Dear Residents and Business Owners of the Historic Down Town Area of Jersey City,

We understand that numerous events and community improvement initiatives are occurring daily within our district and this may cause confusion and frustration specifically on the Newark Avenue Pedestrian Mall and the surrounding area. Prior to reaching out to City Hall, please contact the HDSID first. This can be done by:

a. Please contact Rachel at rachel.hdsid@gmail.com
b. Come to our monthly meetings! The HDSID monthly meetings are held every third Tuesday of the month in the Caucus Room, City Hall
c. If you would like a private meeting, please contact our office to schedule a date and time at 201-547-3554

Also, we will update our website, www.jcdowntown.org, with any issues pertaining to our district.

The HDSID has certain updates that it wishes to share with everyone in hopes that some concerns might be alleviated:

Newark Avenue Pedestrian Mall

- PSEG
  PSEG were initially supposed to conclude their work on the Pedestrian Mall approximately a week ago but unfortunately due to some unforeseen circumstances the work has been extended to September 10th.

- Tables/ Chairs
  The City has purchased covers to essentially “lock up” the tables and chairs for after hours. This will hopefully curb any issues associated with individuals drinking and loitering. At night, the HDSID cleaning crew will cover the stationary tables and benches at the end of the shift (depending on the day: seven, eight and on the weekend, nine o’clock) while the other outdoor furniture will be placed in storage as is our current procedure.

- Pedestrian Mall Operating Plan
  Kindly visit the website for the final version of the Pedestrian Mall Operating Plan: www.jerseycitynj.gov/PedestrianMall
  The operating plan contains information regarding loading zones, public safety and everything else pertaining to the rules and regulations.

- Garbage
  Please do not place your household/ business garbage in the receptacles on and around the Pedestrian Mall.

If you have any further questions or concerns, please contact our office at 201-547-3554.

Thank you,
Historic Downtown Special Improvement District Jersey City