



# CITYWIDE DISTRICT 75 COUNCIL

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CEC District 75  
Special Education

## MINUTES WORKING MEETING

The Working Meeting of the Citywide District 75 Council was held on Wednesday, **May 2, 2012** at 6:00 pm at 400 First Avenue, New York, NY 10010. The following people were in attendance.

\*Note: Mr. Williams, President called the working meeting to order.  
Call to Order at 6:10 PM the Working Agenda

1. **Roll Call**

Able Alagbe	Present
Charlene Carroll-Hall	Present
Maureen Dantzler	Present
Diamaris Magarin	Present
Gloria Ann Smith	Present
Alicia Valeus	Present
Joseph Williams	Present

2. **Appointment of Time Keeper**

Charlene Carroll-Hall, Council Member

3. **Approval of Previous Monthly Meeting Minutes**

The meeting minutes were tabled to review at a later date.

4. **Discuss the Chancellor Regulation for the D75 Council**

5. **Discuss Agenda for May 16<sup>th</sup> Calendar Meeting (Guest Speaker)**

Mr. Williams informed the council he will be absent during the May Calendar Meeting. He will be unable to set the agenda and would prefer for the council to set the agenda for the evening. The council decided that they would format the agenda at a later date and contact the A.A. regarding the agenda for May's Calendar meeting.

6. **Discuss the Council's Invitation to Participate in the Upcoming D75 Events: EPIC Best Practice Fair May 19<sup>th</sup> and the Samuel Stern Awards, May 23<sup>rd</sup>.**

The council was invited to participate during the Annual District 75 Events: EPIC Best Practice Fair and the Samuel Stern Awards. During the EPIC Fair the council will man their table during the fair. The President was asked to be on the agenda as one of the guest speakers to welcome the attendees.

During the Samuel Stern Awards Gloria Smith is scheduled as one of the guest speakers. Mr. Williams inquired if anyone else from the council would be interested in participating/attending the events and interested in helping man the table during the EPIC Fair to email him.

7. **June's Calendar Agenda Suggestions: Honoring Deputy Chancellor Laura Rodriquez and Invite Previous Council Members to Participate and Present Plaques**

During the June 20<sup>th</sup> Calendar Meeting the council will honor Laura Rodriquez, who will be retiring from the DOE at the end of June. The council wants to honor her for her support for the students and parents of District 75. The council suggested having Thomas F. Ryan, Jr., previous President of the council to read the inscription and present Ms. Rodriquez, her plaque.

The council will also honor previous council members for their work for the children of District 75: Thomas F. Ryan, Jr., John Englert, Diana Marenfeld,

8. **Interview New Applicants: Two Applicants are Scheduled 6:30 pm to 7:00pm**

The interview process started at 6:10PM  
Joe Williams

9. **Update on the Special Education Reform**

**Meeting Adjourned at 9:00 pm**