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Resolution Regarding the Zoning Line Proposal Submission for District 3 Harlem Elementary School (P.S. 76, P.S. 149, P.S. 180, P.S. 185, P.S. 241 and P.S. 242)

Co-Sponsored by Noah Odabashian, Sharon Meiri-Fox and Kristin Savov

WHEREAS, Community Education Council 3, in accordance with Chancellor's Regulation A-185, applicable Federal, State and City Law, Regulations of the New York State Commissioner of Education and policies of the New York City Department of Education (NYCDOE); and

WHEREAS, a zoning line proposal for P.S. 76, P.S. 149, P.S. 180, P.S. 185, P.S. 241 and P.S. 242 in District 3 has been submitted to CEC 3 on December 5, 2024, by the New York City Department of Education ("NYCDOE"); and

WHEREAS, the NYC DOE proposes zoning changes for P.S. 76, P.S. 149, P.S. 180, P.S. 185, P.S. 241 and P.S. 242 in order to:

- a. Provide students in grades K-5 living in the current PS 76 zone with zoned elementary school options as PS 76 will no longer exist as a distinct school option following the conclusion of the 2024-2025 school year pursuant to the proposed grade truncation of P.S. 76 A. Philip Randolph (03M076) from a K-8 School to a 6-8 School, re-siting of Mott Hall II (03M862) from building M165 to building M076 and Merger of Grades 6-8 of P.S. 76 with Mott Hall II, and Grade Expansion of Mott Hall II from a 6- 8 School to a 6-12 School Beginning in the 2025-2026 School Year. This proposal will be voted on by the Panel for Educational Policy (PEP) on March 12, 2025.
- b. Create a shared zone for P.S. 180 (03M180), PS 241 (03M241), P.S. 242 (03M242), P.S. 149 (03M149), and PS 185 (03M185);
- c. Ensure appropriate enrollment and school building utilization across all schools;

- d. Ensure that each school has appropriate space in its school building to accommodate its zone

WHEREAS, this rezoning proposal would be implemented beginning in the 2025-2026 school year, unless the PEP does not approve the A-190 proposals impacting District 3 Harlem, in which case current zone lines will remain in effect for the 2025-2026 school year and beyond; and

WHEREAS, Community Education Council 3 has engaged with the impacted communities by means of attending meetings and the joint public hearing and in electronic communications; and

WHEREAS, the proposed changes would impact incoming Kindergarten zone sizes of P.S. 76, P.S. 149, P.S. 180, P.S. 185, P.S. 241 and P.S. 242; and

BE IT RESOLVED that for the 2025-2026 school year the new zoning lines are the following:

The addresses contained in the following area would be in the new school zone for **P.S. 180 (03M180), STEM Institute (03M241), P.S. 242 (03M242), P.S. 149 (03M149), and The Locke School (03M185)**

1. Start at the corner of 122nd Street and Lenox Ave, then
2. East on 122nd Street to Mt. Morris Park West, then
3. South on Mt. Morris Park West to 120th Street, then
4. East on 120th Street to 5th Avenue, then
5. South on 5th Avenue to 110th Street, then
6. West on 110th Street to Manhattan Avenue, then
7. North on Manhattan Avenue to 113th Street, then
8. North on Morningside Avenue to 122nd Street, then
9. East on 122nd Street to Manhattan Avenue, then
10. North on Manhattan Avenue to 123rd Street, then
11. East on 123rd Street to 7th Avenue (excluding both sides of the street), then
12. North on 7th Avenue to 124th Street, then
13. East on 124th Street to Lenox Avenue, then
14. South on Lenox Avenue to 122nd Street (the point of origin).

BE IT RESOLVED that CEC3 calls on the DOE and the D3 Superintendent's Team to fully and proactively support impacted PS 76 students and families via individualized consultation and personalized attention to ensure they are offered placements at schools that meet their needs and offer robust programming.

BE IT RESOLVED that CEC3 calls on the DOE and the D3 Superintendent's Team to fully and proactively support impacted PS 180 middle school students and families via individualized consultation and personalized attention to ensure they are offered placements-at middle schools that meet their needs and offer robust programming.

BE IT RESOLVED that CEC3 calls on the DOE and the D3 Superintendent's Team to fully and proactively support impacted Mott Hall II middle school students who prefer a different school option in their district(s) of eligibility and seek a transfer via individualized consultation and personalized attention to ensure they are offered placements at middle schools that meet their needs and offer robust programming.

BE IT RESOLVED that CEC3 calls on the DOE and the D3 Superintendent's Team, in conjunction with D75, to support impacted students and families at PS M266 who might prefer a different school option in their district(s) of eligibility and seek a transfer via individualized consultation and personalized attention to ensure they are offered placements at D75 schools that meet their needs and offer robust programming.

The above resolution was voted on and adopted by the following Community Education Council of District 3 members:

Member Names	YES	NO	ABSTAIN
Jill Rackmill	X		
Noah Odabashian	X		
Jon Nassimi	X		
Noah Strote	X		
Ramata Sakho	X		
Kristin Savov	X		
Dr. Ting Yuan	X		
Yael Denbo	X		
Ana Maria Quinones Greenfeild	X		
Sharon Meiri Fox	X		

Resolution adopted by roll call vote of CEC_3_ on January 14, 2025 by a vote of:

10 - Yes

___ NO

___ ABSTAIN