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June 28, 2024

Honorable City Council  
Through the Office of the Mayor  
1 Roosevelt Square  
Mount Vernon, NY 10550

**Re: Partnership Artwork in Lee O. Mann Park**

Honorable City Council Members,

This partnership, which unites the Office of the Mayor, the Commissioner of Recreation of the City of Mount Vernon, NY, and the New York Presbyterian Division of Community and Population Health (NYP), is seeking your esteemed support and sponsorship for community revitalization activities at Lee O. Mann Park on Sheridan Avenue. Your involvement is crucial to the success of this project.

NYP Division of Community and Population Health is a branch of NYP that aims to encourage healthy living in an intergenerational community. They do this in various ways, primarily by visiting community parks and green spaces. They conduct various community-engaging activities that bring attention to all the beauty.

They would like to do a two (2) day series on July 19<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>.

- The first day, July 19, 2024, will feature a fantastic sidewalk chalk obstacle course that engages children ages 5-12 in complete gross motor activities.
- The second day, July 25, 2024 – Artistic expression and Planting. The youth will paint the bricks on the planters in the park, design personalized flowerpots, and plant.

This event is at no cost to the City of Mount Vernon, NY, and NYP will provide all supplies. Thank you in advance for your careful consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

  
Aristides Maldonado  
Deputy Commissioner

CC: Shawyn Patterson-Howard, Mayor  
Darren Morton, Comptroller  
Brian Johnson, Corporation Counsel

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