

# CITY OF NEW YORK

## MANHATTAN COMMUNITY BOARD 10

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# HOUSING COMMITTEE

Hon. Charles Powell, Chair Hon. Donna Gill. Vice-Chair Hon. Danni Tyson, Chair HDFC Sub-Committee

# **Meeting Minutes**

Monday April 23, 2018 - 6:30 PM

Committee Members in Attendance (5): Hon. Charles Powell; Hon. Danni Tyson; Hon. Donna Gill; Hon. Barbara Nelson; Hon. Shanelle Washington (via conference call)

**Excused: Hon. Aleah Gathings** 

Absent: Hon. Ibrahima Diafoune; Hon. Mark Bones; Hon. Earl Keller

1. Welcome/Introductions

#### 2. Discussions:

# A. HDFC Sub-committee Reports & Updates:

- A CB10 Housing Committee Representative agrees to attend a scheduled Tenant Association meeting at 133 West 113th Street.
- HDFC Sub-committee Chair, Danni Tyson, suggested that HDFC shareholder's task
  force may not be ready or equipped to run, because of lack of consistent commitment and
  low turn-out to meetings related to the formation of a permanent community Task Force.
  Ms. Tyson suggests that shareholders should be in charge of their own task force
  committee meetings.
- Ms. Tyson also advised the committee that there is an upcoming NYC City Council meeting on April 26<sup>th</sup>, where the main topic of discussion is third party transfers.

• The HDFC Sub-committee will continue its outreach to HDFC's that are in distress or subject to a possible in rem foreclosure proceeding.

# B. CB 10 Housing Committee Forum on Thursday April 26, 2018 Housing Forum:

- Forum is to discuss actual displacement (and the threat of future displacement) within the Central Harlem community and beyond.
- Ms. Barbara Nelson suggested inviting the following to the housing forum: A representative from Camba, NYC Council, State's Human Rights Division, Mobilization for Justice
- The Committee reviewed the Forum's program and those invited to either attend or exhibit.
- Confirm which elected officials will be attending.

## 3. Old/New Business/Announcements

- Board member and Committee member Donna Gill indicated that community member Marvin Holland has spoken with NYC Council Speaker Corey Johnson regarding the Speaker's desire to bring a Council meeting to meeting directly to the constituents of CB 10; 9; 11 and 12. Committee members expressed interest subject to details.
- Recommendations have been made to livestream our monthly committee meetings.

# 4. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 7:48