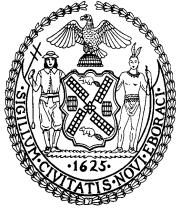


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**The City of New York
Manhattan Community Board 8
Street Fair Committee
New York Blood Center
310 East 67th Street
Conference Room 1 & 2
Thursday, September 8, 2016**

Members Present: Barbara Chocky, Lorraine Johnson, Michele Birnbaum

Meeting called to order at 6:30pm by Lorraine Johnson and Barbara Chocky

1. Public Hearing re: Applications for Single-block Street Fairs for Calendar Year 2016

- a. **PS6 PTA to close East 82nd Street between Park and Madison Avenues on Saturday, October 15, 2016 from 8AM to 6PM for a Block Festival.**

This is the 20th year that the Parent's Association is holding this fundraiser to raise funds for the school. Food, games and entertainment will take place in the school yard. There will be vendors on the street. The public is invited. No opponents from the public were present.

Motion to approve:

Passed 3-0-0. Yes: Birnbaum, Johnson, Chocky

- b. **Temple Israel of the City of New York to close East 75th Street between Park and Lexington Avenues on Monday, October 24, 2016 from 12Noon to 8PM for a Block Party.**

This is the fourth year they are holding this event to celebrate Simchat Torah. The public is invited. There will be free food. A board member questioned the use of food trucks at the event. The applicant agreed to make every effort to use a local restaurant instead of food trucks.

Motion to approve with the understanding that the applicant will attempt to use a local restaurant instead of food trucks.

Passed 3-0-0. Yes: Johnson, Birnbaum, Chocky

- c. **PS 158 School to close East 77th Street between York and Cherokee Place on Saturday, October 29, 2016 from 9AM to 4PM for a Block Party.**

This is an annual event to raise money for the school. The public is invited. There will be amplified music, rides and food. All permits have been requested.

Motion to approve:

Passed 3-0-0. Yes: Johnson, Birnbaum, Chocky

- d. **Carnegie Hill Neighbors to close East 92nd Street between Madison and Park Avenues on Monday, October 31, 2016 for a Block Party.**

This is their annual Trick or Treat Halloween Party. Costumes are worn and prizes awarded. The residents provide “treats” for the children. The public is invited to participate. The event is from 5:00-6:30 but the street is closed at 2:00 to prepare.

Motion to approve:

Passed 3-0-0: Yes: Johnson, Birnbaum, Chocky

- e. **Anna Caspersen to close East 91st Street between Park and Lexington Avenues on Monday, October, 31, 2016 from 3PM to 8PM for a Block Party.**

The applicant did not attend the meeting. She was called and received proper notification by the Board Office.

Motion to disapprove application since the applicant did not attend meeting.

Passed 3-0-0: Yes: Johnson, Birnbaum, Chocky

No old business or new business.

Meeting adjourned 7:05