

The New York City Council

*City Hall
New York, NY 10007*



Meeting Minutes

Thursday, October 19, 2023

10:30 AM

VOTE

Council Chambers - City Hall

Committee on Rules, Privileges and Elections

Keith Powers, Chair

*Members: Adrienne E. Adams, Joseph C. Borelli, Justin L. Brannan,
Gale Brewer, Selvena Brooks-Powers, Crystal Hudson,
Rafael Salamanca and Pierina Ana Sanchez*

Roll Call

Present: Powers, Adams, Brannan, Brewer, Brooks-Powers, Hudson, Salamanca Jr. and Sanchez

Absent: Borelli

M 0175-2023

Communication from the Mayor – Submitting the name of John Heesemann to the City Council for advice and consent regarding his appointment to the New York City Tax Commission for the remainder of a six-year term that expiring on January 6, 2024, pursuant to Section 153 of the New York City Charter.

Attachments: Mayor's Appointment Letter, September 28, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 9-28-23, Committee Report 10/3/23, Hearing Testimony 10/3/23, Hearing Transcript 10/3/23, Hearing Transcript 10/19/23, October 19, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Res. No. 828

This Mayor's Message was Hearing Held by Committee

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A motion was made that this Mayor's Message be Approved by Committee with Companion Resolution approved by Roll Call.

Affirmative: 8 - Powers, Adams, Brannan, Brewer, Brooks-Powers, Hudson, Salamanca Jr. and Sanchez

Absent: 1 - Borelli

M 0176-2023

Communication from the Mayor – Submitting the name of Bennett Minko to the City Council for advice and consent regarding his appointment to the New York City Tax Commission for the remainder of a six-year term that expiring on January 6, 2026, pursuant to Section 153 of the New York City Charter.

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This Mayor's Message was Approved by Committee with Companion Resolution

Affirmative: 8 - Powers, Adams, Brannan, Brewer, Brooks-Powers, Hudson, Salamanca Jr. and Sanchez

Absent: 1 - Borelli

M 0177-2023

Communication from the Mayor – Submitting the name of Gary L. Bristol to the City Council for advice and consent regarding his appointment to the New York City Tax Commission for the remainder of a six-year term that expiring on January 6, 2024, pursuant to Section 153 of the New York City Charter.

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A motion was made that this Mayor's Message be Approved by Committee with Companion Resolution approved by Roll Call.

Affirmative: 8 - Powers, Adams, Brannan, Brewer, Brooks-Powers, Hudson, Salamanca Jr. and Sanchez

Absent: 1 - Borelli

M 0178-2023

Communication from the Mayor – Submitting the name of Lisa Breier Urban to the City Council for advice and consent regarding her appointment to the New York City Environmental Control Board pursuant to Sections 31 and 1049-a of the New York City Charter.

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This Mayor's Message was Approved by Committee with Companion Resolution

Affirmative: 8 - Powers, Adams, Brannan, Brewer, Brooks-Powers, Hudson, Salamanca Jr. and Sanchez

Absent: 1 - Borelli

M 0179-2023

Communication from the Bronx Borough President - Submitting the name of Orlando Marin to the Council for its advice and consent regarding his appointment to the City Planning Commission for a five year term that began on June 30, 2020 and expires on June 30, 2025, pursuant to Section 192 of the New York City Charter.

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This Communication was Hearing Held by Committee

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A motion was made that this Communication be Approved by Committee with Companion Resolution approved by Roll Call.

Affirmative: 8 - Powers, Adams, Brannan, Brewer, Brooks-Powers, Hudson, Salamanca Jr. and Sanchez

Absent: 1 - Borelli