



Presentation to CEC 7 for the Unzoning of District 7 Middle Schools

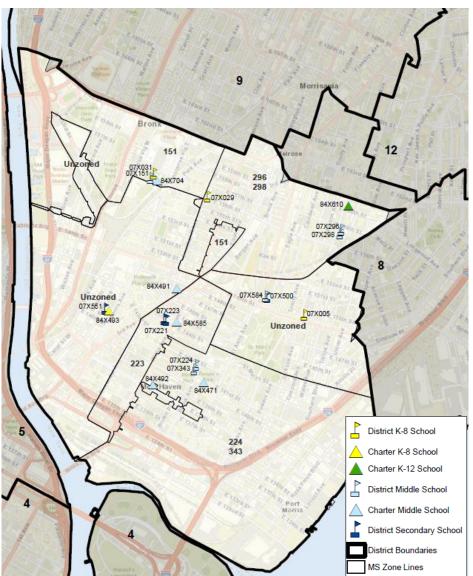
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- Reasons for Unzoning
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District 7 Middle School Zones





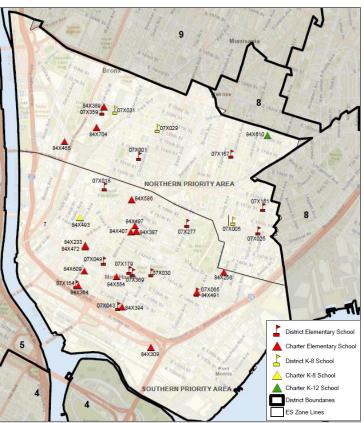
Current Middle School Zoning and Admissions

- District 7 currently has both zoned and non-zoned areas for middle school.
 - District 7 is un-zoned at the elementary school level.
- While there are several middle schools with zones in District 7, the zones are not used during the middle school admissions process.
- Zones are only referenced for students who enroll in middle school after the conclusion of the admissions process, and for the purposes of capping.
- At the time that District 7 moved to an admissions process without zone priorities, the zone lines were left in place.
 Removing the zone lines would formalize the process that has been in place for several years.



Reasons to Remove Middle Schools Zones

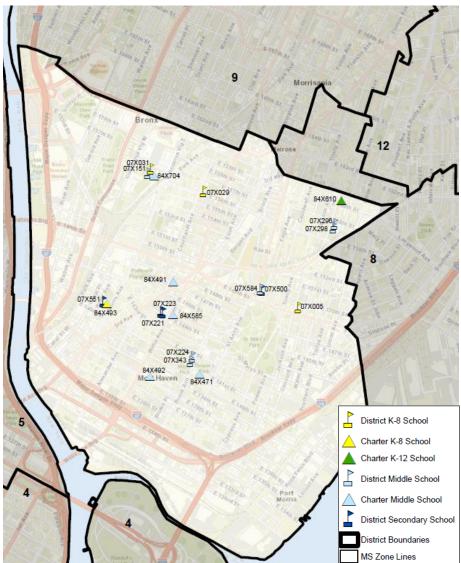
- District 7 elementary schools have been un-zoned since 2013.
- The existence of zones that are not used in the middle school admissions process creates inconsistency and confusion for families.
- Un-zoning would remove the historic middle school zones and promote consistency between the zoning and the middle school admissions process.



• Removing zone lines can assist the district in promoting equity and access across schools for all students.



District 7 – After Implementation of Proposed Unzoning





Effects of Middle School Unzoning

- Complements the elementary school admissions process.
- Promotes consistency with the middle school admissions process.
- All students and residents of District 7 would be treated consistently in admissions regardless of their area of residence.
- Since zones are not used in the middle school admissions process, unzoning would only impact students new to the district.
- Removing zone lines would align the formal status of District 7 with the priorities listed in the middle school directory and used in the middle school admissions process.



Rezoning Process and Timeline

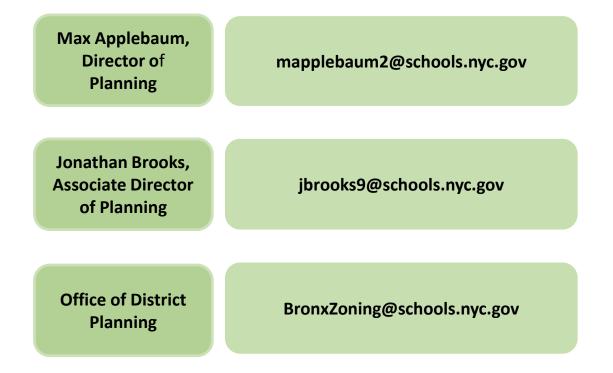
| (1) Need is Identified | (2) Community Engagement | (3) Draft Presentation of Proposal | (4) Official Presentation of Proposal | (5) CEC Votes |
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| The need to rezone or unzone can be raised by the DOE, the CEC, schools, or the community. | Conversations with the CEC, school principals and communities, and elected officials. Feedback informs new zone lines. Community conversations continue throughout the rezoning process. | A proposal for zone line changes is presented publicly to the CEC by the Office of District Planning and the Superintendent. There are opportunities for public comment. | Proposal is re- presented with any necessary changes | • CEC votes within 45 days after a proposal is submitted. If the unzoning is proposed and approved by the CEC, zones would no longer be used for placement beginning in Fall 2019. |
| Timeline for 2019 I | mplementation | | | |



Questions and Discussion



Office of District Planning Contact Information





Appendix



Enrollment, Utilization, and Demographics Current School Year (2018-2019)

| School | Has Zone in 2018-2019 | Grade Span | Org Capacity ¹ | 2018-2019 Enrollment ² | Org Utilization ³ | Percent Non- White ⁴ | | |
|--|--------------------------|---------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|--|
| Middle Schools | | | | | | | | |
| J.H.S. 151 Lou Gehrig (07X151) | Yes | 6-8 | 393 | 230 | 59% | 98% | | |
| P.S./I.S. 224 (07X224) | Yes | 6-8 | 422 | 328 | 78% | 99% | | |
| South Bronx Academy for Applied Media (07X296) | Yes | 6-8 | 482 | 231 | 48% | 99% | | |
| Academy of Public Relations (07X298) | Yes | 6-8 | 349 | 266 | 76% | 98% | | |
| Academy of Applied Mathematics and Technology (07X343) | Yes | 6-8 | 475 | 307 | 65% | 99% | | |
| I.S. 584 (07X584) | | 6-8 | 373 | 247 | 66% | 100% | | |
| K-8 Schools | | | | | | | | |
| P.S. 5 Port Morris (07X005) | | PK-8 | 698 | 729 | 104% | 97% | | |
| P.S./M.S. 029 Melrose School (07X029) | | PK-8 | 859 | 795 | 93% | 99% | | |
| P.S./M.S. 031 The William Lloyd Garrison (07X031) | | PK-8 | 817 | 716 | 88% | 97% | | |
| Secondary Schools | | | | | | | | |
| South Bronx Preparatory: A College Board School (07X221) | | 6-12 | 759 | 657 | 87% | 98% | | |
| The Laboratory School of Finance and Technology: X223 (07X223) | Yes | 6-12 | 656 | 662 | 101% | 99% | | |
| Hostos-Lincoln Academy of Science (07X500) | | 6-12 | 528 | 547 | 104% | 99% | | |
| The Urban Assembly Bronx Academy of Letters (07X551) | | 6-12 | 776 | 587 | 76% | 97% | | |

¹2017-2018 Blue Book

² 2018 Audited Register

³ Utilization is calculated from 2018 Audited Register for enrollment and 2017-2018 Blue Book for capacity.

⁴ Calculated from the 2017-2018 Demographic Snapshot



Enrollment, Utilization, and Demographics Year of Implementation (2019-2020)

| School | Has Zone in 2018-2019 | Grade Span | Org Capacity | Projected Enrollment | Projected Org Utilization | Projected Percent Non- White | | |
|---|--------------------------|---------------|-----------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|--|
| Middle Schools | | | | | | | | |
| J.H.S. 151 Lou Gehrig (07X151) | Yes | 6-8 | 393 | 215 - 245 | 57% - 60% | 96% - 100% | | |
| P.S./I.S. 224 (07X224) | Yes | 6-8 | 422 | 315 - 345 | 77% - 79% | 97% - 101% | | |
| South Bronx Academy for Applied Media (07X296) | Yes | 6-8 | 482 | 215 - 245 | 47% - 49% | 97% - 101% | | |
| Academy of Public Relations (07X298) | Yes | 6-8 | 349 | 250 - 280 | 74% - 77% | 96% - 100% | | |
| Academy of Applied Mathematics and Technology (07X343) | Yes | 6-8 | 475 | 290 - 320 | 63% - 65% | 97% - 101% | | |
| I.S. 584 (07X584) | | 6-8 | 373 | 230 - 260 | 64% - 67% | 98% - 102% | | |
| K-8 Schools | | | | | | | | |
| P.S. 5 Port Morris (07X005) | | РК-8 | 698 | 680 - 780 | 104% - 105% | 95% - 99% | | |
| P.S./M.S. 029 Melrose School (07X029) | | РК-8 | 859 | 745 - 845 | 92% - 93% | 97% - 101% | | |
| P.S./M.S. 031 The William Lloyd Garrison (07X031) | | РК-8 | 817 | 665 - 765 | 87% - 88% | 95% - 99% | | |
| Secondary Schools | | | | | | | | |
| South Bronx Preparatory: A College Board School (07X221) | | 6-12 | 759 | 620 - 690 | 86% - 87% | 96% - 100% | | |
| The Laboratory School of Finance and Technology: X223 (07X223) | Yes | 6-12 | 656 | 625 - 695 | 100% - 101% | 97% - 101% | | |
| Hostos-Lincoln Academy of Science (07X500) | | 6-12 | 528 | 510 - 580 | 102% - 104% | 97% - 101% | | |
| The Urban Assembly Bronx Academy of Letters (07X551) | | 6-12 | 776 | 550 - 620 | 75% - 76% | 95% - 99% | | |

