

**HOUSING AND BLOCK ASSOCIATION
COMMUNITY BOARD 17
FEBRUARY 4TH, 2026**

ATTENDANCE:

Ann H
Leonie Logan
Yanna Sinclair
Adele Bennett
Eduardo Cameron
Noreen George
Carol Reneau

The meeting was chaired by Dr. Carol Reneau who called the meeting to order and asked everyone to introduce themselves.

The Chair covered leadership transitions, housing initiatives, community services, and outreach efforts while expressing condolences for a member's loss. Other topics of discussion included but not limited to the following:

- Carol Reneau chairs the health and block association committee, announcing her upcoming transition of leadership to Ms. Maria Tiedore.
- The newsletter includes updates on housing initiatives, including a 0% rent freeze for rent-stabilized units by the new mayor.
- Community partners like National NHS and Erasmus Housing assist with the New York housing lottery applications.
- A new recreation center will have its ribbon cutting, the center will offer various community amenities.
- The shower bus initiative aims to provide hygiene services for unhoused individuals, including potential food and laundry services.
- The committee emphasizes community outreach and encourages residents to engage with available resources and support services.
- Community Board expresses condolences for Miss Logan's recent loss and offers support.
- Discussion includes outreach efforts to assist senior citizens in the community.
- Approval of previous meeting minutes occurs before concluding the session.

Action items

- District Manager Fraser to discuss with Mr. Daley about the leadership of the shower bus project.
- Carol Reneau to send the newsletter to attendees who requested it.
- District Manager Fraser to follow up on creating checklists for committee attendance and membership updates.
- Carol Reneau to send an email with pointers regarding senior outreach and resources for summer assistance.

There being no further discussion, the meeting adjourned with a motion made by Ms. Leonie Logan and seconded by Mr. Eduardo Cameron.