

The New York City Council

*City Hall
New York, NY 10007*



Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, June 18, 2025

1:00 PM

Jointly with the Committee on Civil and Human Rights.

Council Chambers - City Hall

Committee on Education

Rita C. Joseph, Chair

*Members: Eric Dinowitz, James F. Gennaro, Jennifer Gutiérrez, Shahana K. Hanif,
Kamillah Hanks, Shekar Krishnan, Linda Lee, Farah N. Louis, Mercedes Narcisse,
Pierina Ana Sanchez, Lynn C. Schulman and Althea V. Stevens*

Roll Call

Present: Joseph, Dinowitz, Hanif, Krishnan, Lee, Louis, Narcisse and Sanchez

Absent: Gennaro, Gutiérrez, Hanks, Schulman and Stevens

Other Council Members Attending: Brewer, Williams, Marmorato, Hudson and Brooks-Powers

T2025-3502**Oversight - Advancing Diversity and Equity in NYC Public Schools.**

Attachments: Committee Report, Hearing Testimony, Hearing Transcript

This Oversight was Hearing Held by Committee

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This Oversight was Filed, by Committee

Int 0142-2024**A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the department of education to conduct a biannual study on student access to home internet and electronic devices**

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 142, Int. No. 142, February 28, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-28-24, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - February 28, 2024, Committee Report 6/18/25, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Fiscal Impact Statement - OMB, Hearing Testimony 6/18/25, Hearing Transcript 6/18/25

This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 142, Int. No. 142, February 28, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-28-24, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - February 28, 2024, Committee Report 6/18/25, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Fiscal Impact Statement - OMB, Hearing Testimony 6/18/25, Hearing Transcript 6/18/25

This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee

Int 0955-2024**A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring annual reports on afterschool programs**

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 955, Int. No. 955, June 6, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-6-24, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 6, 2024, Committee Report 6/18/25, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Fiscal Impact Statement - OMB, Hearing Testimony 6/18/25, Hearing Transcript 6/18/25

This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 955, Int. No. 955, June 6, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-6-24, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 6, 2024, Committee Report 6/18/25, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Fiscal Impact Statement - OMB, Hearing Testimony 6/18/25, Hearing Transcript 6/18/25

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Int 1002-2024

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring all schools to stock airway clearance devices, and to repeal section two of such local law upon the expiration thereof

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1002, Int. No. 1002, August 15, 2024 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 8-15-24, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - August 15, 2024, Committee Report 6/18/25, Fiscal Impact Statement - City Council, Fiscal Impact Statement - OMB, Hearing Testimony 6/18/25, Hearing Transcript 6/18/25

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Res 0718-2025

Resolution calling on the New York State Education Department to adopt oral health education for all elementary school students.

Attachments: Res. No. 718, January 23, 2025 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-23-25, Committee Report 6/18/25, Hearing Testimony 6/18/25, Hearing Transcript 6/18/25

This Resolution was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Res. No. 718, January 23, 2025 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 1-23-25, Committee Report 6/18/25, Hearing Testimony 6/18/25, Hearing Transcript 6/18/25

This Resolution was Laid Over by Committee

Res 0929-2025

Resolution calling on the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, A.5373/S.4735, known as the Protect Our Schools Act, in relation to protecting students, faculty and staff from civil arrest while attending or participating in school activities

Attachments: Res. No. 929, June 11, 2025 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Committee Report 6/18/25, Hearing Testimony 6/18/25, Hearing Transcript 6/18/25

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6/18/25, Hearing Testimony 6/18/25, Hearing Transcript 6/18/25

This Resolution was Laid Over by Committee