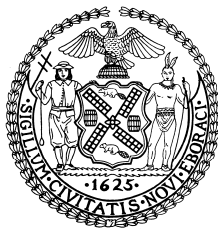


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The City of New York Manhattan Community Board 8

November 2, 2015

Margaret Forgione
Manhattan Borough Commissioner
NYC Department of Transportation
59 Maiden Lane, 35th Flr.
New York, NY 10038

Re: Discussion of Hampton Jitney operations and proposed stops for Hampton Jitney UES Bus Stops and congestion relief:

a. ICBPS 20150821/83 (1082 Lexington Ave.-Lexington Ave bet 77th & 76th Sts.

Dear Commissioner Forgione:

At the October 21, 2015 Full Board meeting, the board passed the following resolution to **approve** by a vote of 37 in favor, 7 opposed, and 1 abstention:

WHEREAS in April 2015, the NYC Dept. of Transportation implemented a new "No Left Turn" restriction that prohibits westbound traffic on East 86th Street from turning southbound onto Lexington Avenue; and

WHEREAS Hampton Jitney has received approval to instead originate their bus route at an existing bus stop north of Community Board 8's boundaries, and proposes to then stop at two additional existing local bus stops within CB8, namely in front of 1082 Lexington Ave. (between 77th & 76th Sts.) and in front of 1224 Lexington Avenue (between 82nd & 83rd Sts.); and

WHEREAS the multiple new bus stops proposed are intended to reduce congestion at any single location;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Community Board 8 Manhattan **APPROVES** Hampton Jitney's application to share the existing New York City Transit bus stop in front of 1082 Lexington Avenue (between 77th & 76th Streets).

Please advise this office of any action taken regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

James G. Clynes
Chairman

A. Scott Falk and Charles Warren
Co-Chairs, Transportation Committee

cc: Hon. Bill de Blasio, Mayor of the City of New York
Hon. Gale Brewer, Manhattan Borough President
Hon. Carolyn Maloney, 12th Congressional District Representative
Hon. Liz Krueger, NYS Senator, 28th Senatorial District
Hon. Dan Quart, 73rd Assembly District
Hon. Rebecca Seawright, 76th District
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