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March 2021 Full Board Report to Manhattan Community Board 6

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Video Report to CB6:

Highlights

- 1. Carlina Chairs Hospitals Committee Hearing on Language Access and Cultural Humility, Calls for CBO Investment in COVID-19 Vaccine Outreach**
On March 1, Carlina led the Committee on Hospitals in a hearing to investigate how our healthcare system has failed to serve non-English speakers during COVID-19. As the most linguistically diverse city in the world, New York City's hospitals and public health communications should be readily available and accessible in as many languages as possible. You can read a full report of the hearing a letter written to the Mayor about increasing resources for Community Based Organizations at the full newsletter link above.
- 2. Carlina Condemns Anti-Asian Racism and Violence in New York City**
In response to the staggering increase in anti-Asian violence and hate crimes in New York City, Carlina joined the Asian American Federation and hundreds of New Yorkers for a solidarity rally with the Asian community last weekend.
- 3. Carlina Meets with Small Business Owners and Neighbors About Conditions on E 33rd Street and 3rd Avenue**
After receiving complaints from small business owners and neighbors of rats, ponding water, and other unsafe and unsanitary conditions on East 33rd Street between 2nd and 3rd Avenues, Carlina is calling for DDC to move the construction storage shed on the north east corner of the block as soon as possible. Carlina will continue to coordinate with all relevant agencies to address these issues as well.
- 4. Carlina Joins FDNY For a Fire Safety Event at Straus Houses Following a Tragic Fire on East 28th Street**
- 5. Carlina Calls on MTA to Resume Overnight Service, Reverse Anti-Homeless Bench Removals**