

BRONX COMMUNITY BOARD 8 BRONX

**MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
MEETING HELD ON APRIL 21, 2020
MEETING HELD ONLINE VIA ZOOM
(pending approval)**

PRESENT

Margaret Donato (Chair) CB8 Public Safety Committee
Myra Joyce (Vice Chair) CB8 Public Safety Committee
Edward Green CB8 Public Safety Committee

Guests: Larry McCarthy (GAAGNY), Jin Feng Chen (Moon Star Grill), David Gellman, Sergio Villaverde, Claribel Betances (Claribel)

1. Chair Donato called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Members introduced themselves
2. Minutes of the February Public Safety Meeting approved
 - a. In favor: 3 (M. Donato, M. Joyce, E. Green)
 - b. Opposed: 0
 - c. Abstained: 0

3. Police Report

- a. Compstat Report

	28 Day-Ending 4/19/2020		
	2020	2019	% Chg
Murder	0	0	*** *
Rape	0	1	-100.0
Robbery	5	3	66.7
Fel. Assault	17	10	70.0
Burglary	5	6	-16.7
Gr. Larceny	16	35	-54.3
G.L.A.	6	5	20.0
TOTAL	49	60	-18.33

4. Fire Report (none)

5. SLA Renewal Applications

- a. Gaelic Athletic Association of Greater NY

- Represented by Mr. Larry McCarthy
- No problems have been reported at the site.
- Gaelic Park has been at that site for 50+ years

In favor of approval: 3 (M. Donato, M. Joyce, E. Green)

Opposed: 0

Abstained: 0

- b. Moon Star Grill, 3525 Johnson Ave

- Represented by Mr. Jin Feng Chen
- No problems at the location
- Been at that site for at least 10 years

In favor of approval: 3 (M. Donato, M. Joyce, E. Green)

Opposed: 0

Abstained: 0

6. New SLA Application

a. Claribel Deli, 6666 Broadway (beer, wine, cider)

- 4 tables
- Cameras – 8 indoors, 2 outside
- Beer is to-go, wine for diners who want wine
- No music, Warm food and deli food (cold cuts)
- They have another deli in Yonkers
- Open from 10am to 11pm, will sign the 2am closing agreement
- They will ask for ID for those purchasing liquor

In favor of approval: 2 (M. Donato, E. Green)

Opposed: 0

Abstained: 1 (M. Joyce)

Miscellaneous Business

Budget items were discussed. Discussion about funding for Argus Cameras. Requests locations at 225th Street by the MetroNorth station and 225th Street & Broadway by the steps up to the train station.

David Gellman clarified the time period for the budget requests for fiscal year 2022. He needs formatted request by Friday. Captain Melendez was asked to give Chair Donato the request articulated exactly as he wants.

Ed Green requesting money for crossing guards at Sedgwick and Hillman by PS 95 in the budget.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Submitted by Myra Joyce, Vice Chair

Reviewed by Chair Margaret Donato