

Community Education Council 23
Monthly Calendar & Business Meeting
In-House & Hybrid
Monday, October 2, 2023
6:00pm-9:00pm
District Office
1784 Park Place
Brooklyn, New York 11233

Calendar Meeting Called To Order at 6:25pm:

Present:

1. Amanda Pitts
2. Charaya Hardy (Hybrid)
3. Katherine Brockington
4. Melinda French
5. Mohamed Sadry(**4th Unexcused Absence**)
6. Paula Howard
7. Senora Brooks
8. Osariemen M. Elcock (Excused Absent-sick)

Recording Secretary Amanda Pitts (In-Charge Of Conducting the Calendar/Business Meeting).

Guest Speakers: Ms. Jyoti Folch-Berman & Ms. Shakrukh Tasnikm- (PDF)

Office Of District Planning Structure-(ODP)

Under FDC Dan Weisberg included:

- Student Enrollment
- School Design
- Labor
- General Council
- Non-public and Charter Schools and pathways

ODP, partners with these offices and other across NYC public schools on the District Planning Process:

This process includes creating annual strategic plans to support enrollment and be responsive to families in all 32 Community School Districts in partnership with school communities and stakeholders. ODP has borough-based planning and analytics teams who manage the engagement, analysis and proposal development that this process entails.

District Planning Process:

Needs and Opportunities Assessments

- a. ODP, compiles and analyzes data about each district to identify area of need.
- b. ODP, consults with superintendents, community stakeholders and other partner offices through the District Planning Committees to gather prospective data.

District Data Consultation

- a. ODP shares District Data Summaries with each CEC, along with guiding questions and consultations.
- b. ODP, Superintendents and CECs convene a discussion about the needs and priorities of the district.

Focused Community Engagement

- a. ODP, utilizes various strategies and methods to engage communities about the specific needs.
- b. In additions to meetings with existing structures such as CEC's and SLTs, these strategies have included working groups building and neighborhood walks, parent coffee talks etc.

Mandated Process (A-190 & A-185)

- a) Based on engagement ODP determines which specific scenarios to pursue, and initiates any mandated process.

Office Of District Planning-Mission:

- CEC collaboration
- Conversations with stakeholders
- Building walkthroughs
- Community meetings

- Significance of Rezoning (create a zone for new school/increase access to high quality schools/increase diversity/etc.)

Closing statement-Robust Proposal Engagement:

ODP is committed to robust and meaningful engagement. Beyond the legally mandated processes, ODP ensures there are several opportunities to collaborate on addressing district needs and gather feedback on potential proposals; where requested and appropriate, ODP has partnered with community based-based organizations and research institutions proposal development and engagement.

**Presenter: Donovan Sullivan-Brooklyn Borough President Office-Fiscal Year 2024
Capital Awards-(District 23)**

<u>DBN</u>	<u>Projects</u>	<u>Awards</u>
23K198	STEM Labs	\$180,000
23K284	STEM Labs	\$423,000
23K401	STEM Labs	\$204,000
23K522	STEM LABS	\$175,000
TOTAL	*****	\$982,000

Guest Speaker Ms. Dayana: (PDF-Presentation)

Brooklyn North Schools H.S.-2023-24(General Overview)

Goal #1-100% of BKNHS will partner with industries to offer career pathways/learning experience.

Goal #2-BKNHS- will provide a high-quality student experience that is culturally responsive and sustaining.

Goal #3-BKNHS-In June 2024, all BKNHS will create or expand their parent engagement plans to increase.

family involvement in our schools through collaboration and partnership with community stakeholders.

Final Speaker- Superintendent Dr. Khalek Kirkland-Update (PDF)

- Opened up with D.23 Mission (Ensuring that our vision is realized, D23 is committed to (E.Q.U.I.T.Y)
- School Support & Operations Updates
- Instruction In Action (Teachers Supporting Scholars
- District Literacy Newsletter (distribute a newsletter to build background knowledge for all stakeholders)

- Multi-Tiered System of Support (PS 284 & PS 466)
- Life of Readers at RACS-Family Literacy
- District 23-MS Retention (student grads 6-8th) only students reside in the district.
- Low-Enrolled Schools
- District 23 ES and MS Seat Need-ES and MS Seat Need
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Calendar Meeting Adjourned

Motion to accept 1st by Councilmember M. French and 2nd by Councilmember S. Brooks 8:08pm

Business Meeting Called To Order 8:10pm

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Recording Secretary Amanda Pitts- Tabled- Minutes for July, August & September until next month.

No old business/resolution.

Business Meeting Adjourned- Motion to accept 1st by Councilmember French/2nd by K.Brockington.

