

The New York City Council

*City Hall
New York, NY 10007*



Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, October 25, 2023

1:00 PM

Jointly with the Committee on Public Safety.

Council Chambers - City Hall

Committee on Education

Rita C. Joseph, Chair

*Members: Alexa Avilés, Carmen N. De La Rosa, Eric Dinowitz,
Oswald Feliz, James F. Gennaro, Jennifer Gutiérrez, Shahana K. Hanif,
Kamillah Hanks, Shekar Krishnan, Linda Lee, Farah N. Louis,
Julie Menin, Mercedes Narcisse, Lincoln Restler, Pierina Ana Sanchez,
Lynn C. Schulman, Althea V. Stevens and Sandra Ung*

Roll Call

Present: Joseph, Avilés, De La Rosa, Dinowitz, Feliz, Gennaro, Gutiérrez, Hanif, Hanks, Krishnan, Lee, Louis, Menin, Narcisse, Restler, Sanchez, Stevens and Ung

Absent: Schulman

Other Council Members Attending: Bottcher, Ayala, Holden, Brannan, Cabán, Ariola, Mealy and Nurse

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Oversight - New Safety Initiatives 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 0003-2022

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the police department's response to students in emotional crisis in public schools

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 3, Int. No. 3, February 10, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-10-22, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - February 10, 2022, Committee Report 10/25/23, Hearing Testimony 10/25/23, Hearing Transcript 10/25/23

This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 3, Int. No. 3, February 10, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-10-22, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - February 10, 2022, Committee Report 10/25/23, Hearing Testimony 10/25/23, Hearing Transcript 10/25/23

This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee

Res 0473-2023

Resolution calling on the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, S1099/A1963 which would protect youth during custodial police interrogation.

Attachments: Res. No. 473, February 2, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-2-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - February 2, 2023, Committee Report 10/25/23, Hearing Testimony 10/25/23, Hearing Transcript 10/25/23

This Resolution was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Res. No. 473, February 2, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-2-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - February 2, 2023, Committee Report 10/25/23, Hearing Testimony 10/25/23, Hearing Transcript 10/25/23

This Resolution was Laid Over by Committee

Res 0476-2023

Resolution calling upon the New York City Department of Education to consult with faith-based organizations to develop and provide all grade levels with a curriculum that focuses on religious diversity; to provide professional development focused on religious diversity for teachers, staff, and administrators; to ensure accurate classification of hate crimes in annual school reports and immediate notification and full disclosure to parents of hate crime statistics; and to ensure that schools take actions to condemn bullying and harassment based on religious clothing, food requirements, and the need for prayer space and time year round.

Attachments: Res. No. 476, February 2, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-2-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - February 2, 2023, Committee Report 10/25/23, Hearing Testimony 10/25/23, Hearing Transcript 10/25/23

This Resolution was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Res. No. 476, February 2, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-2-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - February 2, 2023, Committee Report 10/25/23, Hearing Testimony 10/25/23, Hearing Transcript 10/25/23

This Resolution was Laid Over by Committee

Res 0534-2023

Resolution calling on the New York State Legislature to pass, and the New York State Governor to sign, A.3723/S.759 and A.816/S.879, which would extend the hours of use for student MetroCards in New York City and would prohibit the Metropolitan Transportation Authority from promulgating rules or regulations that penalize a student for using a student MetroCard when school is not in session.

Attachments: Res. No. 534, March 16, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 3-16-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - March 16, 2023, Proposed Res. No. 534-A - 3/17/23, Committee Report 10/25/23, Hearing Testimony 10/25/23, Hearing Transcript 10/25/23

Proposed Res. No. 534-A

This Resolution was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Res. No. 534, March 16, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 3-16-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - March 16, 2023, Proposed Res. No. 534-A - 3/17/23, Committee Report 10/25/23, Hearing Testimony 10/25/23, Hearing Transcript 10/25/23

This Resolution was Amendment Proposed by Comm

Attachments: Res. No. 534, March 16, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 3-16-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - March 16, 2023, Proposed Res. No. 534-A - 3/17/23, Committee Report 10/25/23, Hearing Testimony 10/25/23, Hearing Transcript 10/25/23

This Resolution was Laid Over by Committee

Res 0753-2023

Resolution calling on the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, A.3903/S.5103, to amend the education law, in relation to including policies and procedures in school safety plans for responding to students having mental health crises in order to reduce the instances where schools resort to police intervention in mental health emergencies.

Attachments: Res. No. 753, September 14, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 9-14-23, Committee Report 10/25/23, Hearing Testimony 10/25/23, Hearing Transcript 10/25/23

This Resolution was Hearing Held by Committee

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This Resolution was Laid Over by Committee