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PARKS & RECREATION COMMITTEE MEETING

Wednesday, January 14, 2026 - 6:30 PM

Hon. Dr. Maurice Franklin, Chairperson

Hon. Bailey Jeremie, Vice Chairperson

Hon. Lourdes Smart, Secretary

AGENDA

I. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

- A. Motion to Call the Meeting to Order
- B. Introduction of Committee Members
- C. Introduction of Board Members
- D. Introduction of Invited Guests

II. ELECTED OFFICIALS/AGENCIES

III. PRESENTATIONS

- A. NYC Parks - **Steve Simon**, Chief of Staff, Manhattan Parks
- B. CB10 Parks Updates - **Matt Genrich**, NYC Parks Manager/Districts 10 & 11 Regional Manager, **Jonathan Kovacs**,
- C. NYC Parks Manager Districts 10 & 11 - Parks Update - **Tapashi Narine**, Regional Director
- D. Greenthumb program, Community Gardens - **Ashley Kuenneke**, Community Engagement Coordinator for Harlem
- E. HCCI Presentation on CBA's and Public Spaces. **Dr. Malcom Punter** CEO
- F. 137th Neighborhood Association - Hon. **Jackie K. Weatherspoon**
- G. Central Park Conservancy, 200th anniversary of Seneca Village's Founding, - **Hon. Shatic Mitchell**
- H. Spring Summer Activation - **Hon. Doria Josma**, Chair Summer Activation

IV. VOTING ITEMS

- A. **Letter of Support for Brigadier Charles Young Park**

V. DISCUSSIONS

- A. Brig. Gen. Charles Young Park on Tuesday, April 1, 2026
- B. Harlem River Park
- C. Spring Activation

VI. OLD BUSINESS

VII. NEW BUSINESS

A. 2026 Calendar

VIII. ANNOUNCEMENTS 2026 CALENDAR

IX. ADJOURNMENT