New York State Assemblymember
Yuh-Line Niou’s

Legislative and Budgetary
Town Hall 2019

At
The Manny Cantor Center
Introduction
11:30 - 12:00

Assemblymember Yuh-Line Niou,
New York State Assemblymember, 65th Assembly District

& Elected Officials

Town Hall Schedule
11:30 - 12:00: Opening Remarks
12:00 - 12:50: Housing Panel
12:50 - 1:40: Senior Services and Healthcare
1:40 - 2:30: Economic Justice and Consumer Protections
2:30 - 3:20: Education
3:20 - 4:10: Civil Rights, Immigration, and Social Justice
4:10 - 5:00: Resiliency and Environmental Protections
5:00 - 5:50: Transportation
5:50 - 6:00: Closing

Up Next: Housing Panel
12:00 - 12:50 (White Index Cards)
Housing Panel
(White Index Card)
12:00 - 12:50

Ellen Davidson,
Staff Attorney Legal Aid Society.

Senator Brian Kavanagh,
Chair, New York State Senate Housing Committee

Yonatan Tadele,
Housing Organizer from the Cooper Square Committee

Jessie C. Lee,
Managing Director, Asian Americans for Equality

Amy Luo
Housing Attorney, Manhattan Legal Services

Up Next: Senior Services & Healthcare Panel
12:50 - 1:40 (Purple Index Cards)
Senior Services and Healthcare Panel  
(Purple Index Card)  
12:50 - 1:40

Assemblymember Richard Gottfried,  
Chair, Assembly Committee on Health.

Jennifer Vallone,  
Associate Exec. Director of Adults, Arts, and Advocacy  
University Settlement

Lila Nordstrom,  
Founder & Executive Director, StuyHealth

Rocky Chin,  
NY Executive Council, AARP

Up Next: Economic Justice & Consumer Protections Panel  
1:40 - 2:30 (Green Index Cards)
Economic Justice & Consumer Protections
(Green Index Card)
1:40 - 2:30

Andy Morrison,
Campaigns Director, New Economy Project.

Ariana Lindermayer,
Staff Attorney, Mobilization for Justice

Taina Prado,
Chief of Staff, Alliance for Downtown New York

Up Next: Education
2:30 - 3:20 (Blue Index Cards)
Education Panel
(Blue Index Card)
2:30 - 3:20

Assemblymember Deborah Glick,
Chair, Assembly Committee on Higher Education

Jeremy Reiss,
Deputy Development Officer, Henry Street Settlement

Naomi Pena,
President, Community Education Council District 1

Tasfia Rahman
Policy Coordinator,
Coalition for Asian American Children and Families

Up Next: Civil Rights, Immigration, and Social Justice
3:20 - 4:10 (Red Index Cards)
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(Red Index Card)
3:20 - 4:10

Jo-Ann Yoo,
Executive Director, Asian American Federation

Carlyn Cowen,
Chief Policy & Public Affairs Officer,
Chinese American Planning Council

Hasan Shafiqullah,
Attorney-in-Charge, Legal Aid Society

Jose Abrigo,
Director & Supervising Attorney, Manhattan Legal Services

Ivan Garcia,
Coordinator, Make the Road New York

Up Next: Resiliency and Environmental Protections
4:10 - 5:00 (White Index Cards with Red Border)
Resiliency and Environmental Protections
(White Index Card with Red Border)
4:10 - 5:00

Catherine McVay Hughes,
Former Chair, Community Board 1

Daniel Tainow,
Former Education Director,
Lower East Side Ecology Center

Gwen Dawson,
Vice President of Real Property,
Battery Park City Authority

Trever Holland,
Chair, Community Board 3 Committee on Parks

Up Next: Transportation
5:00 - 5:50 (Yellow Index Cards)
Assemblymember Yuh-Line Niou, 65th district

Town Hall Meeting
Sunday, February 3, 2019

4:10pm - 5:00pm  Resiliency and Environmental Protections Panel

Introduction by Catherine McVay Hughes
Manny Cantor Center, 197 East Broadway, New York, NY
Citywide Greenhouse Gas Emissions Are Going Sideways not Down

Source: 1.5°C: Aligning New York City with the Paris Climate Agreement, OneNYC, September 2017, p. 43; “To prevent the worst impacts of climate change, cities across the planet must dramatically reduce their GHG emissions to limit the increase in the global average temperature to well below 2 degrees Celsius above preindustrial levels, and reach even further to support the collective effort to limit temperature rise to less than 1.5 degrees Celsius.” p. 5
Official Sea Level Rise Projections for New York City

Graphics by Christian Termyn


** NYS Sea Level Rise Projections, 6 NYCRRI Part 450. Projections represent inches of rise over baseline level, which is defined as the average level of the surface of marine or tidal water over the years 2000 through 2004.
Sea level rise by 2100 assuming **1.5 degrees C Warming (2.7 degrees F)** as estimated by Climate Central, Surging Seas Mapping Choices

Sea level rise by 2100 assuming **4.0 degrees C Warming (7.2 degrees F)** as estimated by Climate Central, Surging Seas Mapping Choices
Resiliency Projects and Funding – Lower Manhattan

- TriBeCa: No Plan, No Funding
- Battery Park City Authority plans to issue resiliency bond
- HUD: $335 Million
  City: 170 + 252 + 693 = $1,115 Million
  Total: $1,450 Million
- CDBG-NDR: $176 Million
  City: $27 Million
  Total: $203 Million
- City: $100 + 8 = $108 Million
  Total: TBD

January 20, 2019


February 19, 2019 -- Release of Interim Report: to present an array of alternative concepts, based on USACE technical analyses conducted up through 2018, along with preliminary costs, benefits and environmental considerations, and to identify data gaps, key uncertainties, and factors that warrant further investigation because of their potential to affect plan selection.
2019-2020 Leg Session bill numbers for menhaden:
S. 2317 (Kaminsky)  A. 2571 (Englebright)

Defend NY’s Fishermen ... Defend NY’s Whales
Resiliency Overview
February 2019
2050 100-Year Storm

IN THE BPC FLOODPLAIN:

- 120 BUILDINGS
- 13,800 RESIDENTIAL UNITS

SOURCE: NEW YORK PANEL ON CLIMATE CHANGE (IPCC PLUTO 1991 - NYS DCP)
Completed Resiliency Projects

NYC Police Memorial
- Relocation of electrical equipment above flood zone

BPC Ball Fields
- Restoration of Ballfields
- Relocation of electrical equipment above flood zone

Streetlights
- Upgrade all lighting components to be water resistant.

Pier A Harbor House Rehabilitation
- Wet flood proofing of historic structure
Resiliency Measures – Battery Park City

2050s 100-YEAR FLOODPLAIN
Community Engagement

Each of BPCA’s resiliency projects incorporates robust community engagement.
South Battery Park City Resiliency
BPC Ball Fields Resiliency
Thank you!
Resiliency and Environmental Protections
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Transportation Panel
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Reggie Thomas,
Chair, Community Board 1 Committee on Transportation

Carlyn Cowen,
Chief Policy and Public Affairs Officer,
Chinese American Planning Council

Marco Conner,
Deputy Director, Transportation Alternatives

David Crane,
Chair,
Community Board 3 Committee on Transportation, Public Safety, and Environment

Up Next: Closing Remarks
5:50 - 6:00
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6:00 -