

Say "NO" to the "City of Yes"

The Queens Civic Congress thanks everyone who attended our General Meeting on October 15th. Some urgent matters were discussed.

Below is Paul Graziano's City of Yes presentation and a calendar of important COY events.

On October 21 and 22, the Subcommittee on Zoning and Franchises will hold two hearings on @NYCPlanning's City of Yes Zoning for Housing Opportunity citywide zoning reform proposal.

Day 1 (10/21) will be testimony by City Planning, and Day 2 (10/22) will be the only day for public testimony. Sign up to testify:

<u>council.nyc.gov/landuse</u>

COY IMPORTANT EVENTS CALENDAR

Tuesday, October 15th, 2024, 7:30 pm:

Queens Civic Congress Zoom meeting/City of Yes strategy session. All civics across the city are invited to attend – link at the bottom of this email:

Wednesday, October 16th, 2024, 11 am:

WBAI (99.5 FM) show Living For the City with host Michael G. Haskins will interview Paul Graziano on the dangers to our communities of Mayor Adams's City of Yes for Housing Opportunity if adopted.

Wednesday, October 16th, 2024, 4 pm:

Brooklyn Rally and Press Conference – 3000 Fillmore Street at Marine Park

Thursday, October 17th, 2024, 3 pm:

Bronx Rally and Press Conference – 778 Castle Hill Avenue in front of CM Farias's District Office

Thursday, October 17th, 2024, 5 pm:

Queens Rally and Press Conference – Southern Field at North Conduit Avenue & 115th Street

Saturday, October 19th, 2024, 12 pm:

Staten Island Rally and Press Conference – Hylan Blvd & Tysens Lane in front of Bank of America

Monday, October 21st, 2024, 1 pm:

Rally and Press Conference at the south end of City Hall Park

Tuesday, October 22nd, 2024, 9:30 am Start Time:

Testify at the City Council Hearing on the City of Yes! Those testifying in person will go first; those testifying by Zoom or phone will start testifying at 1 pm at the earliest.