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November 13, 2019

Ed Pincar Manhattan Borough Commissioner NYC Department of Transportation 59 Maiden Lane, 37th Floor New York, NY 10037

Re: Change in Curbside Regulation at 337 West 36th Street

Dear Borough Commissioner Pincar,

Manhattan Community Board 4 (MCB4) supports the Staypinapple Hotel's request that the New York City Department of Transportation (DOT) change the regulations on the northern curb of West 36th Street from the current "3 Hour Metered Parking, Commercial Vehicles Only, Monday-Friday 6am-7pm" to "Hotel Loading Zone." This recommendation was voted on at MCB4's November Full Board with a vote of 37 in favor, 0 against, 0 abstaining and 0 present but not eligible to vote.

The Staypineapple Hotel, with a total of 88 rooms, operates at this location. It has a total frontage of 25-ft and therefore does not automatically qualify for a Hotel Loading Zone. There are four other hotels on the very same block. West 36th Street, as an ingress for the Lincoln Tunnel, is subject to heavy congestion.

Sincerely,

Burt Lazarin Chair Manhattan Community Board 4

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cc: James Bryant III, General Manager, Staypineapple Hotel