

SAVE FORT GREENE PARK'S MATURE SHADE TREES

FRIENDS OF FORT GREENE PARK

NYC PARKS DEPARTMENT PLANS **TO CUT DOWN 78 MATURE TREES** AND PAVE 13,000 SQ FT OF FORT GREENE PARK. YOUR NEIGHBORS ARE SPEAKING OUT. WE OFFER AN ALTERNATIVE.

FFGP COUNTERPROPOSAL

Preserve, Restore, Enhance

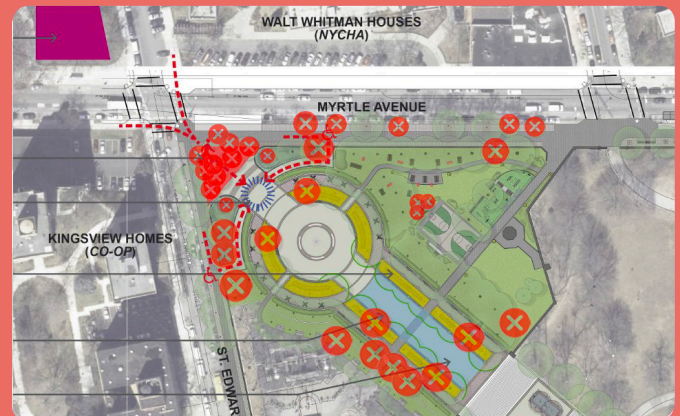
Friends of Fort Greene Park Counter-Proposal



- Improve accessibility, drainage, benches
- Limit concrete, keep it green and human-scale
- Preserve grove of healthy shade trees and their canopy
- Preserve and restore historic A.E. Bye designs
- Upgrade playgrounds, fountains, public facilities
- Improve sustainability and retaining walls

NYC PARKS PROPOSAL

Creating a Heat Island for Decades



- Remove 78 mature, healthy, shade-providing trees
- Severely prune remaining canopy for residential monument views
- Replace healthy shade trees with saplings
- Pave over grassy mounds and greenspace with a hardscape
- Dramatically reduce shade, cooling, pollution-mitigation for decades

Write an email request for a meeting between Friends of Fort Greene Park and Parks Commissioner Iris Rodriguez-Rosa at this link:

- <https://www.nyc.gov/assets/home/mail/html/mailedpr.html>

Write a personal email to, or call, her Chief of Staff, Claudia Cereceda:

- claudia.cereceda@parks.nyc.gov
- Phone 212-360-3417



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