

**BRONX COMMUNITY BOARD NO. 8**

**MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE  
MEETING HELD ON SEPTEMBER 15, 2016  
50th Police Precinct, 3450 Kingsbridge Avenue**

**PRESENT**

Joseph O'Brien  
Lenora Croft  
Herb Young  
Diomarys Escaño  
Mary Yamagata  
Diego Santiago  
Shalva Gozland  
Myra Joyce

**AFFILIATION**

Committee Chair, CB8 Public Safety Committee  
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James Murphy  
Tom O'Connor  
Joshua Stephenson  
D.I. O'Toole

Bronx Voice  
CB8 Board Member  
KHNIA  
Mr. Vigg's  
Community Resident  
Precinct Council  
Councilman Cohen's Office  
50<sup>th</sup> Precinct

**Absent:** Margaret Donato, CB8 Public Safety Committee

Chair O'Brien called the meeting to order at 7:05 pm  
Members of the committee were introduced.

Minutes from the January, March, June, July and August meetings were reviewed and approved as a block. The vote was unanimous to accept the minutes. In favor: Joe O'Brien, Lenora Croft, Herb Young, Diomarys Escaño, Mary Yamagata, Diego Santiago, Shalva Gozland, Myra Joyce (CCM).

Police Report presented by DI O'Toole  
28-day CompStat report (generated 9/11/2016)

	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>
Murder	1	0
Rape	1	1
Robbery	14	14
Felony Assault	6	10
Burglary	12	9
Grand Larceny	50	38
Grand Larceny Auto	14	9
Total	<b>98</b>	<b>81</b>

DI O'Toole reported on a protest occurring that evening against TD Bank on 230th, which then proceeded to Chase Bank on 231<sup>st</sup> Street. Approximately 30 people were demonstrating against these banks' investment in the Dakota Access Pipeline.

Mary Yamagata reported that a huge flatbed truck is parked along the curve of the Henry Hudson Parkway service road going into Riverdale Ave. The truck is taking up parking and is a hazard. DI O'Toole stated that this truck has also been parking on Goulden Ave. by the Jerome Park Reservoir. This truck will be getting a summons.

Liquor License Renewal:

Mr. Vigg's at 5676 Mosholu Ave.

Fran Hage, owner was present

Been there 8 years with no problems. Owner wants to change the sign outside to 'Frankies' and is in the process of having that approved.

The motion to approve the renewal was unanimous. In favor: Joe O'Brien, Lenora Croft, Herb Young, Diomarys Escaño, Mary Yamagata, Diego Santiago, Shalva Gozland, Myra Joyce (CCM).

Community resident James Murphy reported on problems at Perilla Latina, a new bar/restaurant next to the post office on Broadway & 230<sup>th</sup> St.

There have been several incidents around closing time. DI O'Toole stated the bar has been staying open illegally after hours so a patrol car is sent to enforce the law. When there's a DJ at the location they also have a patrol car sent.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

Submitted by Myra Joyce