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Noreen Doyle
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Subject: Urging Early Termination of ICE Parking Agreement at Pier 40

Dear Ms. Doyle:

We write regarding the Hudson River Park Trust's existing contract with the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) for parking at Pier 40.

We appreciate the Trust's public acknowledgment that the current contract will expire in June and that it does not intend to renew or enter into future agreements with ICE. At the same time, we urge the Trust to make every effort to terminate this contract immediately. Even with an expiration date in place, every day matters when considering the impact this relationship has on New Yorkers and on immigrant communities across the city.

While the Trust has stated that the contract is limited to the provision of parking spaces, we have heard concerns from constituents and community members regarding the continued presence of ICE vehicles at the Pier 40 facility, especially as ICE's enforcement activities have increasingly caused fear and distress in neighborhoods throughout New York City. Recent incidents elsewhere in the country, including the recent fatal shooting in Minneapolis during a federal enforcement operation, have further heightened public concern about ICE's tactics and the risks associated with them.

It is also disappointing that this issue has persisted for so long. As reporting has shown, ICE's use of Pier 40 dates back many years, and concerns about the agency's conduct were already well known prior to the most recent renewal of the contract, in 2021. In light of this history, we would have expected that the Trust would move sooner to disentangle itself from this relationship.

Hudson River Park is widely understood as a space dedicated to recreation, community, and public well-being. We believe that ending the ICE parking contract as soon as possible would reinforce the Trust's commitment to those values and help restore public confidence that the park's facilities are being used in a manner consistent with the interests of all New Yorkers. Again, we urge the Trust to review the contract expeditiously and make every effort to terminate it prior to its scheduled expiration.

Thank you for your time and consideration. We appreciate your attention to this matter and look forward to continued dialogue.

Sincerely,



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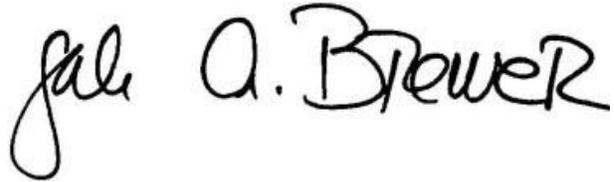
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