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The City of New York
Community Board 8 Manhattan
Elections Committee and Land Use Committee
Monday, November 9, 2026 – 6:30 PM
This meeting was conducted both in person and via Zoom
The Mezzanine, Northeastern University
221 East 71st Street, New York, NY

MINUTES

Board Members Present: Michael Anderson, Bill Angelos, Elizabeth Ashby, Danielle Avissar, P. Gayle Baron, Michele Jane Birnbaum, Lori Ann Bores, Taína Borrero, Alida Camp, Sarah Chu, Anthony Cohn, Lindsey Cormack, DJ Falkson, Felice Farber, Miles Fink, Sebastian Hallum Clarke, David Paul Helpern, Sahar Husain, Craig Lader, Addeson Lehv, Gopi Malathi, Lavinia Mancuso, Jane Parshall, Sharon Pope-Marshall, Elizabeth Rose, Judy Schneider, Robin Seligson, Sacha Sellam, Kimberly Selway, Dayne Slay, Russell Squire, Marco Antonio Tamayo, Adam Wald

The meeting was called to order at 6:35 p.m.

1. **Board Officer Candidate Interviews**
   In accordance with the Board's By-laws, the Elections Committee asked pre-selected questions to all board officer candidates. A full recording of the Committee's questions and the candidate's answers is available on the Board's YouTube channel.

   The Candidates are:

   For Chair
   Lindsey Cormack
   Elizabeth Rose

   For First Vice Chair
   Craig Lader

   For Second Vice Chair
   Sacha Sellam

   For Co-Secretary
   Miles Fink
   Sebastian Hallum Clarke
   Kimberly Selway

2. **Old Business**
   No items of Old Business were discussed.

3. **New Business**
   No items of New Business were discussed.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:46 p.m.

Michele Birnbaum, Chair
Elections Committee