

# Manhattan Community Board Five, 450 Seventh Avenue, Suite 2109

## December 2003 Committee Meetings Schedule

**DEC 1**  
**MON**  
**5 :45 PM**

**Joint Arts, Culture & Tourism, Parks and Transportation/Environment**  
*Suzanne Esper, Kevin Guillet, Phil Beer and David Siesko co-chairing at F.I.T., 227 W. 27<sup>th</sup> St. Bldg. "A", 8<sup>th</sup> Fl., Room A802*  
**Discussion:** Redesign of Duffy Square.

**DEC 1**  
**MON**  
**6:15 PM**

**Joint Parks and Landmarks**  
*Kevin Guillet, Phil Beer, Joyce Matz and Eric Gering co-chairing at F.I.T., 227 W. 27<sup>th</sup> St. Bldg. "A", 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Room A802*  
**Agenda:** Final design proposal for the reconstruction of **Hechscher Playground (Central Park) and adjacent landscape.**

**DEC 1**  
**MON**  
**6 :30 PM**

**Parks**  
*Kevin Guillet and Phil Beer co-chairing at F.I.T., 227 W. 27<sup>th</sup> St. Building "A", 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Room A802*  
**Agenda:**

- Bryant Park Restoration Corporation's proposal for an ice rink in Bryant Park;
- Preliminary presentation of design for food service kiosk in Madison Square Park.

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**Arts, Culture & Tourism**  
*Suzanne Esper chairing at F.I.T., 227 West 27<sup>th</sup> Street, Building "A", 8<sup>th</sup> Floor*  
**Agenda:** *To be announced.*

**DEC 2**  
**TUES**  
**6:00 PM**

**Human Services & Youth**  
*Paul Connolly and Sharon Paley co-chairing at F.I.T., 227 West 27<sup>th</sup> Street, Building "C", 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, Living Room.*  
**Discussion:**

- **Intro 274**, Community Notification Requirement for siting transitional housing facilities.
- Presentation by the Department of Homeless Services regarding February 2004 Homeless Outreach Population Estimate.

**DEC 3**  
**WED**  
**6:00 PM**

**Transportation/Environment**  
*David Siesko chairing at F.I.T., 227 West 27<sup>th</sup> Street, Building "C", 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, Living Room.*  
**Agenda:**

- **Intro # 528** (Street litter basket pick up); **Intro # 529** (would require trash cans be placed out for collection from 8p.m. during Summer and 5p.m. during winter on the day prior to collection); **Intro # 79** (Dept. of Sanitation increase in fines);
- **Vision 42**, proposal for an auto free light rail on 42<sup>nd</sup> Street.
- Proposed bike rack locations within Community Board Five

**DEC 4**  
**THURS**  
**6:00 P.M.**

**Land Use and Zoning**  
*David Diamond chairing at F.I.T., 227 West 27<sup>th</sup> Street, Building "A", 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Room A802* ←

**Agenda:**

- **BSA # 337-03 BZ**, application for a variance to permit the transfer of floor area across a zoning district boundary (ZR Section 77-00) and to modify the Special Street Wall requirements of the Grand Central Subdistrict (ZR Section 81-621) at 340 Madison Avenue.
- **Proposed Zoning Text Amendment** from the Department of City Planning to open more streets as eligible to apply for sidewalk cafes.

Note location  
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**DEC 8**  
**MON**  
**6:00 P.M.**

**Public Safety & Quality of Life**  
*Vikki Barbero chairing at FIT, 227 West 27<sup>th</sup> Street, "A" Building, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Room A802*  
**Agenda:**

- **K.R. Space Untitled, Inc.**, application for a wine license at 34 West 32 Street
- **Night Life Licensing proposal** from the Department of Consumer Affairs.

**Discussion:** *On premises liquor license at 200 Park Avenue South*

**DEC 9**  
**TUES**  
**6:00 PM**

**Landmarks**  
*Joyce Matz and Eric Gering co-chairing at F.I.T., 227 West 27<sup>th</sup> Street, Building "C", 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, Board Room*  
**Agenda:**

- **75 Rockefeller Plaza**, application to install new storefront infill, signage and a marquee;
- **234 Fifth Avenue (Madison Square North Historic District)**, application to install new storefront infill, lighting and signage
- **14 West 23<sup>rd</sup> Street (Ladies' Mile Historic District)**, application to replace windows at the second floor;
- **Other items to be announced.**

**DEC 9**  
**TUES**  
**6 :00 PM**

**Business Improvement District**  
*Kyle Merker chairing at The International Toy Building, 1107 Broadway, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor Buyers Lounge*  
**Discussion:**

- **Establishment of a Business Improvement District** in the Madison/23<sup>rd</sup> Street/Flatiron/Chelsea area.

**DEC 11**  
**THUR**  
**5:00 PM**

**Consents & Variances**  
*Mickey Schwartz and Lawrence Zucker co-chairing at F.I.T., 227 West 27<sup>th</sup> Street, Building "D", Katie Murphy Amphitheatre*  
**2004 Street Activity Permit Applications:**

- **Union Square Hospitality Group**, street festival on Madison Ave., bet. 23<sup>rd</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> Streets, on June 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>
- **Encore Community Services**, street festival on 52<sup>nd</sup> Street, between 7<sup>th</sup> and Madison Avenues on October 30<sup>th</sup>
- **Project Dance**, block party on 44<sup>th</sup> Street, between Broadway & 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue on April 24<sup>th</sup>.
- **Knights of Vartan**, 89<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Commemoration on Broadway, between West 43<sup>rd</sup> and 44<sup>th</sup> Streets on April 25<sup>th</sup>

**BSA Application:**

- **BSA #'s 371-03 BZ and 372-03 BZ, Cornelia Beauty and Wellness**, applications for physical culture establishment at 655 Fifth Avenue and 663 Fifth Avenue.

Please note location change for the  
**DECEMBER 11, 2003 FULL BOARD MEETING.**

Community Board Five Full Board Meeting  
Thursday December 11, 2003, 6:00 p.m.  
Fashion Institute of Technology  
227 West 27<sup>th</sup> Street  
"D" Building Katie Murphy Amphitheatre

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