



BRONX COMMUNITY BOARD 8



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MEETING NOTICE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

DATE: Tuesday, September 1, 2026

TIME: 7:00 PM to 8:15 PM

LOCATION: 5676 Riverdale Ave. Suite #100, Bronx, NY 10471

Join Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2114033690>

Join Zoom Meeting by Phone: **+16465588656** Pin: **2114033690#**

All committee members must attend in-person, except members with disabilities as defined under the Americans with Disabilities Act who may request an accommodation from the chairperson of the Board permitting them to attend via video/teleconferencing, if applicable, and be counted in the quorum.

Members of the public are encouraged to attend via Zoom due to room limitations.

AMENDED AGENDA

1. **Welcome**
2. **Committee Introductions (20 Minutes)**
3. **Roll Call**
4. **Approval of Committee Meeting Minutes of June 7, 2026**
5. **Chairperson's Report & Old Business (15 min)**
 - a. Economic Development Committee Overview
6. **New Business (15 min)**
 - a. Economic Development Committee Activities
 - b. Our Neighborhood Walks
 - c. Betty Campbell Adams MVM Award Planning/Promotion
 - d. **Survey: Monthly Meeting Time**
7. **Adjournment 8:15 pm (PROMPTLY)**

Next meeting: October 6, 2026

Location: **TBD**

**Please come to the next meeting with 1 idea for the EDC and a suggestion for the [FY29 budget](#).
Read our [notes](#) as well as the guidance on the Bronx Borough President's website.*

Dr. Constance Barnes-Watson, Chair
Economic Development Committee