



# Leveraging Community Partnerships in New York

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## 2023 ADC IIF X Breakout Session Nomination Form

- **Submitted By:** USAG Fort Hamilton, Brooklyn, NY
- **Topic / Title:** Leveraging Community Partnerships in New York
- **Presenters:** Mr. Trevor Loew, DFMWR Director
- **ADC Key Program / Forum Track:** *(Select one or more of the following)*
  - Improving Installation-Community Partnerships
  - Supporting Military Family Quality of Life
  - Leveraging State and Federal Infrastructure and Workforce Programs
  - Developing Resilient Installations and Communities
- **Concept / Description:** Present how USAG Fort Hamilton leverages its New York City and State partnerships. Utilizing existing programs these partnerships are providing numerous no/low cost program opportunities for installation personnel and their families. In an era of fiscal restraint and lessening resources, garnering partnerships with local community entities can create cost benefits to the government.
- **Learning Objectives:** Attendees will be provided how agencies can provide no/low-cost activities to military affiliated personnel and their families and gain positive publicity. Multiple opportunities and programs can enhance quality of life for the garrison community and can potentially reduce turnover.







● Priority 3.1 Leverage Community Partnerships To Create Cost Saving Programs and Activities

Lead: DFMWR

Support: DPW & DHR

## 3.0 SOLDIER & FAMILY PROGRAMS

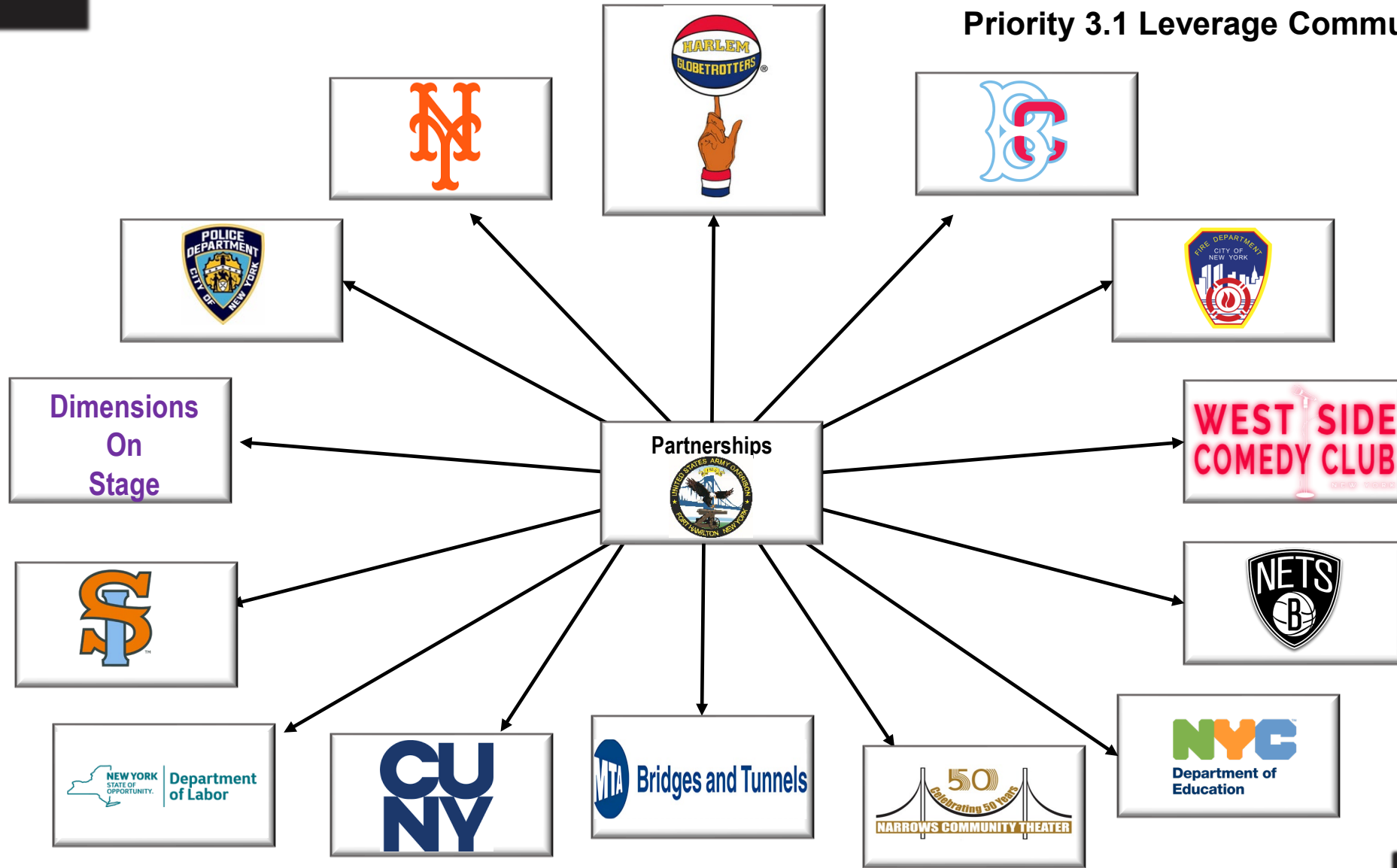
<u>Issue</u>	<u>Resource Requirements / (Bill Payer)</u> (Money/Manpower/Equipment etc.)
<p>In era of fiscal restraint and lessening resources garnering partnerships with local community entities can create cost benefits to the government.</p>	<p>These relationships are allowing the Army to save thousands in budgeted costs and allowing Soldiers and their families to save hundreds on quality professional events/services</p>
<u>Assessment</u>	<u>Success Story</u>
<p><u>Current condition:</u> Seven (7) partnerships leveraged in FY23</p> <p><u>2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; 3<sup>rd</sup> Order Effects:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Creating partnerships and leveraging existing programs provides numerous opportunities for installation personnel and their families</li> <li>• Multiple opportunities and programs enhance quality of life for the garrison community and can potentially reduce turnover</li> <li>• Agencies providing no/low-cost activities to military affiliated personnel and their families gain positive publicity</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Relationships with:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• FDNY</li> <li>• NYPD</li> <li>• NYC Dept of Ed – Office of Pupil Transportation</li> <li>• NYC MTA – Tunnels &amp; Bridges</li> <li>• NYC – Administration of Child Services</li> <li>• NY State Dept of Labor</li> <li>• American Red Cross</li> <li>• Various sports teams</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><u>Return on Investment</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Better communication and service delivery</li> <li>• Increased community morale</li> <li>• Access to otherwise cost prohibitive programs</li> </ul>

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# 3.0 SOLDIER & FAMILY PROGRAMS

## Priority 3.1 Leverage Community Partnerships



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# Fire Department Of New York City (FDNY)

## USAG Fort Hamilton Gains:

- Fire Protection
- EMS Response
- Fire Prevention Education Partner
- Resident peace of mind
- Smoke house trainer

## 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Order Effects:

- FDNY partnership creates lasting relationships (9/11)
- Thousands of dollars in savings (no need to budget for fire protection or EMS services)
- Fitness Center Utilization



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# Youth Programming

## USAG Fort Hamilton Gains:

Free QOL Youth Programming  
(5 shows per FY/ 10 Military  
Dependents per show)  
NAF Revenue \$17,000



## • 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Order Effects:

- Military Family Savings
- \$2500 cost savings per Military Dependent
- Free Show Attendance for Military Families



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# NYC Dept of Ed – Office of Pupil Transportation

## USAG Fort Hamilton Gains:

CYS School Age Children have reliable transportation from CYS to school and back

USAG FH School Age Children (non-CYS) also have same reliable transportation

## 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Order Effects:

- USAG Fort Hamilton unique in NYC area (most residents rely on mass transit vice school busses)
- Command Deck relationship with NY Dept of Education
- Expedited Issue Response



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# NYS Dept of Environmental Conservation

## USAG Fort Hamilton Gains:

- Earth Day Education & Outreach
- Water Testing Support
- Natural Resources Assessment
- Fuel Facility Project Discussions

## • 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Order Effects:

- Pollution Prevention
- Expeditious Emergency Response
- Renewable Energy Initiatives



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# NYC – Sports Partnerships

USAG Fort Hamilton Gains:  
Quality of Life Initiatives  
Youth Sports Clinics and  
Programming

• 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Order Effects:

- Military Family Cost Savings
- Health and Fitness
- SM Appreciation and Recognition
- Networking & Support
- Family Engagement



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# NYC Mass Transit Authority – Tunnels & Bridges

## USAG Fort Hamilton Gains:

Increased Security Posture at Main ACP



## 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Order Effects:

- Command Deck relationship with NYC MTA
- Potential for Main Gate Aesthetics & Sound Reduction Improvement



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# NYS Dept of Labor – Spouse Employment

## USAG Fort Hamilton Gains:

- Employment Opportunities
- Career Counseling
- Job Placement Services
- Education & Training
- Resume Building
- Military Spouse Flexible Schedule & Remote options support

## • 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Order Effects:

- Financial Stability for Military HHs
- Military Family Community Integration



**Department of Labor**

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