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## **Manhattan Borough President Mark Levine's March 9, 2022 Full Board Report to Manhattan Community Board 6**

- 1) 2022 Manhattan Community Board Application and Reapplication Deadline  
Extended to March 15th

The 2022 Manhattan Community Board Application and Reapplication is open through Tuesday, March 15th at 5 pm. Please apply or reapply online [here](#).

- 2) Borough President Levine Celebrates International Women's Day

Borough President Levine posted a video message on Twitter from outside of the Triangle Shirtwaist Factory to celebrate International Women's Day on Tuesday, March 8, 2022. On March 8, 1908, 15,000 women marched through the streets of Manhattan to demand shorter work hours, better pay, an end to child labor, and the right for women to vote. Tragically, almost three years after that march, the Triangle Shirtwaist Factory went up in flames. 144 women, mostly young immigrants, perished. This tragedy gave momentum to the movement to create an official International Women's Day, which is celebrated on March 8th. International Women's Day celebrates and uplifts the achievements of women throughout history. It also shines a light on the struggle for gender equity, which is ongoing. We still have much more work left to do to achieve gender equity, to end violence against women and girls, and for the preservation of women's reproductive rights.

### 3) Borough President Levine Stands with Ukraine

On Monday, March 7th, Borough President Levine joined Council Members Shaun Abreu and Gale Brewer to stand with families and students of the Russian dual language program at P S 145 on West 105th Street to support Ukraine.

Also on Monday, March 7th, Borough President Levine joined Mayor Eric Adams, Council Member Carlina Rivera, and Ukrainian Consul General Oleksii Holubov for lunch at Veselka, where proceeds from all borscht sales will go to help Ukraine.

The Borough President has been at the forefront of calling for the seizure of assets controlled by Putin-aligned oligarchs so as to put financial pressure on his immediate circle.

### 4) Borough President Levine Calls for Tenant's Right to Counsel to be Fulfilled in Eviction Cases in New York City Housing Court

Borough President Levine continues to call on the Office of Court Administration to slow the docket and to ensure that no eviction cases in New York City Housing Court proceed without a tenant's right to counsel being fulfilled.

### 5) Borough President Levine Calls for Government Seizure of Assets of Putin-connected Oligarchs

On Friday, March 5th, Borough President Levine joined Jenna Flanagan, host of Metro Focus on WNET to discuss the many Putin-connected oligarchs who have parked their assets in Manhattan real estate, and the need for the government to seize these assets.

### 6) Borough President Levine Joins The Blue Card and Elected Officials in Calling for Optimum to Drop Television Networks that Downplay the Holocaust and Propagate Russian Government Propaganda

On Wednesday, March 2nd Borough President Levine joined a coalition of elected officials and The Blue Card, a national nonprofit organization that aids Holocaust survivors, in calling on Optimum to drop 4 networks that have downplayed the Holocaust and have served as mouthpieces for Russian government propaganda.