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**The City of New York
Community Board 8 Manhattan
Street Fairs Committee
Monday, January 26, 2026 – 6:30 PM
*This meeting was conducted via Zoom.***

Please note: The resolutions contained in the committee minutes are recommendations submitted by the committee co-chairs to the Community Board. At the monthly Full Board meeting, the resolutions are discussed and voted upon by all members of Community Board 8 Manhattan. These resolutions are advisory; the decisions of the Street Activity Permit Office are binding. Anyone with interest in the issues tonight are invited, but not required to attend the Wednesday, February 18, 2026 Full Board meeting.

*Following the Full Board meeting, applicants are expected to share any changes to the event's programming relevant to their answers from their supplemental application in a timely manner with the Board Office prior to the event. Failure to do so may affect the Committee's discussion of future street fairs from the same applicant. **All updates received from the applicant by the Board Office will be communicated through the agenda in red.** Please contact the Board Office for further details.*

Resolutions for Approval:

Items 1-17, 19-26 & 28-31 – Unanimous Approvals
Items 18 & 27 - Tabled

MINUTES:

Board Members Present: Elizabeth Ashby, Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

*Public Member

Approximate Number of Public Attendees: 48

- 1. Central Park Precinct Community Block Party (Sponsored by Central Park Precinct Community Council)** — Full Street Closure at East 60th Street between Fifth Avenue and Madison Avenue, Sunday 9/27/2026, from 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM.
[Central Park Precinct Community Block Party, September 27th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Central Park Precinct Community Block Party application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED.**

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 2. CSH street fair (Sponsored by Convent of the Sacred Heart)** — Full Street Closure at East 91st Street between Fifth Avenue and Madison Avenue, Thursday 6/4/2026, from 12:00 PM – 4:00 PM.
[CSH street fair, June 4th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the CSH street fair application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED.**

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 3. Senior Class celebration (Sponsored by Convent of the Sacred Heart)** — Full Street Closure at East 91st Street between Fifth Avenue and Madison Avenue, Tuesday 6/9/2026, from 3:00 PM – 6:00 PM.
[Senior Class celebration, June 9th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senior Class celebration application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

4. **The Dalton School Spring Fair (Sponsored by The Dalton School)** — Full Street Closure at East 91st Street between Madison Avenue and Park Avenue, Friday 5/22/2026, from 11:30 AM – 2:30 PM.
[The Dalton School Spring Fair, May 22nd Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Dalton School Spring Fair application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

5. **2026 Spring Fling (Sponsored by PS 267/PTA)** — Full Street Closure at East 63rd Street between Second Avenue and Third Avenue, Sunday 5/3/2026, from 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM.
[2026 Spring Fling, May 3rd Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the 2026 Spring Fling application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

6. **Marymount Manhattan Colleges Strawberry Fest (Sponsored by Marymount Manhattan College x Northeastern University)** — Full Street Closure at East 71st Street between Second Avenue and Third Avenue, Thursday 5/7/2026, from 12:00 PM – 3:00 PM.
[Marymount Manhattan Colleges Strawberry Fest, May 7th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Marymount Manhattan Colleges Strawberry Fest application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

7. **Hunter College Elementary School Spring Carnival (Sponsored by Hunter College Elementary School PTA)** — Full Street Closure at East 95th Street between Madison Avenue and Park Avenue, Saturday 5/16/2026, from 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM.
[Hunter College Elementary School Spring Carnival, May 16th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Hunter College Elementary School Spring Carnival application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

8. **Lexington Avenue Fair (Sponsored by 19th Precinct Community Council)** — Full Street Closure at Lexington Avenue between East 79th Street and East 86th Street, Sunday 4/26/2026, from 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM.
[Lexington Avenue Fair, April 26th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lexington Avenue Fair application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

9. **Manhattan Chamber of Commerce 2nd Ave Community Benefit Festival (Sponsored by Manhattan Chamber of Commerce)** — Full Street Closure at Second Avenue between East 66th Street and East 86th Street, Saturday 5/2/2026, from 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM.
[Manhattan Chamber of Commerce 2nd Ave Community Benefit Festival, May 2nd Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Manhattan Chamber of Commerce 2nd Ave Community Benefit application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 10. Lenox Hill Neighborhood House 1st Avenue Festival (Sponsored by Lenox Hill Neighborhood House)** — Full Street Closure at First Avenue between East 68th Street and East 79th Street, Saturday 5/30/2026, from 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM.

[Lenox Hill Neighborhood House 1st Avenue Festival, May 30th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lenox Hill Neighborhood House 1st Avenue Festival application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 11. Bastille Day Festival (Sponsored by French Institute Alliance Francaise)** — Full Street Closure at Madison Avenue between East 59th Street and East 63rd Street & East 60th Street between Madison Avenue and Fifth Avenue, Sunday 7/12/2026, from 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM.

[Bastille Day Festival, July 12th Supplemental Application](#)

WHEREAS, the applicant is awaiting approval by the Mayor’s office;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Bastille Day Festival application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 12. 3rd Avenue Community Benefit Festival (Sponsored by Manhattan Chamber of Commerce)** — Full Street Closure at Third Avenue between East 66th Street and East 86th Street, Saturday 9/19/2026, from 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM.

[3rd Avenue Community Benefit Festival, September 19th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the 3rd Avenue Community Benefit Festival application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 13. Lexington Avenue Festival (Sponsored by The Young Mens and Young Womens Hebrew Association)** — Full Street Closure at Lexington Avenue between East 79th Street and East 96th Street, Sunday 9/27/2026, from 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM.

[Lexington Avenue Festival, September 27th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lexington Avenue Festival application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 14. 60th Street Fair (Sponsored by German American Committee of Greater New York)** — Full Street Closure at East 60th Street between Madison Avenue and Fifth Avenue, Saturday 7/25/2026, from 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM.

[60th Street Fair, July 25th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the 60th Street Fair application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 15. 60th Street Fair (Sponsored by East Sixties Neighborhood Association)** — Full Street Closure at East 60th Street between Madison Avenue and Fifth Avenue, Sunday 8/23/2026, from 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM.
[60th Street Fair, August 23rd Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the 60th Street Fair application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 16. Family Day (Sponsored by The Episcopal School)** — Full Street Closure at East 69th Street between Park Avenue and Madison Avenue, Thursday 5/14/2026, from 3:30 PM – 5:30 PM.
[Family Day, May 14th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Family Day application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 17. YCS Fall Festival (Sponsored by Yorkville Community School PTA)** — Full Street Closure at East 88th Street between First Avenue and York Avenue, Sunday 10/25/2026, from 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM.
[YCS Fall Festival, October 25th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the YCS Fall Festival application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 18. 82 Street Greenmarket Saturday (Sponsored by Council on the Environment Inc dba GROWNYC)** — Full Street Closure at East 82nd Street between First Avenue and York Avenue, Saturday 1/3/2026 – Saturday 12/26/2026, from 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM.
[82 Street Greenmarket Saturday, January 3rd - December 26th Supplemental Application](#)

With no representative in attendance for this application and since the event had already started, the committee decided to take **NO POSITION** on this application.

- 19. Brick Church School Fair (Sponsored by The Brick Church School)** — Full Street Closure at East 92nd Street between Park Avenue and Madison Avenue, Friday 6/5/2026, from 12:00 PM – 4:00 PM.
[Brick Church School Fair, June 5th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Brick Church School Fair application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 20. Asphalt Screams (Sponsored by Asphalt Green)** — Full Street Closure at East 90th Street between York Avenue and East End Avenue, Friday 10/30/2026, from 2:30 PM – 6:00 PM.
[Asphalt Screams, October 30th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Asphalt Screams application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

21. **Annual Park Avenue Tree Lighting (Sponsored by The Brick Presbyterian Church)** — Full Street Closure at Park Avenue between East 91st Street and East 92nd Street, Sunday 12/6/2026, from 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM.
[Annual Park Avenue Tree Lighting, December 6th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Annual Park Avenue Tree Lighting application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

22. **The Brick Church Strawberry Festival (Sponsored by The Brick Presbyterian Church)** — Full Street Closure at East 92nd Street between Park Avenue and Madison Avenue, Sunday 5/17/2026, from 12:00 PM – 4:00 PM.
[The Brick Church Strawberry Festival, May 17th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that The Brick Church Strawberry Festival application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

23. **The Parish of St. Vincent Ferrer and St. Catherine of Siena Block Party (Sponsored by The Parish of St. Vincent Ferrer and St. Catherine of Siena)** — Full Street Closure at East 65th Street between Lexington Avenue and Third Avenue, Saturday 9/19/2026, from 10:00 AM – 3:30 PM.
[The Parish of St. Vincent Ferrer and St. Catherine of Siena Block Party, September 19th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that The Parish of St. Vincent Ferrer and St. Catherine of Siena Block Party application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

24. **Spring Spectacular (Sponsored by iBRAiN- International Academy for the Brain)** — Full Street Closure at East 90th Street between York Avenue and East End Avenue, Thursday 6/18/2026, from 10:00 AM – 2:30 PM.
[Spring Spectacular, June 18th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Spring Spectacular application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

25. **Greek Division Walk-a-thon and Spring Festival (Sponsored by Ronald McDonald House New York)** — Full Street Closure at East 73rd Street between First Avenue and York Avenue, Saturday 5/2/2026, from 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM.
[Greek Division Walk-a-thon and Spring Festival, May 2nd Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Greek Division Walk-a-thon and Spring Festival application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

26. **Trick or Streets Carnegie Hill Neighbors 15th Annual Spooktacular (Sponsored by Carnegie Hill Neighbors, Inc.)** — Full Street Closure at East 92nd Street between Park Avenue and Fifth Avenue, Saturday 10/31/2026, from 4:00 PM – 5:30 PM.
[Trick or Streets Carnegie Hill Neighbors 15th Annual Spooktacular, October 31st Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Trick or Streets Carnegie Hill Neighbors 15th Annual Spooktacular application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 27. St. Josephs School - Yorkville Street Fair (Sponsored by St. Josephs School - Yorkville)** — Full Street Closure at East 87th Street between First Avenue and York Avenue, Saturday 5/16/2026, from 10:00 PM – 5:00 PM.
[St. Josephs School - Yorkville Street Fair, May 16th Supplemental Application](#)

With no representative in attendance for this application, the Street Fair Committee decided to **TABLE** this application for a future meeting, prior to its May 16th event date.

- 28. Final Fever (Sponsored by Hunter College)** — Full Street Closure at East 69th Street between Lexington Avenue and Park Avenue, Tuesday 5/5/2026, from 12:00 PM – 4:00 PM.
[Final Fever, May 5th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Final Fever application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 29. Museum Mile Festival (Sponsored by Museum Mile Festival/Museum of the City of New York)** — Full Street Closure at Fifth Avenue between East 79th Street and East 110th Street, Tuesday 6/9/2026, from 5:30 PM – 9:00 PM.
[Museum Mile Festival, June 9th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Museum Mile Festival application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 30. Red White Blue Block Party (Sponsored by Saint Ignatius Loyola School)** — Full Street Closure at East 84th Street between Madison Avenue and Park Avenue, Friday 6/5/2026, from 3:30 PM – 6:00 PM.
[Red White Blue Block Party, June 5th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Red White Blue Block Party application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

- 31. MNS PS 290 - 2026 Rock The Block Spring Festival (Manhattan New School - PS 290 PTA)** — Full Street Closure at East 82nd Street between First Avenue and Second Avenue, Saturday 5/16/2026, from 11:00 AM – 4:00 PM.
[MNS PS 290 - 2026 Rock The Block Spring Festival, June 16th Supplemental Application](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the MNS PS 290 - 2026 Rock The Block Spring Festival application is **APPROVED AS PRESENTED**.

Approved: 2-0-0-0

Yes: Wilma Johnson, Marlene Schneider*

32. Old Business

No items of Old Business were discussed.

33. New Business

No items of New Business were discussed.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:20 PM.

*By Wilma Johnson and Barbara Rudder,
Co-Chairs, Street Fairs Committee*