



## Community Board 12M

Washington Heights & Inwood

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July 24, 2003

Hon. Gifford Miller  
Speaker  
City Council  
City Hall  
New York, NY 10007

Amended

Dear Speaker Miller:

The following resolution was passed by a majority vote by Community Board 12, Manhattan at it's General meeting, Tuesday, June 24, 2003:

Whereas: Community Board 12, Manhattan has been petitioned by the family and friends of the late Alejandro Cordero to have his name added to the northeast corner of West 164<sup>th</sup> Street & Ft. Washington Avenue, and

Whereas: Alejandro Cordero lost his life during the September 11, 2001 terrorist attack at the World Trade Center. In memory of his short lived life, family and friends acknowledged his exemplary contributions to his community, as noted in his enclosed biography, and

Whereas: It is the New York City policy to add the name of such heroes to the street where they grew up, therefore

Be It

Resolved: That Community Board 12, Manhattan requests that the City Council add the name "Alejandro Cordero Way" to the northeast corner of West 164<sup>th</sup> Street & Ft. Washington Avenue.

We would appreciate your favorable consideration of this resolution and look forward to your response at your earliest possible convenience. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

  
Zead Ramadan  
Chair

cc: Hon. C. Virginia Fields, Manhattan Borough President  
Hon. Adriano Espaillat, Assemblyman, District 72  
Hon. Herman D. Farrell, Jr., Assemblyman, District 71  
Hon. Robert Jackson, Councilmember, District 7  
Hon. Miguel Martinez, Councilmember, District 10



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June 26, 2003

Hon. Adrian Benepe, Commissioner  
NYC Department of Parks & Recreation  
The Arsenal, Central Park  
New York, NY 10021

Dear Commissioner Benepe:

The following resolution was passed by a majority vote by Community board 12, Manhattan at it's General Meeting, Tuesday, June 24, 2003:

- Whereas:** Intro #160 is a bill before the City Council which seeks to clarify the administrative code; and
- Whereas:** It will restore Parks & Recreation's ability to regulate vending on parkland as originally intended by the City Council, through a permitting process; and
- Whereas:** There has been an increase in the number of vendors in parks in recent years and that increase has caused significant congestion in concentrated areas of some parks;
- Whereas:** That congestion has caused unsafe conditions in parks and has replaced the park experience with a commercial one; and
- Whereas:** The existing rules are inadequate to address these public safety and "quality-of-life" problems appropriately; therefore

**Be it**

**Resolved:** That Community Board 12, Manhattan strongly supports the passage of Intro #160.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Zead Ramadan, Chairman  
Community Board 12, Manhattan

*Zead Ramadan, Chairman*

*Gregoria Feliciano, District Manager*

Cc: Hon. William T. Castro, Manhattan Borough Commissioner, DPR  
Hon. Ed Lewis, Commissioner, City-Wide Community Relations, DPR  
Hon. Michael R. Bloomberg, Mayor, New York City  
Hon. C. Virginia Fields, Manhattan Borough President  
Hon. Betsy Gotbaum, N.Y.C. Public Advocate  
Hon. A. Gifford Miller, Speaker, NYC Council  
Hon. Robert Jackson, Councilman, District 7  
Hon. Miguel Martinez, Councilman, District 10  
Jane Schachat, Administrator for Northern Manhattan Parks, DPR

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June 27, 2003

Hon. C. Virginia Fields  
Manhattan Borough President  
Municipal Building, 19<sup>th</sup> Floor  
New York, N.Y. 10007

Dear Madam Borough President Fields:

The following resolution was passed by a majority vote by Community Board 12, Manhattan at it's General Meeting, Tuesday, June 24, 2003:

- Whereas:** The last planning study by New York City of the Washington Heights and Inwood communities encompassed by Community Board 12, Manhattan, was last conducted in 1961; and
- Whereas:** To study the existing Community Board 12, Manhattan, conditions and provide for a comprehensive understanding of Washington Heights and Inwood's opportunities for future development; and
- Whereas:** To consider the feasibility of a comprehensive community based plan for Washington Heights and Inwood, in consultation with city agencies, community groups, public officials, and members of the public; therefore
- Be it Resolved:** That Community Board 12, Manhattan, creates a Community Planning Task Force, pursuant to section 11.05 of the Community Board 12, Manhattan, By-laws; and
- Be it Further Resolved:** That the Community Planning Task Force will be reviewed to determine if it shall be made a committee on January 1, 2004.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

  
Zead Ramadan, Chairman  
Community Board 12, Manhattan

Cc: Hon. Robert Jackson, Councilman, District 7  
Hon. Miguel Martinez, Councilman, District 10  
Ms. Roxanne Dodds, Director of Community Affairs, Manhattan Borough President's Office

*Zead Ramadan, Chairman*

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July 3, 2003

Hon. Gifford Miller  
Speaker  
City Council  
City Hall  
New York, NY 10007

Dear Speaker Miller:

The following resolution was passed by a majority vote by Community Board 12, Manhattan at it's General meeting, Tuesday, June 24, 2003:

**Whereas:** Community Board 12, Manhattan has been petitioned by the family and friends of the late Staff Sgt. Riayan Agosto Tejeda to have his name added to northeast corner of W. 180th Street at St. Nicholas Avenue, and

**Whereas:** The twenty-six year life of Staff Sgt. Riayan Agosto Tejeda ended during the recent conflict in Iraq. His career was one of exemplary service and an inspiration to the young people of our community as noted in his enclosed biography, and

**Whereas:** It is the New York City policy to add the name of such heroes to the street where they grew up, therefore

**Be It**

**Resolved:** That Community Board 12, Manhattan requests that the City Council add the name "Staff Sgt. Riayan Agosto Tejeda Street" to the northeast corner of W. 180th Street at St. Nicholas Avenue.

We would appreciate your favorable consideration of this resolution and look forward to your response at your earliest possible convenience. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely

  
Zead Ramadan  
Chair

cc: Hon. C. Virginia Fields, Manhattan Borough President  
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Dear Speaker Miller:

The following resolution was passed by a majority vote by Community Board 12, Manhattan at it's General Meeting, Tuesday, June 24, 2003:

- Whereas:** Community Board 12, Manhattan has been petitioned by the family of the late Brian Patrick Monaghan to have his name added to the southwest corner of W. 218<sup>th</sup> Street & Seaman Avenue, and
- Whereas:** The twenty-one year old lost his life during the September 11, 2001 terrorist attack at the World Trade Center, as noted in his enclosed biography, and
- Whereas:** It is the New York City policy to add the name of such heroes to the street where they grew up, therefore
- Be It Resolved** That Community Board 12 Manhattan requests that the City Council add the name of "Brian Patrick Monaghan Way" to the southwest corner of West 218<sup>th</sup> Street & Seaman Avenue.

We would appreciate your favorable consideration of this resolution and look forward to your response at your earliest possible convenience. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Zead Ramadan  
Chair

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