

Manhattan Community Board Five, 450 Seventh Avenue, Suite 2109

March 2006 Preliminary Committee Meeting Schedule

(Agenda is subject to change, please call (212) 465-0907

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**FEB 27
MON
6:00 PM**

Parks

Phil Beer chairing at FIT, 227 West 27th Street, "A" Building, 8th Floor, Dining Room

Agenda:

- **NYC Alliance Against Sexual Assault**, application to hold a awareness campaign in Union Square Park, South Plaza on Friday and Saturday, April 21 and 22
- **The Kalavant Center for Music and Dance, Inc.**, application to Indian Music Performance in Madison Square Park on Saturday, May 20
- **The Kalavant Center for Music and Dance, Inc.**, application to Indian Music Performance in Union Square Park on Saturday, May 27
- **Madison Square Park Conservancy**, event application:
 - Madison Square Art – May 1
 - Plant Sale – May, 10,11,12
 - Madison Square Music – Every Wed, June 21 to Aug 9
 - Spring Festival – June 3
 - Madison Square Kids – Every Tues & Thurs, June 6 – Aug 31
 - Madison Square Read – Tuesdays beginning June 20
 - Plant Sale – October 5 & 6
 - Fall Festival – October 14
- **National Gardening Associations**, application to hold a garden festival in Union Square Park on Saturday, April 27.

**FEB 28
TUE
6:00 PM**

Human Services & Youth

Susan Baida chairing at the Fashion Institute of Technology, 227 West 27th Street, "A" Building, 8th Floor, Dining Room

Agenda:

- **Housing Clinic**

**FEB 28
TUE
6:00 PM**

Landmarks

Joyce Matz and Layla Law Gisiko co- chairing at FIT, 227 West 27th Street, "A" Building, 8th Floor, Rm. A802

Agenda:

- **907 Broadway**, application to remove existing marble panels on storefront and watertable, clean and patch exposed stonework, install new granite base course, install stone border around the windows and doors on the 1st floor only. (**application withdrawn until April**)
- **217-247 West 43rd Street**, application to modify the West 43rd Street building entrance, develop storefront masterplan for new ground floor storefront infill and window replacement.
- **40 West 23rd Street**, application to install banners and flagpoles at exterior of the building.
- **139 Fifth Avenue**, application to install new signage above the first floor storefront.
- **868 Broadway**, application for a special permit for Modification of Use (Zoning Resolution, Section 74-711).

**MAR 1
WED
6:00 PM**

Land Use & Zoning

Meile Rockefeller and Nancy Goshow co- chairing at FIT, 227 West 27th Street, "A" Building, 8th Floor, Room A803

Agenda:

- **Items to be announced.**

Cancelled

**MAR 1
WED
6:00 PM**

Transportation/Environment

John Mills chairing at FIT, 227 West 27th Street, "A" Building, 8th Floor, Rm. A802

Discussion items:

- Discussion on the 8th Avenue bike lane
- Request by Credit Suisse for taxi stand, south side E 25 St between Park & Lex, Mon – Fri, 7 or 8PM – midnight only.
- Discussion of midtown congestion including solutions such as rush hour HOV restrictions and congestion pricing.

**MAR 6
MON
12 NOON**

Executive

David Diamond chairing at the Board Office, 450 Seventh Avenue, Suite 2109 (between 34th and 35th Streets)

Ongoing discussions

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Public Safety & Quality of Life

Vikki Barbero chairing at FIT, 227 West 27th Street, "A" Building, 8th Floor, Rm. A802

- **NY Palm Tree Inc. 4 East 28 Street (Latham Hotel)**, application for a Transfer of a liquor license.
- **Thessabul LLC d/b/a Barbounia, 250 Park Avenue South**, application for an alteration of premises to include a Sidewalk Café On-Premises liquor license.

**MAR 9
THUR
5:00 PM**

Consents & Variances

Mickey Schwartz and Larry Zucker co-chairing at the FIT, 227 West 27th Street, "A" Building, 8th Floor, Rm. A802

Agenda :

Street Activity Permit Applications :

- ***Pennsylvania Tourism***, application to place a polka band on the sidewalk at 29 East 19th Street, between Broadway and Park Avenue, on Wednesday, April 5.
- ***The Korea Times & Korean American Assoc. of NY***, application to hold a street festival on 32nd Street, between Broadway and 5th Avenue, on Saturday, October 7.

Distinctive Sidewalk:

- **The American Folk Art Museum** request to install information kiosk on the 53rd Street sidewalk of 45 West 53rd Street.

Street Co-naming Application:

- ***International Furnishings and Design Association***, request to co-name Lexington Avenue, between 33rd and 32nd Streets "**New York Design Center Place**".

**MAR 9
THUR
5:30 PM**

Joint Consents & Variances, Parks and Landmarks

Larry Zucker, Phil Beer, Joyce Matz and Layla Law-Gisiko co-chairing at the FIT, 227 West 27th Street, "A" Building, 8th Floor, Rm. A802

Agenda :

- **Bryant Park Restoration Corporation and Ark Restaurants** proposed plans to renovate the Bryant Park Café

Full Board Meeting

Thursday, March 9, 2006, 6:00 p.m.
Fashion Institute of Technology
227 West 27th Street, "A" Building, 8th Floor

Public Session:

- **Members of the public are encouraged to speak at either the Committee meeting or the Public Hearing session of the monthly Board meeting**

Business Session:

Chair's Report (David Diamond)
District Manager's Report (Gary Parker)
Adoption of February 2006 Minutes

Committee Reports:

Old Business/New Business: