

D.I.D. MEETING MINUTES
4/14/09

PLACE: The Village View Community Room, 175 East 4th Street

TIME: 6:30 PM

PRESENT: Sean Sweeney, Gil Horowitz, Chow Yun Xie, Diane Stein, Arthur Gregory, John Johnson, Richard Lehrer, Ted Hamm, Richard Sloan, Michael Kramer, Carol Conway, Noele Jefferson, Dennis Gault, Marc Ameruso, Terri Cude, Michael Langado, Carole DeSaram, Jeanne Wilcke, Andy Neale, Shaan Kahn, Nicole Ferree, Jim Stratton, Gerry Rodriguez, W. Hank Rusch, Lorna Chin-Nobile, Margaret Chin, Jean Grillo, Peter Gleason, Jeffrey Gangemi, Michael Harris, Omer Mohammed, P.J. Kim, Richard Barrett. (There were some candidates' aides and reporters present who had not signed the attendance sheet.)

MAYORAL CANDIDATES:

Council Member Tony Avella

Comptroller Bill Thompson

The candidates gave their bios and accomplishments, and answered questions from the audience:

BOROUGH PRESIDENT:

Incumbent Borough President Scott Stringer, who is running for his second term, spoke about his accomplishments, answered questions, and asked the club to support him again.

COMPTOLLER:

Council Member John Liu spoke to the club about his candidacy for Comptroller, talked about his background and accomplishments and answered questions.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted by Diane Stein, April 15, 2009.