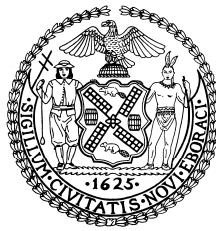


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The City of New York Manhattan Community Board 8

September 24, 2013

Margaret Forgione
Manhattan Borough Commissioner
NYC Department of Transportation
59 Maiden Lane, 35th Flr.
New York, NY 10038

Re: All Souls School would like to close East 80th Street between Lexington and Third Avenue on Wednesday, May 28, 2014 from 4PM to 7PM for a Playstreet

Dear Commissioner Forgione:

At the September 18, 2013 Full Board meeting, the board **APPROVED** the following resolution by a vote of 43 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions and 0 not voting for cause:

WHEREAS All Souls School is located at 1157 Lexington Avenue, and

WHEREAS construction of a new building adjacent to the school will make it unsafe for the students to use their rooftop playground, and

WHEREAS outdoor physical activity is an important component of a complete educational experience, providing essential healthful benefits to the students,

WHEREAS All Souls School has requested a playstreet on East 80th Street between Lexington and Third Avenues, from 9 AM to 11 AM and 1 PM to 2 PM on Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning in January 2014 and continuing for the duration of construction, and

WHEREAS three teachers per class will supervise the students, and security guards from an outside company will be posted at each end of the block,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Community Board 8 Manhattan approves All Souls School's request for a playstreet on East 80th Street between Lexington and Third Avenues, from 9 AM to 11 AM and 1 PM to 2 PM on Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning in January 2014 and continuing for the duration of construction.

Please advise this office of any action taken regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Viest
Chair

A. Scott Falk and Charles Warren
Co-Chairs, Transportation Committee

cc: Hon. Michael Bloomberg, Mayor of the City of New York
Hon. Scott M. Stringer, Manhattan Borough President
Hon. Carolyn Maloney, United States Congress Member
Hon. Liz Krueger, New York State Senator
Hon. Dan Quart, New York State Assembly Member
Hon. Micah Kellner, New York State Assembly Member
Hon. Daniel Garodnick, New York City Council Member
Hon. Jessica Lappin, New York City Council Member