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Williamsburg-Greenpoint

Staff

María Alvarez
Executive Director

Monthly Meeting

Agenda

DATE: Wednesday, January 22, 2025
TIME: 10:00 AM – 12:00 Noon

PLACE: Brooklyn Borough Hall
209 Joralemon Street
Brooklyn, NY 11210

Greetings Jacqueline Kennedy-Saddler, Provider Co-Chair
BWICA Educational Fund, Inc.

Welcome Remarks

Deanna Foote, Director of Constituent Affairs Office of the Brooklyn Borough President
Charise Lawrence, Brooklyn Brooklyn Government Affairs Officer, NYCDFTA

**Presentation: Age Strong NY Campaign:
Funding for Senior Programs in the New York State Budget
Getting Organized for the 2025 Budget & Legislative Seasons**

Presenter: María Alvarez, Executive Director,
BWICA Educational Fund, Inc.

Health Corner:
Leslie Sierra, Outreach Counselor
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Adjournment

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Upcoming Meetings for 2025

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TOPIC</u>
January 22, 2025	Age Strong NY Campaign
February 26, 2025	State Budget Discussion
March 26, 2025	TBD
April 23, 2025	TBD
May 28, 2025	Older American Month Celebration
June 25, 2025	Fun in the Sun!
July & August	No Meeting – Enjoy Your Summer
September 24, 2025	TBD
October 22, 2025	TBD
November 19, 2025	TBD
December	No Meeting – Happy Holidays!

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