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# The City of New York Manhattan Community Board 8

Street Fair Committee Lenox Hill Hospital 130 East 77<sup>th</sup> Street, Bruno Presentation Room September 17, 2013

#### Minutes

Board Members Present: Hedi White, Barbara Chocky. Excused: Michele Birnbaum, Helen Simon. See attached sign in sheet.

Meeting called to order at 7:00PM by Hedi White and Barbara Chocky, Co-Chairs

# 1. <u>Public Hearing re: Applications for single Block Street Fairs for 2013 (continued)</u> and 2014.

A. Manhattan Country School to Close East 96<sup>th</sup> Street between Madison and Fifth Avenues on Saturday October 19, 2013 from 12Noon to 5PM for a Block Party.

No representative came to meeting. No Position Taken.

B. PS 158 Parents Association to close East 77<sup>th</sup> Street Between York Avenue and Cherokee Place on Saturday October 26, 2013 from 11AM to 5PM for a Block Party.

This is a Halloween party for the school. It was held last year. There will be three inflatable rides and clowns at the event. Permits for the rides have been applied for. The community is invited. There will be prizes given for costumes and a children's parade. The entrances to the Pavilion and John Jay Park will not be blocked. No garages will be blocked.

# Motion to approve passed 2-0-0. Yes White, Chocky.

C. Carnegie Hill Neighbors to close East 92<sup>nd</sup> Street between Madison and Park Avenues on Thursday October 31, 2013 from 4PM to 8PM for a block party.

This is a Halloween event. The block is made up of Brownstones and the houses are decorated for the Holiday. The block is closed to traffic so the children can go door to door safely. The event was held last year and in previous years. There will be a DJ and

other live entertainment. There will be amplified sound, and a permit has been applied for.

# Motion to approve passed 2-0-0. Yes White, Chocky.

D. Residents of East 91<sup>st</sup> Street to close East 91<sup>st</sup> Street between Park and Lexington Avenues on Thursday October 31,2013 from 4PM to 8PM for a block party.

This is a "Safe Trick or Treat Party". It will enable the children to go door to door safely. It is the fourth year it is being held. There are no other acticvities and no music, just the Trick or Treating.

#### Motion to approve Passed 2-0-0. Yes White, Chocky.

E. Nightingale-Bamford School to close East 92<sup>nd</sup> Street between Madison and Fifth Avenues on Saturday November 2, 2013 from 10AM to 4:PM for a Block Party.

This is a school event held every other year. The Community is invited. There will be food and inflatable rides. Permits have been applied for. There will be no cooking on the street.

#### Motion to approve Passed 2-0-0. Yes White, Chocky

E. All Souls School to close East 80<sup>th</sup> Street between Lexington and Third Avenues on Wednesday May 28, 2014 from 4PM to 7PM for a Block Party.

This event will be sponsored by the Parents Association. It is the first year that it is held out of doors and not in the school. It is a multicultural event with arts and crafts booths. There will be "bouncing houses". Permits have been applied for.

# Motion to approve Passed 2-0-0. Yes White, Chocky.

No Old Business, No New Business.

Meeting adjourned 7:50