

# The New York City Council

## Council Agenda

### Stated Meeting

November 06, 2003

1:30 PM

## Council Chambers - City Hall

**1. Roll Call**

**2. Invocation**

*Delivered by: Rabbi Chaim Schwartz, Rabbinical Seminary of America, 76-01 147th Street, Flushing, NY, 11367.*

*Motion to spread the invocation in full upon the record by Council Member Gennaro.*

**3. Adoption of Minutes**

**4. Messages & Papers from the Mayor**

**M 0769-2003**

**Veto of Int. No. 575 - Third Party Transfer, 121 West 126 Street, Manhattan**

Communication from the Mayor - Mayors veto and disapproval message of Introductory Number 575, in relation to the disapproval of a determination by the department of

housing preservation and development to approve the transfer of the property located at 121 West 126 Street, also known as Block 1911, Lot 22, in the borough of Manhattan.

*Housing and Buildings*

**M 0770-2003 Veto of LU 508 & Res 1127 - Landmarks, 1047 Amsterdam Ave, Manhattan (20045002HKM)**

Communication from the Mayor - Mayors veto and disapproval message of Introductory Number L.U. 508 & Res 1127, disapproving the designation by the Landmarks Preservation Commission of The Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine, located at 1047 Amsterdam Avenue, Manhattan, Designation List No. 347, LP-2127 (L.U. No. 508; 20045002 HKM; N 030551 HKM).

*Land Use*

**5. Communications from City, County & Borough Offices**

**6. Petitions and Communications**

*NONE*

**7. Land Use Call-Ups**

**M 0771-2003 ULURP, Amendment to City Map (C 030433 MMQ)**

By the Chair of the Land Use Committee Council Member Katz:

Pursuant to Rule 11.20(c) of the Council and Section 197-d(b)(3) of the New York City Charter, the Council hereby resolves that the action of the City Planning Commission on Uniform Land Use Procedure Application no. C 030433 MMQ, an amendment to the City Map; shall be subject to Council review. This applications are related to applications no. C 030509 HUQ, C030510 ZMQ and C 030511 HAQ that

are subject to Council review pursuant to Section 197-d of the New York City Charter.

## Roll Call

### 8. Communication from the Speaker

### 9. Discussion of General Orders

### 10. Reports of Special Committees

*NONE*

### 11. Reports of Standing Committees

#### Report of the Committee on Finance

**Int 0599-2003**      **Certification for the imposition of a real property tax surcharge on certain class one properties ("absentee landlord tax surcharge/STAR").**

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the certification for the imposition of a real property tax surcharge on certain class one properties.

*Preconsidered - Coupled on GO*

#### Report of the Committee on Land Use

**Int 0596-2003**      **Authorizing DOT to extend the date of the operating authority of certain private bus services. 20045270LLY**

A Local Law to amend the New York city charter, in relation to authorizing the department of transportation to extend the date of the operating authority of certain private bus services.  
20045270 LLY

***Coupled on GO*****Res 1127-2003 LU 508 - Landmarks, 1047 Amsterdam Ave, Manhattan (20045002HKM)**

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***Coupled to be Filed*****Res 1142-2003 LU 436 - ULURP, Fulton Park Urban Renewal Plan, Brooklyn (C030299HUK)**

Resolution approving the Second Amendment to the Fulton Park Urban Renewal Plan for the Fulton Park Urban Renewal Area, approving the designation of the area, and approving the decision of the City Planning Commission on ULURP No. C 030299 HUK (L.U. No. 436).

***Coupled on GO*****Res 1143-2003 LU 437 - ULURP, Fulton Park URP 2nd Amend., Brooklyn (C030300ZMK)**

Resolution approving the decision of the City Planning Commission on ULURP No. C 030300 ZMK, a Zoning Map change (L.U. No. 437).

***Coupled on GO*****Res 1144-2003 LU 438 - ULURP, Fulton Park Urban Renewal Area, Brooklyn (C030301HDK)**

Resolution approving the decision of the City Planning Commission on ULURP No. C 030301 HDK, for the disposition of city-owned property comprising sites within the Fulton Park Urban Renewal Area, Brooklyn (L.U. No. 438).

***Coupled on GO*****Res 1145-2003 LU 450 - ULURP, Frederick Douglass Blvd. Rezoning, Manhattan (030436ZMM)**

Resolution approving the decision of the City Planning Commission on ULURP No. C 030436 ZMM, a Zoning Map change (L.U. No. 450).

***Coupled on GO*****Res 1146-2003 LU 490 - ULURP, East 110th St., Manhattan (C030491HAM)**

Resolution approving the decision of the City Planning Commission on an application submitted by the Department of Housing Preservation and Development, ULURP No. C 030491 HAM, approving the designation of 55, 57-59, 61-63 and 65-69 East 110th Street, Site 25B within the Milbank Frawley Circle East Urban Renewal Area (Block 1616/Lots 24, 25, 26 and 28), Manhattan, as an Urban Development Action Area, approving the project for the area as an Urban Development Action Area Project, and approving the disposition of such property to a developer selected by the Department of Housing Preservation and Development (L.U. No. 490; C 030491 HAM).

***Coupled on GO*****Res 1147-2003 LU 496 - ULURP, Melrose Commons URA, Bronx (C030533HAX)**

Resolution approving the decision of the City Planning Commission on an application submitted by the Department of

Housing Preservation and Development, ULURP No. C 030533 HAX, approving the designation of 401 East 156th Street, 750, 752, 758 and 762 Melrose Avenue, 410 East 157th Street, 418-420 East 157th Street, 413 and 409 East 156th Street, part of Site 5, (Block 2378/Lots 1, 3, 4, 7, 9, 12, 13, 40 and 42), the Bronx, as an Urban Development Action Area, approving the project for the area as an Urban Development Action Area Project, and approving the disposition of such property to a developer to be selected by the Department of Housing Preservation and Development (L.U. No. 496; C 030533 HAX).

*Coupled on GO*

**Res 1148-2003**

**LU 499 - UDAAP, 690 Rogers Avenue, Brooklyn (20045058HAK)**

Resolution approving an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 690 Rogers Avenue (Block 5065/Lot 65), Brooklyn, and waiving the urban development action area designation requirement and the Uniform Land Use Review Procedure, pursuant to Sections 693 and 694 of the General Municipal Law (L.U. No. 499; 20045058 HAK).

*Coupled on GO*

**Res 1149-2003**

**LU 517 - UDAAP, 1945 67th Street, Brooklyn (20045124HAK)**

Resolution approving an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 1945 67th Street (Block 5562/Lot 60), Brooklyn, and waiving the urban development action area designation requirement and the Uniform Land Use Review Procedure, pursuant to Sections 693 and 694 of the General Municipal Law (L.U. No. 517; 20045124 HAK).

*Coupled on GO*

**Res 1150-2003**

**LU 519 - UDAAP, 316 West 47th Street, Manhattan (20045127HAM)**

Resolution approving an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 316 West 47th Street (Block 1037/Lot 43),

Manhattan, and waiving the urban development action area designation requirement and the Uniform Land Use Review Procedure, pursuant to Sections 693 and 694 of the General Municipal Law (L.U. No. 519; 20045127 HAM).

*Coupled on GO*

**Res 1151-2003 LU 554 - UDAAP, 1105 College Avenue, Bronx (20045219HAX)**

Resolution approving an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 1105 College Avenue (Block 2438/Lot 85), the Bronx, and waiving the urban development action area designation requirement and the Uniform Land Use Review Procedure, pursuant to Sections 693 and 694 of the General Municipal Law (L.U. No. 554; 20045219 HAX).

*Coupled on GO*

**Res 1152-2003 LU 555 - UDAAP, 1185 Fulton Avenue, Bronx (20045220HAX)**

Resolution approving an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 1185 Fulton Avenue (Block 2609/Lot 43), the Bronx, and waiving the urban development action area designation requirement and the Uniform Land Use Review Procedure, pursuant to Sections 693 and 694 of the General Municipal Law (L.U. No. 555; 20045220 HAX).

*Coupled on GO*

**Res 1153-2003 LU 557 - UDAAP, 857 Hart Street, Brooklyn (20045222HAK)**

Resolution approving an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 857 Hart Street (Block 3220/Lot 44), Brooklyn, and waiving the urban development action area designation requirement and the Uniform Land Use Review Procedure, pursuant to Sections 693 and 694 of the General Municipal Law (L.U. No. 557; 20045222 HAK).

*Coupled on GO*

**Res 1154-2003 LU 558 - UDAAP, 1060 Rogers Avenue, Brooklyn (20045223HAK)**

Resolution approving an Urban Development Action Area

Project located at 1060 Rogers Avenue (Block 5170/Lot 21), Brooklyn, and waiving the urban development action area designation requirement and the Uniform Land Use Review Procedure, pursuant to Sections 693 and 694 of the General Municipal Law (L.U. No. 558; 20045223 HAK).

*Coupled on GO*

**Res 1155-2003**

**LU 559 - UDAAP, 1070 Rogers Avenue, Brooklyn  
(20045224HAK)**

Resolution approving an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 1070 Rogers Avenue (Block 5170/Lot 24), Brooklyn, and waiving the urban development action area designation requirement and the Uniform Land Use Review Procedure, pursuant to Sections 693 and 694 of the General Municipal Law (L.U. No. 559; 20045224 HAK).

*Coupled on GO*

**Res 1156-2003**

**LU 560 - UDAAP, 1408 Nostrand Avenue, Brooklyn  
(20045225HAK)**

Resolution approving an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 1408 Nostrand Avenue (Block 5088/Lot 44), Brooklyn, and waiving the urban development action area designation requirement and the Uniform Land Use Review Procedure, pursuant to Sections 693 and 694 of the General Municipal Law (L.U. No. 560; 20045225 HAK).

*Coupled on GO*

**Res 1157-2003**

**LU 561 - UDAAP, 274 East 23rd Street, Brooklyn  
(20045226HAK)**

Resolution approving an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 274 East 23rd Street (Block 5166/Lot 46), Brooklyn, and waiving the urban development action area designation requirement and the Uniform Land Use Review Procedure, pursuant to Sections 693 and 694 of the General Municipal Law (L.U. No. 561; 20045226 HAK).

*Coupled on GO*



**Res 1158-2003      LU 562 - UDAAP, 38 Martense Street, Brooklyn  
(20045227HAQ)**

Resolution approving an Urban Development Action Area Project located at 38 Martense Street (Block 5089/Lot 20), Brooklyn, and waiving the urban development action area designation requirement and the Uniform Land Use Review Procedure, pursuant to Sections 693 and 694 of the General Municipal Law (L.U. No. 562; 20045227 HAK).

*Coupled on GO*

## **Report of the Committee on Mental Health, Mental Retardation, Alcoholism, Drug Abuse & Disability Services**

**Int 0261-2002-A      Standards and specifications for accessible facilities and passenger ferry water borne transportation services for disabled individuals in NYC.**

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to standards and specifications for accessible water borne commuter services facilities for disabled persons in New York City.

*Amended and Laid Over*

## **Report of the Committee on Transportation**

**Int 0261-2002-A      Standards and specifications for accessible facilities and passenger ferry water borne transportation services for disabled individuals in NYC.**

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to standards and specifications for accessible water borne commuter services facilities for disabled persons in New York City.

*Amended and Laid Over*

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## Report of the Committee on Women's Issues

**Int 0409-2003-A**      **Regulating the practices of debt collection agencies attempting to collect child support payments.**

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York , in relation to the practices of debt collection agencies that collect child support payments.

*Amended and Coupled on GO*

## 12.      **General Orders Calendar**

**T1999-86**              **Commissioner of Deeds**  
**Commissioner of Deeds**  
*Coupled on GO*

### **Coupled on General Order Calendar**

### **Finance**

**Int 0599-2003**      **Certification for the imposition of a real property tax surcharge on certain class one properties ("absentee landlord tax surcharge/STAR").**  
*Preconsidered - GO*

### **Land Use**

**Int 0596-2003**      **Authorizing DOT to extend the date of the operating authority of certain private bus services. 20045270LLY**  
*GO*

**Res 1127-2003**      **LU 508 - Landmarks, 1047 Amsterdam Ave, Manhattan (20045002HKM)**  
*GO*

- M 0770-2003**      **Veto of LU 508 & Res 1127 - Landmarks, 1047 Amsterdam Ave, Manhattan (20045002HKM)**  
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*GO*
- Res 1144-2003**      **LU 438 - ULURP, Fulton Park Urban Renewal Area, Brooklyn (C030301HDK)**  
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- Res 1149-2003**      **LU 517 - UDAAP, 1945 67th Street, Brooklyn (20045124HAK)**  
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## **General Order Calendar**

**T1999-86**                    **Commissioner of Deeds**  
**GO**

## **Roll Call**

### **13. Introduction & Reading of Bills** **See Attached**

### **14. Discussion of Resolutions**

### **15. Resolutions**

**Res 1065-2003**            **Improve benefits for veterans and members of the Armed Forces (S.392, H.R. 303)**

Resolution calling upon the United States Congress to adopt House of Representatives Bill 303 and Senate Bill 392, which would permit retired members of the Armed Forces, who have a service-connected disability, to receive both retirement pay and disability compensation; and further calling upon the United States Congress to adopt House of Representatives Bill 2569, which, in addition to permitting retired members of the Armed Forces who have a service-connected disability to receive both retirement pay and disability compensation, would also improve other benefits for veterans and members of the Armed Forces.

*Adopted by the Committee on General Welfare*

**Res 1066-2003**            **Reduction in the backlog of claims for benefits pending with the Dep't of Veterans Affairs**

Resolution urging Congress to hold hearings regarding Senate Bill 1186 and House of Representatives Bill 1264, which provide for a reduction in the backlog of claims for benefits

pending with the Department of Veterans Affairs, and calling upon Congress to adopt these bills as expeditiously as possible.

*Adopted by the Committee on General Welfare*

**Res 1135-2003**

**Praising and congratulating Shirin Ebadi, Nobel Peace Prize**

Resolution praising and congratulating Shirin Ebadi for becoming the first Muslim woman to win the Nobel Peace Prize.

*Preconsidered - Adopted by the Committee on Mental Health, Mental Retardation, Alcoholism, Drug Abuse & Disability Services*

## **16. General Discussion**

## **17. Extension of Remarks**

### **INTRODUCTION AND READING OF BILLS**

**Int 0599-2003**

*By The Speaker (Speaker Miller) and Council Members Weprin, Comrie Jr., de Blasio, Yassky, Fidler, Avella and Nelson*

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the certification for the imposition of a real property tax surcharge on certain class one properties.

*Preconsidered - Finance*

**Int 0600-2003**

*By The Speaker (Speaker Miller) and Council Members Weprin, Comrie Jr., de Blasio, Yassky, Addabbo Jr., Fidler, Gennaro, Gentile, Gerson, Martinez, Nelson, Perkins, Recchia Jr., Rivera and Liu*

A Local Law in relation to delaying the billing for the imposition of a real property tax surcharge on certain class one properties for fiscal 2004.

*Finance*

**Res 1131-2003** *By Council Members Baez, Addabbo Jr., Barron, Brewer, Comrie Jr., Fidler, Gentile, Gerson, Koppell, Lopez, Martinez, Nelson, Perkins, Recchia Jr., Rivera, Yassky and Liu*

Resolution calling upon the United States Congress to oppose Section 631 of the Medicare Drug and Modernization Act of 2003, which would allow employers to eliminate or provide reduced health benefits to Medicare-eligible retirees, and further calling upon the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission to reconsider its proposed amendment to the Age Discrimination in Employment Act, which would permit employers to alter, reduce or eliminate health benefits for Medicare-eligible retirees.

***Aging***

**Res 1132-2003** *By Council Members Barron, Comrie Jr., Lopez and Perkins*

Resolution strongly opposing President Bush's nomination of California Supreme Court Justice Janice Rogers Brown to the Federal Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit.

***Cultural Affairs, Libraries and International Intergroup Relations***

**Int 0601-2003** *By Council Members Brewer, Gerson, Koppell, Lopez and Nelson*

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the use of air conditioning systems.

***Environmental Protection***

**Res 1133-2003** *By Council Members de Blasio, Nelson, Fidler, Gennaro, Sears, Katz, Avella, Brewer, Gerson, Gioia, Koppell, Lopez, Recchia Jr., Rivera, Weprin, Yassky, Liu, Sanders Jr., Vallone Jr. and James*

Resolution denouncing former Malaysian Prime Minister Mahathir Mohamad for the anti-Semitic remarks he recently made at The Islamic Summit Conference.

***Cultural Affairs, Libraries and International Intergroup Relations***

**Int 0602-2003** *By Council Members Gerson, de Blasio, Brewer, Comrie Jr. and*

*Sears*

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to restricting the purchase and use of sport utility vehicles by the city of New York

*Environmental Protection***Int 0603-2003**

*By Council Members Lopez, Moskowitz, The Speaker (Speaker Miller), Addabbo Jr., Avella, Boyland, Brewer, Comrie Jr., Gennaro, Gerson, Gioia, Katz, Nelson and Weprin*

A Local Law in relation to naming Veterans Way, Borough of Manhattan.

*Parks and Recreation***Int 0604-2003**

*By Council Members Monserrate, Vallone Jr., Addabbo Jr., Avella, Gentile, Gerson, Koppell, Martinez, Nelson, Rivera, Sears and Liu*

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to imposing a fine against the owners of commercial buildings and residential buildings of six or more units who do not remove graffiti from their premises, and in relation to allowing the city to clean graffiti from these buildings without the consent of the owner of the property.

*Public Safety***Res 1134-2003**

*By Council Members Moskowitz, Brewer, Fidler, Koppell, Perkins, Recchia Jr., Weprin, Yassky, Reyna, Rivera, Liu, Boyland and Nelson*

Resolution urging the New York State Legislature to amend the election law in relation to adding the term "domestic partner" to the list of family members one may accompany outside of the election district and be eligible to receive an absentee ballot.

*Governmental Operations***Int 0605-2003**

*By Council Members Moskowitz, Brewer, Comrie Jr., Gentile, Gerson, Koppell, Weprin, Yassky and Boyland*



A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the New York city police department to trace all firearm in its possession and to share the results of such tracing with law enforcement agencies nationwide.

***Public Safety***

**Res 1135-2003**

*By Council Members Reed, Boyland, Comrie Jr., Lopez, Perkins, Sears and Weprin*

Resolution praising and congratulating Shirin Ebadi for becoming the first Muslim woman to win the Nobel Peace Prize.

***Preconsidered - Mental Health, Mental Retardation, Alcoholism, Drug Abuse and Disability Services***

**Res 1136-2003**

*By Council Members Vallone Jr., Monserrate, Addabbo Jr., Comrie Jr., Felder, Gerson, Katz, McMahon, Nelson, Recchia Jr., Rivera and Liu*

Resolution calling on the New York State Legislature to grant real property tax exemptions to owners of property for the cost of removing graffiti.

***Public Safety***

**Res 1137-2003**

*By Council Members Vallone Jr., Clarke, Boyland, Comrie Jr., Felder, Gennaro, Gentile, Katz, Lopez, Rivera, Sears, Yassky and Liu*

Resolution calling on the New York State Legislature to increase the penalty for the failure to register or verify an address as required by the Sex Offender Registration Act.

***Public Safety***

**Res 1138-2003**

*By Council Members Weprin, Lopez, Barron, Boyland, Brewer, Comrie Jr., Felder, Gennaro, Gentile, Gerson, Gioia, Katz, Koppell, McMahon, Nelson, Recchia Jr., Sears and Yassky*

Resolution calling upon the New York State Senate to enact S. 5329, also known as "Timothy's Law," which would provide

New Yorkers with fair insurance treatment for mental health and chemical dependency services.

***Mental Health, Mental Retardation, Alcoholism, Drug Abuse and Disability Services***

**Int 0606-2003**

*By Council Members Yassky, Gennaro, Avella, Brewer, Felder, Gentile, Gerson, Gioia, Koppell, Lopez, Martinez and Liu*

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to enforcement of the restrictions regarding engine idling.

***Environmental Protection***

**Res 1139-2003**

*By Council Members Yassky, Clarke, Gentile, Koppell, Serrano, Avella and Felder*

Resolution calling upon the New York State Legislature to pass Assembly Bill 04440, a bill establishing a system of merit selection for judges in New York State.

***State and Federal Legislation***

**Res 1140-2003**

*By Council Members Yassky, Koppell, Avella, Brewer, Felder, Gerson, Clarke and James*

Resolution urging the New York State Legislature to pass legislation reforming the present judicial election process by (i) establishing a voluntary Campaign Finance Program for all judicial candidates, (ii) requiring all judicial candidates, whether inside or outside such system, to disclose contributions and expenditures and (iii) requiring the New York State Board of Elections to publish a meaningful and objective voters guide for all judicial elections.

***State and Federal Legislation***

**Res 1141-2003**

*By Council Members Yassky, Fidler, Koppell, Avella and Felder*

Resolution calling on the parties designated by the New York State Board of Elections in the City of New York and holding a place on a judicial election ballot to create independent and diverse judicial screening panels that provide a meaningful

evaluation process for the selection of judicial candidates.

***State and Federal Legislation***

**LU 0567-2003**

*By Council Member Katz*

Landmarks Preservation Commission designation no. DL - 348, LP - 2135, pursuant to §3020 of the New York City Charter, concerning the designation of property in the Williamsburg Houses that was unintentionally omitted and located within the Williamsburg Houses, Borough of Brooklyn, Council District no. 34, as a landmark.

(Non-ULURP no. 20045244 HKK)

***Landmarks, Public Siting and Maritime Uses***

**LU 0568-2003**

*By Council Member Katz*

Landmarks Preservation Commission designation no. DL - 349, LP - 2132, pursuant to §3020 of the New York City Charter, concerning the designation of the Gansevoort Market Area as a historic District, located at generally between West 15th street, Hudson street, Horatio street, and West street , Borough of Manhattan, Council District no. 3, as a landmark. (Non-ULURP no. 20045210 HKM).

***Landmarks, Public Siting and Maritime Uses***

**LU 0569-2003**

*By Council Member Katz*

Uniform Land Use Review Procedure application no. 030526 ZMQ, pursuant to §197-c and §197-d of the New York City Charter, concerning changes to the zoning map, Borough of Queens, Council District no. 31.

***Zoning and Franchises***