Bronx District 8
12	E & S - DSNY: Croton Filtration Plant Cells – Provide a maintenance program for the cells managing excess groundwater due to the operation of the Croton Filtration Plant
13	E & S - DSNY: Van Cortlandt Park Salt Pile – Relocate salt pile from Van Cortlandt Park to a non-park location