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### RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THAT THE METROPOLITAN TRANSIT AUTHORITY  
CONTINUE THE Q102 BUS SERVICE TO ALL POINTS ON ROOSEVELT ISLAND,  
INCLUDING COLER HOSPITAL

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**WHEREAS**, the current Q102 Bus Service, offered by the Metropolitan Transit Authority (“MTA”), provides the only form of public transportation by bus, that travels to northern points on Roosevelt Island, and off-Island to other points in Queens County; and

**WHEREAS**, the current Q102 Bus Service is available to all residents at both north and south points of Roosevelt Island, in particular, Coler Hospital, where many Roosevelt Island senior and disabled residents reside; and

**WHEREAS**, on December 31, 2019, the MTA announced its proposed plan to redraw certain bus routes in its Queens Bus Network Redesign plan, that would eliminate Q102 Bus Service to and around Coler Hospital, located at the northern part of Roosevelt Island and no longer service Island residents north of the Helix Ramp; and

**WHEREAS**, the proposed elimination of the Q102 Bus Service to Coler Hospital would create an undue burden for senior and disabled residents who use the bus as their only means of transportation off-Island to locations in Queens County, as well as Coler Hospital employees that rely on said service to get to work and care for our seniors and disabled residents; and

**WHEREAS**, this matter was raised to the Roosevelt Island Operation Corporation (“RIOC”), Board of Directors’ attention at the Board of Directors meeting held on January 30, 2020, where said concerns were discussed;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Roosevelt Island Operating Corporation Board of Directors hereby respectfully requests that the MTA continue the Q102 Bus Service to all current locations on Roosevelt Island, including Coler Hospital, for the members of the Roosevelt Island community, in particular senior and disabled residents who rely on this service as a means of transportation off Roosevelt Island.