

# The New York City Council

*City Hall  
New York, NY 10007*



## Meeting Minutes

**Wednesday, August 17, 2005**

**11:00 AM**

**Committee Room - City Hall**

### **Committee on Finance**

*David I. Weprin, Chair*

*Members: Tracy L. Boyland, Margarita Lopez, William Perkins,  
Madeline Provenzano, Christine C. Quinn, Eva S. Moskowitz, Joel Rivera,  
Gale A. Brewer, Leroy G. Comrie, Bill de Blasio, Simcha Felder, Lewis A. Fidler,  
James F. Gennaro, Eric N. Gioia, Robert Jackson, G. Oliver Koppell, Michael E.  
McMahon,  
Helen Sears, Albert Vann, Dennis P. Gallagher and James Oddo*

## Roll Call

**Present,**

Weprin, Quinn, Moskowitz, Rivera, Brewer, Comrie Jr., de Blasio, Felder, Fidler, Gennaro, Gioia, Jackson, McMahon, Sears, Gallagher, Oddo and Koppell

**Absent,**

Boyland, Lopez, Perkins, Provenzano and Vann

## Int 0690-2005

**A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the imposition of the utility tax and providing a separate rate for such tax for certain cooperative corporations that produce and distribute electricity, steam, refrigeration or water to such cooperative corporation tenants and/or occupants.**

**Attachments:** Committee Report 8/17/05, Hearing Transcript 8/17/05, Committee Report 9/15/05, Local Law

*Proposed Int. No. 690-A*

**This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee**

**Attachments:** Committee Report 8/17/05, Hearing Transcript 8/17/05, Committee Report 9/15/05, Local Law

**This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee**

**Enactment No:** 2005/088

## Res 1125-2005

**Resolution concerning the establishment of the DUMBO Business Improvement District in the Borough of Brooklyn and setting the date, time and place for the public hearing to hear all persons interested in the establishment of such district.**

**Attachments:** Committee Report

**This Resolution was Hearing on P-C Item by Comm**

**Attachments:** Committee Report

**A motion was made that this Resolution be P-C Item Approved by Comm approved by Roll Call.**

**Affirmative, 17 -**

Weprin, Quinn, Moskowitz, Rivera, Brewer, Comrie Jr., de Blasio, Felder, Fidler, Gennaro, Gioia, Jackson, McMahon, Sears, Gallagher, Oddo and Koppell

**Absent, 5 -**

Boyland, Lopez, Perkins, Provenzano and Vann

**Res 1121-2005**      **Resolution of the Council of the City of New York, providing exemptions from sales and compensating use taxes for receipts from sales of, and consideration given or contracted to be given for, or for the use of, residential solar energy systems equipment and services exempt from State sales and compensating use taxes pursuant to subdivision (ee) of section 1115 of the New York Tax Law, pursuant to the authority of Article 29 of the Tax Law of the State of New York.**

**Attachments:**    Committee Report

**This Resolution was Hearing on P-C Item by Comm**

**Attachments:**    Committee Report

**A motion was made that this Resolution be P-C Item Approved by Comm approved by Roll Call.**

**Affirmative,**    17 -

Weprin, Quinn, Moskowitz, Rivera, Brewer, Comrie Jr., de Blasio, Felder, Fidler, Gennaro, Gioia, Jackson, McMahon, Sears, Gallagher, Oddo and Koppell

**Absent,**        5 -

Boyland, Lopez, Perkins, Provenzano and Vann

**Res 1119-2005**      **Resolution in support of efforts for a referendum on class size reduction in New York City's Public Schools.**

**Attachments:**    Committee Report

**This Resolution was Hearing on P-C Item by Comm**

**Attachments:**    Committee Report

**A motion was made that this Resolution be P-C Item Approved by Comm approved by Roll Call.**

**Affirmative,**    17 -

Weprin, Quinn, Moskowitz, Rivera, Brewer, Comrie Jr., de Blasio, Felder, Fidler, Gennaro, Gioia, Jackson, McMahon, Sears, Gallagher, Oddo and Koppell

**Absent,**        5 -

Boyland, Lopez, Perkins, Provenzano and Vann