

**COMMUNITY BOARD 17**  
**PUBLIC HEARING & GENERAL MEETING - IN-PERSON/HYBRID**  
**SUNY DOWNSTATE MEDICAL CENTER (AUDITORIUM)**  
**395 LENOX ROAD, BROOKLYN N.Y. 11203**  
**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15<sup>TH</sup>, 2026, 7:00 – 9:00 P.M**

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| <b>1.</b> | <b>CALL MEETING TO ORDER</b>                         | (1 Minute)  |
| <b>2.</b> | <b>COMMITTEE REPORT</b>                              | (20 Minute) |
| <b>3.</b> | <b>CHAIRPERSON’S REPORT</b> – Mr. Rodrick Daley      | (5 Minutes) |
| <b>4.</b> | <b>DISTRICT MANAGER’S REPORT</b> – Ms. Sherif Fraser | (5 Minutes) |

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| a.            | Budget                       | - | Mr. Daniel McCabe     |
| b.            | Commerce                     | - | Mr. Hassan Bakiriddin |
| c.            | Education/Youth              | - | Ms. Gail Grandison    |
| d.            | Housing/Block Association    | - | Ms. Marie Theodore    |
| e.            | Land Use/Zoning              | - | Mr. Kwame Afreh       |
| f.            | Parks/Beautification         | - | Ms. Berlotte Antoine  |
| g.            | Public Safety/Transportation | - | Ms. Khadijat Oluwo    |
| h.            | Sanitation/Environmental     | - | Mr. Michael Hill      |
| i.            | Social Services              | - | Ms. Monzurat Oni      |
| j.            | Personnel                    | - | Ms. Rose Graham       |
| k.            | By-Laws                      | - | Ms. Trisha Louison    |
| <b>Ad Hoc</b> |                              |   |                       |
| l.            | Postal Service               | - | Mr. Kenrick Wescott   |
| m.            | Communications               | - | Ms. Nicole Julius     |
| n.            | Brookdale CAB                | - | Ms. Tiffany Anderson  |

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| <b>5.</b> | <b>AGENCY REPORT/UPDATE</b>   | (3 Minutes Per) |
| <b>6.</b> | <b>COMMUNITY SESSION</b>  | (12 Minutes)    |
| <b>7.</b> | <b>LEGISLATIVE</b>  | (15 Minutes)    |
| <b>8.</b> | <b>ROLL CALL</b>  | (3 Minutes)     |
| <b>9.</b> | <b>ADOPTION OF MEETING MINUTES – February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2026</b> | (1 Minutes)     |

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| <b>10.</b> | <b>PUBLIC HEARING</b> | (15 Minutes) |
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**Vote on the following:**

**Liquor License Application:**

HQ Lounge Inc. – 1609 Nostrand Ave – Liq. Wine, Beer & Cider – Rew

**OTHER MATTERS**

**11. PRESENTATION:** The Interborough Express (IBX) is a Metropolitan Transportation Authority (MTA) project designed to create a new 14-mile light rail line connecting Brooklyn and Queens, specifically running from Bay Ridge, Brooklyn to Jackson Heights, Queens. By utilizing existing freight rail rights-of-way, it aims to connect 17 subway lines and the LIRR, reducing travel times for roughly 900,000 residents while creating a new, direct link between the boroughs that bypasses Manhattan.

**Brooklyn Level Up (BKLVLUP): Community Resilience Hub Proposal (Utica Ave Farragut Corridor) + Request for Resolution of Support for BOA Application**

A locally rooted proposal for a Community Resilience Hub and neighborhood infrastructure model aligned with and leveraging the planned Interborough Express (IBX) along the Utica Avenue corridor, including a request for a Resolution of Support for BKLVLUP’s NYS Brownfield Opportunity Area (BOA) application to advance equitable, community-led development along the corridor.

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| <b>12.</b> | <b>SPECIAL REPORT – Board Members</b> | (3 Minutes) |
| <b>13.</b> | <b>UNFINISHED BUSINESS</b>            | (5 Minutes) |
| <b>14.</b> | <b>OLD BUSINESS</b>                   | (5 Minutes) |
| <b>15.</b> | <b>NEW BUSINESS</b>                   | (5 Minutes) |
| <b>16.</b> | <b>ADJOURNMENT</b>                    | (1 Minute)  |