



COMMON COUNCIL COMMITTEE MEETING

PARK, RECREATION AND FAMILY SERVICES COMMITTEE

Jack Flynn, Chair

Meeting called by: Jack Flynn, Chair Date: 06-25-20 Time: 5:30PM

Committee Members

Present: Flynn, Chair ☒ Fahey ☒ Anane ☒ Love ☒ Johnson ☒

Commissioner Jonathan P. Jones – Department of Recreation

Deputy Justine Atlas– Department of Recreation

Linda Idipi (Summer Youth Employment Program)

Paul Collins-Hackett– Department of Recreation

Invitees/Speakers Raphael Tucker- Youth and Workforces Services

Council Members

Present: Fahey, Balarin, Robinson, Doesschate, Kimbrough, O'Brien, Frederick and Hoey

City Personnel

Present: Danielle Gillespie, John-Raphael Pichardo

Minutes

Agenda Item (s): DISCUSS OUR NEW LIGHT SUMMER YOUTH EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM

Questions and Discussion

- Chair Jack Flynn requested public comments are read for the record
- Danielle Gillespie read the public comment for the record
- Commissioner Jones provided a presentation on LIGHT, the new Summer Youth Employment Program
- Council Members Fahey, Flynn, Love, Robinson, Johnson, Doesschate, Balarin and O'Brien asked questions which Commissioner Jones, Paul Collins-Hackett and Linda answered.

Public Comment:

Aprecia Cabey, 281 Myrtle Avenue, Albany, NY (Advocate for the youth)
Tyrell Hughes, Albany, NY (Student Working Papers)

Adjourn:

The chairperson asked for a motion to adjourn, which was duly made, seconded, and passed.

Respectfully Submitted,
Michele Andre
Senior Legislative Aide to Common Council