FIORENTINO TOWN HALL MEETING March 21st, 2023

Resident Engagement Meeting

Construction Logistics Presentation

If you can't join us on March 21, 2023 at 6:00 pm in person you can meet us online!

 Come meet with the construction team and management in a discussion about the upcoming renovations and relocation at Fiorentino Plaza.

Virtual Resident Engagement Meeting – Web Based

Zoom Link: http://bit.ly/blvdtogether

Zoom Meeting ID: 965 5109 9149

Webinar Passcode: blvd

Dial-In Information

English: Dial In #: 1-646-558-8656

Meeting ID #: 965 5109 9149 #

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Spanish: Dial In #: 1-646-558-8656

Meeting ID #: 522 498 0218 #

A translation of this document is available in your management office.

La traducción de este documento está disponible en la Oficina de Administración de su residencial

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Перевод этого документа находится в офисе управления Вашего жилищного комплекса.

Introduction

Meet the team

- Boulevard Together Developer
- Boulevard Together Management
- Boulevard Together Construction
- SAV Relocation
- Reliant Safety
- NYCHA
- CAMBA

Boulevard Together



Developers







Builders





Managers













Agenda

- Relocation Information
- Construction Update
- Site Security Update
- NYCHA Presentation
- Social Services
- Resident Q & A



Meet Tonight's Presenters

- ► Marcus Williams BTM, Resident Engagement
- ▶ Jackie Robinson SAVRelo, Partner
- ► Isaac Gracia BTC, Construction Superintendent
- ► Matt Linde BTO, Boulevard Together Ownership
- ► Neil Nappi Reliant Safety, VP of Security Operations
- ▶ D'Andra Van Heusen-Thomas − NYCHA, Resident Outreach Services
- ▶ Jamiyla Chandler-Melton CAMBA, Program Manager

Fiorentino Relocation

- All residents of Fiorentino Plaza must relocate in order to conduct building and apartment renovations.
- All packing supplies, packing assistance, storage fees, and moving services are provided to residents at **no charge**.
- Residents will be provided with financial stipends to assist with their needs during the time they are out of their original apartment based on their apartment size.
- Residents are invited to utilize the hospitality suite located at 812 Ashford Street, Brooklyn NY 11207.
- Generous stipend offered to residents who relocate with friends/family.

- Relocation package available for you to take home, includes:
 - Temporary Move FAQ
 - Sixty (60) Day Notice of Temporary Move
 - Initial Interview
 - Relocation Questionnaire
 - Community Life Questions
 - Home Inventory
 - Notice of Non-Displacement Form
 - Release & Hold Harmless Form
 - Temporary Move Agreement

Construction Scope of Work

- Interior Common Area Upgrades:
 - Renovation of public hallways, stairwells, and main lobby
 - Replacement of public hallway doors
 - Windows replacement for common areas
 - Upgraded heating
 - Upgraded electrical including lighting
 - Upgraded plumbing
 - New fire alarm system
 - New security system
 - Upgraded wifi & internet service
- Interior Apartments:
 - Kitchen replacement
 - **Bathroom replacement**
 - Renovation of entire apartment including new flooring & painting
 - Replacement of apartment entry doors
 - Window replacement for apartments
 - Upgraded electrical including lighting
 - Upgraded plumbing

- Exterior
 - Facade restoration
 - Windows replacement for apartments and common areas
 - Roof Replacement
 - Water tightening of building
 - Security camera installation
 - Site work (new paving, plantings, landscaping etc.)

Photo Gallery - Completed Apartment















Construction Timing Update

- Phase 1 Update (2155 & 2165 Pitkin):
 - Façade 95% of façade work is complete at 2155 Pitkin & 2165 Pitkin
 - Parapets 80% complete
 - ► Roof 70% complete
 - ▶ Window Replacement 90% complete
 - ▶ Plumbing upgrades 100% complete
 - ► Electrical upgrades 100% complete
 - Environmental lead and moisture testing to be completed this week.
 Abatement to start shortly thereafter
- Phase 2 (2181/2189 Pitkin & 320/340 Miller)
 - Exterior Work Façade, Parapet, & Roof work at 2181/2189 to begin Monday March 27th
 - Interior work ready to begin but cannot commence until all units have been vacated

- Phase 3 (2211, 2215, 2219, & 2221 Pitkin)
 - Construction Start Time = To be determined
 - Based on completion of first two phases & relocation
- Stop Work Orders
 - Explained
- ► Tenant Protection Plan
 - Available on our website boulevardtogether.com
 - Exterior work can progress with residents still occupying premises
 - Interior work <u>cannot</u> proceed with residents occupying the building

Site Security Update

- Overall site concern as experienced by residents
- How we can and do address these concerns
- Crime preventive measures
- Safety Tips
- About Reliant Safety
- How to contact Reliant Safety
- Reliant Safety Flyer



NYCHA - Section-8 Presentation

PACT Resident Protections

- Rent is set at 30% of your household's income.*
- You have the right to organize.
- Resident associations continue to receive funding.
- Your lease will automatically renew each year.
- You can continue to add relatives to your household composition.

- Approved relatives will continue to have succession rights.
- You still have the ability to initiate a grievance hearing.
- You will continue to have the opportunity to apply for jobs created by PACT.

NYCHA's Section 8 Program

- NYCHA's **Leased Housing Department** oversees NYCHA's Section 8 program and serves as the program administrator.
- NYCHA has the largest program in the nation with over 95,000 Section 8 families and 25,000 private landlords.
- Through PACT, you are now a NYCHA Project-Based Section 8 resident.

NYCHA's Section 8 Program

- Ensure all units meet Housing Quality Standards (HQS) by conducting regular apartment and building inspections
- Administer the Section 8 project-based waitlist to re-tenant vacancies
- Respond to resident questions/requests about their tenant-share portion of the rent, reasonable accommodation, and transfers

- With HUD funding, NYCHA pays the difference between each apartment's Section 8 contract rent and the resident's portion of rent (called the Housing Assistance Payment, or HAP)
- Enforce the terms of the Housing Assistance Payment (HAP)
- Conduct annual and interim reviews of residents' incomes and family composition

If my income or family composition changes?

To submit my annual recertification? And to find out when it's due?

For issues related to my share of rent?

To learn more about transfer requests or the Housing Choice Voucher program?

Contact....

NYCHA's Leased
Housing Department



Use the NYCHA Self-Service Portal 15 or call the NYCHA CCC: 718-707-7771

To request a reasonable accommodation for a larger apartment or to move to a lower floor or to move to an accessible unit?

To add or remove family members in my Section 8 household?

If my landlord is not completing repairs?

To request an HQS inspection or find out when it is scheduled?

Contact....

NYCHA's Leased
Housing Department



Use the NYCHA Self-Serv 16 or call the NYCHA CCC

To pay rent or address rental arrears?

To make repair requests?

For questions related to my lease?

In case of an emergency, such as a lack of heat or hot water, elevator outages, or flooding?

Contact....

Boulevard Together
Property Management



816 Ashford Street or call: 1-646-276-2196

To request a first-floor apartment for medical reasons?

To request apartment modifications to accommodate a disability – for example: installation of grab bars, higher toilet seat, lower kitchen cabinets, lower sinks, etc.

To register a pet or service animal?

To get involved with my Resident Association?

Contact....

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812 Ashford Street or call: 1-646-276-2196

How do I contact NYCHA as a Section 8 resident?

CALL THE CUSTOMER CONTACT CENTER

Mon- Fri, 8am- 5pm 718-707-7771 TTY #: 212-306-4845 VISIT A
WALK-IN CENTER

787 Atlantic Avenue- 2nd Floor Brooklyn, NY

8am- 5pm

LOG IN TO YOUR
SELF- SERVICE PORTAL

Anytime: http://selfserve.nycha.info

You can now schedule an appointment at one of NYCHA's recently reopened Customer Contact Center (CCC) Walk-In Centers for a time that is convenient for you.

To make an appointment, visit on.nyc.gov/nycha-ccc-appt

CAMBA - Social Services On-Site at Fiorentino Plaza

We are Dedicated to Serving All Boulevard Together Management Residents



What is CAMBA?

- "CAMBA is a non-profit agency that provides services that connect people with opportunities to enhance their quality of life." (camba.org)
- CAMBA's Family & Community Support programs help people create and apply solutions to problems
 that affect their self-sufficiency, health, and success. Our clients struggle to pay rent and other bills,
 maintain employment, raise children, and cope with emotional and mental health problems.
 - CAMBA offers the following program, please visit the website <u>www.camba.org</u>:
 - Housing Stability
 - Education & Youth Development
 - Family & Community Support
 - Health
 - Economic Development
 - Legal Services



- What Services do we offer Boulevard Together Management Residents?
 - Case Management
 - Eviction Prevention Services
 - Mental Health Referrals
 - Employment & Vocational Referrals



What are the Benefits of Social Services?

Strong families build strong communities, breaking the cycles of abuse and poor health that hold people back from achieving their goals. CAMBA helps families and community overcome challenges and thrive.

"Social services are designed to meet people's needs, prevent and address their social problems, raise their living standards, and remove the material, moral, and social deprivations that people and families experience due to their own constitutions, environmental conditions, or uncontrollable events," (PlanStreet, 2022)

Social Services are aimed at improving the overall well-being of individuals, families, and communities.



- Please feel free to visit or contact our office if you are interested in social services.
- We are on-site Monday-Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. to assist you.
 - You are encouraged to reach out with any questions or comments.
 - Thank you!

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RESIDENT Q&A