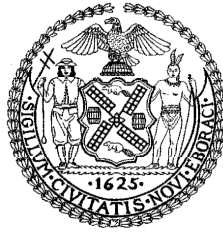


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In the past several days, the Community Board has received a considerable number of phone calls and e-mails requesting that we ask the MTA to extend the comment solicitation period on the finishes and materials of the Ancillary Facilities to January. Many have stated that the time allowed is too brief, given that we are now entering the very hectic Holiday Season. We received word today that the MTA is looking to extend the deadline on receiving comments until after the holidays.

That having been said, the co-chairs of the Second Avenue Task Force will schedule the next meeting in January. The exact date will be posted on the Community Board calendar and agenda. The MTA will be invited to discuss the responses it has received regarding the materials and finishes of the Ancillary Facilities from the members of the community and to provide a construction update.