

The New York City Council

Continuation of the Recessed Meeting of May 28, 2020 HELD on June 18, 2020 Council Agenda

Stated Meeting

June 18, 2020

1:30 PM

- REMOTE HEARING (VIRTUAL ROOM 1) -

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- 1. The Public Advocate will call the meeting to order.**

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- 2. Roll Call**

ROLL CALL

- 3. The Clerk will announce the presence of a quorum.**

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4. The Public Advocate will adjourn the recessed meeting.

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1. Roll Call

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2. Invocation

INVOCATION - Delivered by: Rev. Yunus Coldman who serves as a spiritual leader at Rivers of Living Water Ministries, UCC, located at 263 West 86th Street, New York, NY 10024.

Motion to spread the Invocation in full upon the record by Council Member Rosenthal.

3. Adoption of Minutes

ADOPTION OF MINUTES - None

4. Messages & Papers from the Mayor

MESSAGES & PAPERS FROM THE MAYOR - None

5. Communications from City, County & Borough Offices

***COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY & BOROUGH
OFFICES***

M 0242-2020 **NYC Banking Commission - Transmitting recommendations of the interest rate to be charged for FY'21.**

Communication from the New York City Banking Commission - Transmitting recommendations of the interest rate to be charged for Fiscal Year 2021 for non-payment of taxes on real estate and for the discount rate to be allowed for early payment of real estate taxes for Fiscal Year 2021, pursuant to the City Charter.

Finance

6. **Petitions and Communications**

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS - None

7. **Land Use Call-Ups**

LAND USE CALL-UPS - None

8. **Communication from the Speaker**

COMMUNICATION FROM THE SPEAKER

9. **Discussion of General Orders**

DISCUSSION OF GENERAL ORDERS

10. **Reports of Special Committees**

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES - None

11. **Reports of Standing Committees**

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Report of the Committee on Public Safety

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY

Int 0487-2018-A Creating comprehensive reporting and oversight of NYPD surveillance technologies.

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to creating comprehensive reporting and oversight of New York city police department surveillance technologies

Amended and Coupled on GO

Int 0536-2018-B Chokeholds and other such restraints.

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the City of New York, in relation to chokeholds and other such restraints

Amended and Coupled on GO

Int 0721-2018-B Right to record police activities.

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the right to record police activities

Amended and Coupled on GO

Int 0760-2018-B Early intervention system.

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to an early intervention system

Amended and Coupled on GO

Int 1309-2018-B Requiring the police dept to develop an internal disciplinary matrix.

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the police department to develop an internal disciplinary matrix

Amended and Coupled on GO

Int 1962-2020-A Requiring visible shield numbers and rank designations.

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring visible shield numbers and

rank designations

Preconsidered - Amended and Coupled on GO

Report of the Committee on Transportation

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Int 1354-2019-A **Requiring certain spillage prevention equipment on concrete mixer trucks.**

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring certain spillage prevention equipment on concrete mixer trucks

Amended and Coupled on GO

12. General Orders Calendar

GENERAL ORDERS CALENDAR

Coupled on General Order Calendar

COUPLED ON GENERAL ORDER CALENDAR

Public Safety

PUBLIC SAFETY

Int 0487-2018-A **Creating comprehensive reporting and oversight of NYPD surveillance technologies.**

A and GO

Int 0536-2018-B **Chokeholds and other such restraints.**

A and GO

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A and GO

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A and GO

Int 1309-2018-B **Requiring the police dept to develop an internal disciplinary matrix.**
A and GO

Int 1962-2020-A **Requiring visible shield numbers and rank designations.**
Preconsidered - A and GO

Transportation

TRANSPORTATION

Int 1354-2019-A **Requiring certain spillage prevention equipment on concrete mixer trucks.**
A and GO

General Order Calendar

GENERAL ORDER CALENDAR

13. Introduction & Reading of Bills

See Attached

INTRODUCTION & READING OF BILLS (SEE BELOW)

14. Discussion of Resolutions

DISCUSSION OF RESOLUTIONS

15. Resolutions

RESOLUTIONS

Res 1343-2020 **Eric Garner Excessive Use of Force Prevention Act of 2019 (H.R. 4408)**

Resolution calling upon the United States Congress to pass, and the President to sign, the Eric Garner Excessive Use of Force Prevention Act of 2019 (H.R. 4408), which would prohibit police chokeholds and other tactics that result in

asphyxiation.

Preconsidered - Adopted by the Committee on Public Safety

16. General Discussion

GENERAL DISCUSSION

17. Extension of Remarks

EXTENSION OF REMARKS

INTRODUCTION AND READING OF BILLS

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Int 1962-2020-A *By Council Members Ampry-Samuel, The Public Advocate (Mr. Williams), Rivera, Cumbo, Levin, Chin, Kallos, Van Bramer, Rosenthal, Menchaca, Louis, Moya, Ayala, Brannan, Adams, Lancman, Reynoso, Vallone, Cabrera, Cohen and Rose*

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring visible shield numbers and rank designations

Preconsidered - Public Safety

Int 1963-2020 *By Council Member Cabrera*

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to entrepreneurship training for formerly incarcerated persons

Criminal Justice

Res 1334-2020 *By Council Member Cabrera*

Resolution calling on the United States Congress to provide national funding for the Cure Violence program.

Public Safety

Int 1964-2020 *By Council Members Chin and Adams*

A Local Law in relation to the deferral of property tax liability

on real property with an assessed value exceeding two hundred fifty thousand dollars owned by certain property owners impacted by COVID-19

Preconsidered - Finance

Int 1965-2020

By Council Member Constantinides

A Local Law in relation to requiring the emergency management department to report on its response to COVID-19 and the expiration and repeal thereof

Fire and Emergency Management

Int 1966-2020

By Council Members Constantinides, Powers and Torres

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to creating a pilot program to test sewage for COVID-19 RNA

Environmental Protection

Int 1967-2020

By Council Members Cumbo and Van Bramer

A Local Law in relation to a report regarding post-COVID-19 reopening plans for art and cultural institutions in New York city

Cultural Affairs, Libraries and International Intergroup Relations

Int 1968-2020

By Council Member Eugene

A Local Law in relation to providing mental health counseling to healthcare professionals who provided healthcare services during the COVID-19 pandemic, and providing for the expiration and repeal of such requirement

Mental Health, Disabilities and Addiction

Int 1969-2020

By Council Member Gjonaj

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to suspending the schedule change premium when a state of emergency modifies fast food restaurant operations

Civil Service and Labor

Res 1335-2020 *By Council Members Gjonaj, Brannan, Rivera, Levine and Powers*
Resolution calling upon the New York State Legislature to pass, and Governor to sign, A.10226-B/S.8211-A, requiring certain perils be covered under business interruption insurance during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Small Business

Int 1970-2020 *By Council Members Holden, Richards and Powers*
A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the department of health and mental hygiene to report on the number of cases of communicable disease during a state of emergency

Health

Res 1336-2020 *By Council Member Holden*
Resolution calling on the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, legislation that creates statewide guidelines on closing schools during a biological crisis.

Education

Int 1971-2020 *By Council Member Menchaca*
A Local Law in relation to requiring the department of consumer affairs to study access to financial services

Consumer Affairs and Business Licensing

Int 1972-2020 *By Council Member Menchaca*
A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to suspending demolition permits for properties under consideration for landmark or historic district designation

Housing and Buildings

Int 1973-2020 *By Council Member Menchaca*

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the department of transportation to conduct an annual study on bicycle activity
Transportation

Res 1337-2020 *By Council Member Menchaca*

Resolution opposing the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's proposed increases to filing fees for immigration status adjustments, including but not limited to, Citizenship, Permanent Legal Residence, Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals, Asylum, and Temporary Protected Status and urging the federal government not to move forward with its adoption.
Immigration

Res 1338-2020 *By Council Member Menchaca*

Resolution calling upon the New York State Legislature to override Governor Andrew Cuomo's veto of S6427A/A8060A, legislation relating to the standards of proof for unfounded and indicated reports of abuse or maltreatment and the admissibility of reports of child abuse and maltreatment.
General Welfare

Res 1339-2020 *By Council Member Menchaca*

Resolution expressing a loss of confidence in Mayor de Blasio and calling upon the Governor of the State of New York to bring charges to effectuate the removal of the Mayor for failing to protect the safety and promote the general welfare of the public, in accordance with section 33 of the Public Officers Law and section 9 of the Charter.
Governmental Operations

Res 1340-2020 *By Council Member Powers*

Resolution calling on Congress to pass, and the President to sign, the Emergency Community Supervision Act (S 3579/ HR 6400), which would require the Bureau of Prisons to

immediately release vulnerable individuals to home confinement or other community supervision outside of prison to stop the spread of COVID-19.

Criminal Justice

Res 1341-2020 *By Council Member Powers*

Resolution calling on the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, A.7658A/S.6276, in relation to providing telephone calls to persons incarcerated in state correctional facilities at no cost.

Criminal Justice

Int 1974-2020 *By The Public Advocate (Mr. Williams) and Council Members Kallos, Lander, Adams and Ayala*

A Local Law in relation to the deferral of property tax liability on real property with an assessed value of two hundred fifty thousand dollars or less owned by certain property owners impacted by COVID-19

Preconsidered - Finance

Int 1975-2020 *By The Public Advocate (Mr. Williams) and Council Members Cornegy Jr. and Ampry-Samuel*

A Local Law in relation to guidelines for cleaning and disinfecting multiple dwellings

Housing and Buildings

Res 1342-2020 *By The Public Advocate (Mr. Williams)*

Resolution calling on the State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, A.10430/S.8184-A, which would establish tiers of essential employees during a state of emergency.

Economic Development

Int 1976-2020 *By Council Members Rivera and Kallos*

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring booking services to report short-term housing rental transactions

Preconsidered - Housing and Buildings

- Int 1977-2020** *By Council Members Rivera and Reynoso*
- A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to giving qualified entities a first opportunity to purchase and an opportunity to submit an offer to purchase certain residential buildings when offered for sale
- Housing and Buildings***
- Res 1343-2020** *By Council Members Rivera, Ampy-Samuel, Constantinides, Kallos, Van Bramer, Rosenthal, Menchaca, Louis, Ayala, Brannan, Adams, Reynoso, Rose, Moya, Cabrera, Cohen, Chin and Powers*
- Resolution calling upon the United States Congress to pass, and the President to sign, the Eric Garner Excessive Use of Force Prevention Act of 2019 (H.R. 4408), which would prohibit police chokeholds and other tactics that result in asphyxiation.
- Preconsidered - Public Safety***
- Int 1978-2020** *By Council Members Rodriguez, Kallos and Holden*
- A Local Law in relation to the establishment of a COVID-19 economic recovery task force
- Governmental Operations***
- Int 1979-2020** *By Council Member Rosenthal*
- A Local Law in relation to a public information and outreach campaign on domestic violence during the COVID-19 emergency, and the repeal thereof
- Women and Gender Equity***
- Int 1980-2020** *By Council Member Torres*
- A Local Law in relation to establishing a special inspector within the department of investigation to review contracts that were entered into in response to the 2019 novel coronavirus, and providing for the repeal of such provision upon the expiration thereof

Oversight and Investigations**Res 1344-2020***By Council Member Ulrich*

Resolution expressing a loss of confidence in Mayor Bill de Blasio and calling upon the Governor of the State of New York to bring charges to effectuate the removal of the Mayor for failing to maintain public order and safety during this period of persistent social unrest, in accordance with section 33 of the Public Officers Law and section 9 of the Charter.

Governmental Operations