

**LOCAL LAWS  
OF  
THE CITY OF NEW YORK  
FOR THE YEAR 2020**

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**No. 26**

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Introduced by Council Members Adams, Ampry-Samuel, Borelli, Brannan, Chin, Deutsch, Diaz, Espinal, Jr., Gibson, Gjonaj, Holden, Koslowitz, Lander, Levin, Matteo, Miller, Perkins, Reynoso, Richards, Rodriguez, Rose, Salamanca, Jr., Torres, Treyger, Vallone and Van Bramer.

**A LOCAL LAW**

**In relation to the naming of 55 thoroughfares and public places, Punjab Avenue, Borough of Queens, Gurdwara Street, Borough of Queens, Detective Lawrence Cecil Smith Boulevard, Borough of Queens, Archbishop Roy E. Brown Way, Borough of Brooklyn, Sgt. Terrance McAvoy Way, Borough of Staten Island, Larry Hanley Way, Borough of Staten Island, Johnny Wheels Way, Borough of Staten Island, Benito “Benny” DeRosa Way, Borough of Staten Island, Bishop Kearney Way, Borough of Brooklyn, FDNY-EMS Lt. Walter Nelson, Jr. Way, Borough of Brooklyn, Aileen Hernandez Way, Borough of Brooklyn, Justice Arthur M. Schack Way, Borough of Brooklyn, St. Ephrem’s Way, Borough of Brooklyn, Patrolman Arthur Loewe Way, Borough of Brooklyn, Father Paul Schneirla Way, Borough of Brooklyn, Dominick Della Rocca Way, Borough of Brooklyn, Benjamin Ward Way, Borough of Manhattan, Firefighter Faizal Coto Way, Borough of Brooklyn, Emmanuel Frias Way, Borough of the Bronx, Detective Joseph Taylor Way, Borough of Brooklyn, King Charles Unicycle Troupe Way, Borough of the Bronx, Lt. Mark W. McKay Way, Borough of the Bronx, Police Officer Patrick McGovern Way, Borough of the Bronx, George O’Neill Way, Borough of Queens, US Navy RM2/c Stanley E. Wdowiak Way, Borough of Queens, Ruth and John Kempisty Avenue, Borough of Queens, Frank Macri Way, Borough of Queens, Aaron Adler Way, Borough of Queens, Abe Miller Way, Borough of Queens, Diane Halbran Way, Borough of Brooklyn, Frank Varriano Way, Borough of Staten Island, FDNY Battalion Chief Robert P. Miuccio Way, Borough of Staten Island, Halvor A. James Way, Borough of Queens, Rev. Floyd H. Flake Way, Borough of Queens, Evelyn Thomas Way, Borough of Manhattan, Randy Nelson “Bubba” McGhee Place, Borough of Manhattan, Santos “Frenchie” Ramos Way, Borough of Brooklyn, Sister Peggy Walsh Way, Borough of Brooklyn, Nzingha Abena Way, Borough of Queens, Carl David Richardson Foundation Way, Borough of Queens, Carlos Alberto Martínez Way, Borough of Manhattan, Dioris Valladares Way, Borough of Manhattan, Reginaldo Atanay Way, Borough of Manhattan, Dr. Nasry Michelen Way, Borough of Manhattan, William L. Taitt Way, Borough of Staten Island, Taurean E. Williams-Wells Way, Borough of Staten Island, Richard Propper Way, Borough of the Bronx, Lucas Yoaldy**

**Silverio Mendoza Way, Borough of the Bronx, Mike Greco Way, Borough of the Bronx, Joe Liberatore Way, Borough of the Bronx, Martin ‘Marty’ J. Bromberger Way, Borough of Brooklyn, CPL. John McHugh Way, Borough of Queens, Isamu Noguchi Way, Borough of Queens, Jay Kriegel Way, Borough of Manhattan, Claudette Colvin Way, Borough of the Bronx and the repeal of sections 20, 26, 74 and 76 of local law number 158 for the year 2019 and section 53 of local law number 139 for the year 2018.**

*Be it enacted by the Council as follows:*

Section 1. The following street name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Punjab Avenue	101 <sup>st</sup> Avenue	Between 111 <sup>th</sup> Street and 123 <sup>rd</sup> Street

§2. The following street name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Gurdwara Street	97 <sup>th</sup> Avenue	Between Lefferts Boulevard and 117 <sup>th</sup> Street

§3. The following street name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Detective Lawrence Cecil Smith Boulevard	Baisley Boulevard	Between 167 <sup>th</sup> Street and 168 <sup>th</sup> Street

§4. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Archbishop Roy E. Brown Way	None	At the intersection of Broadway and Linden Street

§5. The following street name, in the Borough of Staten Island, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Sgt. Terrance McAvoy Way	Francine Court	

§6. The following street name, in the Borough of Staten Island, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Larry Hanley Way	Yukon Avenue	Between Forest Hill Road and Richmond Avenue

§7. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Staten Island, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Johnny Wheels Way	None	At the intersection of Ramble Road and Adrienne Place

§8. The following street name, in the Borough of Staten Island, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Benito “Benny” DeRosa Way	Richmond Avenue	Between Wilson Avenue and Eltingville Boulevard

§9. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Bishop Kearney Way	None	At the southeast corner of 60 <sup>th</sup> Street and Bay Parkway

§10. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
FDNY-EMS Lt. Walter Nelson, Jr. Way	None	At the northeast corner of 68 <sup>th</sup> Street and Colonial Road

§11. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Aileen Hernandez Way	None	At the intersection of Bay Ridge Avenue and 12 <sup>th</sup> Avenue

§12. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Justice Arthur M. Schack Way	None	At the intersection of Ridge Boulevard and 89 <sup>th</sup> Street

§13. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
St. Ephrem's Way	None	At the intersection of Bay Ridge Parkway and Ft. Hamilton Parkway

§14. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Patrolman Arthur Loewe Way	None	At the intersection of 74 <sup>th</sup> Street and 4 <sup>th</sup> Avenue

§15. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Father Paul Schneirla Way	None	At the intersection of 81 <sup>st</sup> Street and Ridge Boulevard

§16. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Dominick Della Rocca Way	None	At the intersection of 69 <sup>th</sup> Street and Shore Road

§17. The following street name, in the Borough of Manhattan, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Benjamin Ward Way	Baxter Street	Between Worth Street and Walker Street

§18. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Firefighter Faizal Coto Way	None	At the northwest corner of Surf Avenue and West 8th Street

§19. The following intersection name, in the Borough of the Bronx, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Emmanuel Frias Way	None	At the intersection of Castle Hill Avenue and Quimby Avenue

§20. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Detective Joseph Taylor Way	None	At the southwest corner of Menahan Street and Knickerbocker Avenue

§21. The following street name, in the Borough of the Bronx, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
King Charles Unicycle Troupe Way	Clinton Avenue	Between East 170 <sup>th</sup> Street and Crotona Park South

§22. The following intersection name, in the Borough of the Bronx, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Lt. Mark W. McKay Way	None	At the intersection of Parsifal Place and Ellis Place

§23. The following street name, in the Borough of the Bronx, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Police Officer Patrick McGovern Way	Rhineland Avenue	Between Eastchester Road and Stillwell Avenue

§24. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
George O'Neill Way	None	At the intersection of 53 <sup>rd</sup> Drive and 65 <sup>th</sup> Place

§25. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
US Navy RM2/c Stanley E. Wdowiak Way	None	At the northeast corner of 64 <sup>th</sup> Street and Flushing Avenue

§26. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Ruth and John Kempisty Avenue	None	At the northwest corner of 58 <sup>th</sup> Avenue and 69 <sup>th</sup> Street

§27. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Frank Macri Way	None	At the southeast corner of Clyde Street and Yellowstone Boulevard

§28. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Aaron Adler Way	None	At the northwest corner of Lefferts Boulevard and Austin Street

§29. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Abe Miller Way	None	At the intersection of Fleet Street and Groton Street

§30. The following street name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Diane Halbran Way	Greenwood Avenue	Between East 4 <sup>th</sup> Street and East 3 <sup>rd</sup> Street

§31. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Staten Island, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Frank Varriano Way	None	At the intersection of Otis Avenue and Richmond Road



§32. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Staten Island, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
FDNY Battalion Chief Robert P. Miuccio Way	None	At the intersection of The Boulevard and Deems Avenue

§33. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Halvor A. James Way	None	At the southeast corner of 198 <sup>th</sup> Street and Linden Boulevard

§34. The following street name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Rev. Floyd H. Flake Way	Merrick Boulevard	Between Jamaica Avenue and the Cross Island Parkway

§35. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Manhattan, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Evelyn Thomas Way	None	At the southeast corner of West 132 <sup>nd</sup> Street and Frederick Douglass Boulevard

§36. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Manhattan, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Randy Nelson “Bubba” McGhee Place	None	At the northeast corner of 123 <sup>rd</sup> Street and Frederick Douglass Boulevard

§37. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Santos “Frenchie” Ramos Way	None	At the northeast corner of Marcy Avenue and Broadway

§38. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Sister Peggy Walsh Way	None	At the northeast corner of Hewes Street and Marcy Avenue

§39. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Nzingha Abena Way	None	At the intersection of 233 <sup>rd</sup> Street and Francis Lewis Boulevard

§40. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Carl David Richardson Foundation Way	None	At the intersection of 228 <sup>th</sup> Street and Merrick Boulevard

§41. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Manhattan, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Carlos Alberto Martínez Way	None	At the intersection of 165 <sup>th</sup> Street and Audubon Avenue

§42. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Manhattan, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Dioris Valladares Way	None	At the intersection of St. Nicholas Avenue and 165 <sup>th</sup> Street

§43. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Manhattan, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Reginaldo Atanay Way	None	At the intersection of Dyckman Street and Nagle Street

§44. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Manhattan, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Dr. Nasry Michelen Way	None	At the intersection of 166 <sup>th</sup> Street and Audubon Avenue

§45. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Staten Island, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
William L. Taitt Way	None	At the northeast corner Vanderbilt Avenue and Roff Street

§46. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Staten Island, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Taurean E. Williams-Wells Way	None	At the northeast corner of Broad Street and Tompkins Avenue

§47. The following intersection name, in the Borough of the Bronx, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Richard Propper Way	None	At the intersection of East 151 <sup>st</sup> Street and Third Avenue

§48. The following intersection name, in the Borough of the Bronx, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Lucas Yoaldy Silverio Mendoza Way	None	At the intersection of Crotona Avenue and Grote Street

§49. The following intersection name, in the Borough of the Bronx, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Mike Greco Way	None	At the intersection of Hughes Avenue and Crescent Avenue

§50. The following intersection name, in the Borough of the Bronx, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Joe Liberatore Way	None	At the intersection of Arthur Avenue and Crescent Avenue

§51. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Martin 'Marty' J. Bromberger Way	None	At the northeast corner of West 19 <sup>th</sup> Street and Surf Avenue

§52. The following street name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
CPL. John McHugh Way	156 <sup>th</sup> Street	Between 14 <sup>th</sup> Avenue and Crydners Lane

§53. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Queens, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Isamu Noguchi Way	None	At the southeast corner of 33 <sup>rd</sup> Road and 9 <sup>th</sup> Street

§54. The following intersection name, in the Borough of Manhattan, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Jay Kriegel Way	None	At the northwest corner of Park Place and Broadway

§55. The following intersection name, in the Borough of the Bronx, is hereby designated as hereafter indicated.

New Name	Present Name	Limits
Claudette Colvin Way	None	At the southeast corner of Unionport Road and East Tremont Avenue

§56. Sections 20, 26, 74 and 76 of local law number 158 for the year 2019 are hereby REPEALED.

§57. Section 53 of local law number 139 for the year 2018 is hereby REPEALED.

§58. This local law shall take effect immediately.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, s.s.:

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a local law of The City of New York, passed by the Council on December 19, 2019 and returned unsigned by the Mayor on January 21, 2020.

MICHAEL M. McSWEENEY, City Clerk, Clerk of the Council.

CERTIFICATION OF CORPORATION COUNSEL

I hereby certify that the form of the enclosed local law (Local Law No. 26 of 2020, Council Preconsidered Int. No. 1825 of 2019) to be filed with the Secretary of State contains the correct text of the local law passed by the New York City Council, presented to the Mayor and neither approved nor disapproved within thirty days thereafter.

STEPHEN LOUIS, Acting Corporation Counsel.