

# **May 2020 Newsletter**

Sharing district news, announcements and resources with the community.

## **Virtual CB14 meetings**

We hope this newsletter finds you and yours well and able to join us on **Tuesday, May 19**<sup>th</sup> for Community Board 14's May WebEx Board Meeting beginning at 5:30 pm. Members of the public can access the meeting via <u>CB14's YouTube channel</u>. The board meeting will be livestreamed and recorded. <u>Click here</u> to view the meeting agenda. We encourage everyone to subscribe to our channel in order to receive automatic invites to all future online CB14 meetings.

Community members wishing to make announcements during the public session of the meeting must provide that information by email to <a href="mailto:info@cb14brooklyn.com">info@cb14brooklyn.com</a> no later than 12:00 noon on May 19<sup>th</sup> (the day of the meeting). The information will be read into the record by a member of the Executive Committee. Fliers or other information relevant to the announcement will be added to the CB14 website.

If you have questions, concerns, or requests for the District Office, please do not wait for this meeting to contact us! We are not working from the office, but we are indeed working regular business hours to address community concerns. Email us at <a href="mailto:info@cb14brooklyn.com">info@cb14brooklyn.com</a> or call 718-859-6357 and someone will get back to you as soon as possible.

### **Covid-19 Resources**

Please check <u>www.cb14brooklyn.com/covid-19-resources</u> frequently for City and State announcements, health and employment resources, benefits and food assistance information, small business support, volunteer opportunities and more.

You are encouraged to take part in the virtual town halls and webinars hosted by City agencies, nonprofit service providers and elected officials that are featured on our <u>Covid-19 Resource page</u>.

Face coverings are being distributed in many NYC parks. Check out the new NYC Mask Distribution map to find a location near you.

For additional resources and help, visit <u>NYC's Coronavirus info hub</u>. Stay involved, stay informed and stay well.

#### Census 2020

The 2020 Census is underway, yet in many CB14 neighborhoods, fewer than 1/3 of households have responded. It is so vital for every Brooklyn resident to be counted so that our Borough gets the federal support and resources we need to recover from Covid-19 and to thrive in the future! Please encourage everyone to fill out a 2020 Census online form at <a href="may2020census.gov">my2020census.gov</a> today! Let's **Make Brooklyn Count 100%!** 

## **More Online Resources**

Do you need food, benefits, financial support or other resources? Do you want to volunteer to support your neighbors? The City of New York and our huge network of nonprofit providers are overseeing a vast array of free services and volunteer opportunities. Please visit <u>our website</u> for additional resources:

- Help Now NYC
- NYC Food Assistance Resources

- Dept. of Education Free Meals Program
- Kosher & Halal Food Distribution
- NYC Financial Empowerment
- Access HRA
- DFTA In-Home Services for Seniors
- NYC Mutual Aid Network
- DonateNYC
- NYS Covid-19 Volunteer & Employment Opportunities
- New York Cares Volunteer Task Force

If you have a suggestion to add to a future newsletter or the CB14 website, please send us an email at info@cb14brooklyn.com.

## **Stay Connected with CB14!**

Brooklyn Community Board 14 is serving the community remotely. While the district office is closed, we are working hard to keep the community informed, updated and connected, to address concerns and resolve complaints, and to help community members access the services they need. Please do not hesitate to email us at <a href="mailto:info@cb14brooklyn.com">info@cb14brooklyn.com</a> or leave a phone message at 718-859-6357. We will get back to you as quickly as we can.

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