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## The City of New York Community Board 8 Manhattan

June 17, 2022

Shelton Haynes President & CEO Roosevelt Island Operating Corporation 524 Main Street Roosevelt Island, NY 10044

## re: Roosevelt Island Dog Policy

Dear President Haynes,

At the Full Board meeting of Community Board 8 held on June 15, 2022 the board unanimously approved the following resolution with a vote of 43 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, and 0 not voting for cause.

**WHEREAS**, the Community of Roosevelt Island has had a no dog policy for the majority of its Residential history;

WHEREAS, the community has had recent expansion with its population of both citizens and dogs;

WHEREAS, the community needs to collaborate on how it would like to move forward with these changes in circumstances;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that RIOC should establish a roundtable to address the needs of the community and develop an action plan and priority list to facilitate the needs and concerns of the residents.

Please advise us of any action taken on this matter.

Sincerely,

Russell Squire

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Paul Krikler and Lynne Strong-Shinozaki

Chair

Paul Krikler and Lynne Strong-Shinozaki Co-Chairs, Roosevelt Island Committee

cc: Honorable Eric Adams, Mayor of the City of New York

Honorable Carolyn Maloney, 12th Congressional District Representative

Honorable Mark Levine, Manhattan Borough President

Honorable Liz Krueger, NYS Senator, 28th Senatorial District

Honorable José M. Serrano, NYS Senator, 29th Senatorial District

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

Honorable Rebecca Seawright, NYS Assembly Member 76th Assembly District

Honorable Julie Menin, NYC Council Member, 5th Council District

Honorable Keith Powers, NYC Council Member, 4th Council District