

New York Quarterly Meeting, Religious Society of Friends
Meeting for Worship with a Concern for Business
@Brooklyn Meeting, Brooklyn
hosted by Brooklyn Meeting and Staten Island Meeting
19th day, first month, 2020
1-5 pm

ADVANCE AGENDA
NYQM Year of Jubilee

Brooklyn Meeting and Staten Island Meeting introductory interactive activity for all

Nominating Report and consent slate; posted on-line

Handbook Committee-updated version for consent approval; posted on-line

Audit and Budget proposed budget

Relief Committee annual report

Downtown Allowed Meeting annual report

Ministry and Counsel brings the following minute:

Minute 1.6.2020.7: NYQM Committee on Ministry and Counsel approves use of \$19,200 of the Concern for Quaker Living Subcommittee's earmarked donation to finance a needs assessment and other community engagement with the help of social work students as described in the attached documents. Supported by the consultant's report, we approve the plan to move forward in discussions with the Columbia School of Social Work in February 2020, and the project will commence in September 2020.

Four documents are posted on-line relating to this minute:

1. CQL update & funding request
2. 20191118105448273 final and signed report
3. CQL Needs Assessment Working Time Line
4. NYQM budget for intern program 12-10-19

Consent slate for monthly meeting quarterly reports - action items from monthly meetings will be read.

Brooklyn Monthly Meeting Report
Flushing Monthly Meeting Report
Fifteenth Street Monthly Meeting Report
Manhattan Monthly Meeting Report
Morningside Monthly Meeting Report
Staten Island Meeting Report

Communications Committee group activity: As part of the New York Quarterly Meeting's Jubilee Year, the Communications Committee is holding a workshop on the occasion of the January 19 Quarterly Meeting in Brooklyn! Please come! Bring your thoughts and questions!

****The Communications Committee wants to hear from you about how we can support connections among Quakers:***

-Website

-Message-sharing

-Database

****How can Communications make it easier to be a Friend?***

Worship sharing; reflections on our Year of Jubilee to date

Announcements:

*Brooklyn Meeting has an open **mid-week worship** every **Tuesday from 6:30 to 7:30**. All are welcome!

*NYQM had a rich potluck tradition that some fear has faded away. Help renew this and other beloved traditions of our community as we celebrate Jubilee. **Wednesday January 22, 2019 at 6:30pm, 15th St. Friends Seminary Cafeteria**. Make, bake, or buy your favorite potluck dish for a Meeting for Eating. We will have the opportunity to share and hear stories and experiences of welcome.

A reminder...

2020 NYQM dates:

January 19th: Brooklyn Friends & Staten Island Meetings at Brooklyn Meetinghouse, Brooklyn

April 19th: Fifteenth St. & Manhattan Meetings at Friends Meetinghouse, Manhattan

July 18th: Saturday, Quaker Cemetery, Prospect Park, Brooklyn (concluding our Year of Jubilee)

October 18th: Flushing Monthly Meeting, Flushing

2021 NYQM dates:

January 17th: Brooklyn Friends Meeting, Brooklyn
April 18th: Fifteenth Street Meeting, Manhattan
July 17th: Saturday, Quaker Cemetery, Prospect Park, Brooklyn
October 17th: Morningside Monthly Meeting, Manhattan