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## The City of New York Manhattan Community Board 8

November 13, 2015

Heather L Bermingham, Deputy Director of Licensing Licensing Department Department of Consumer Affairs 42 Broadway New York, New York 10004

RE: NWC East 70th Street and York Avenue-Application for a newsstand. Application # 5350-2015-ANSW. Due Date November 21, 2015

Dear Ms. Bermingham:

At the November 10, 2015 Land Use meeting of Manhattan Community Board 8, the following recommendation was adopted by a vote of 30 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstentions.

WHEREAS the applicant did not appear at the November 2, 2015 Street Life Committee meeting or the November 10, 2015 Land Use /full board meeting; and

WHEREAS there were no scaled plans submitted with the application as required by DCA; and

WHEREAS this location has heavy pedestrian traffic which includes employees, patients and visitors to the surrounding medical facilities; and

WHEREAS there are several food vending carts at this intersection; and

WHEREAS the public sidewalk on the north side of E. 70th Street narrows as it approaches York Avenue; and

WHEREAS there is an existing newsstand on the south-east corner of York Avenue and E. 70th Street; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED that this application is DISAPPROVED

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

Sincerely,

James G. Clynes

Chair

Larry Parnes & Abraham Salcedo

Co-Chairs, Street Life Committee

Cc: Honorable Bill de Blasio, Mayor of the City of New York

Honorable Gale Brewer, Manhattan Borough President

Honorable Liz Krueger, NYS Senator, 26th Senatorial District

Honorable Dan Quart, NYS Assembly Member, 73rd Assembly District

Honorable Rebecca Seawright, NYS Assembly Member, 76th Assembly District

Honorable Ben Kallos, NYC Council Member, 5th Council District

Honorable Daniel Garodnick, NYC Council Member, 4th Council District