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**READOUT OF MAYOR DE BLASIO'S CALL WITH PRIME
MINISTER OF GREECE ALEXIS TSIPRAS**

Mayor Bill de Blasio called Greek Prime Minister Alexis Tsipras Thursday morning to congratulate him on his victory, and to commend him for forcefully raising the issue of inequality during his campaign. The Mayor expressed New York City's solidarity with Greece in the joint struggle against inequality, and commented on how the Prime Minister's victory sends a powerful message to progressives across the world. The Prime Minister expressed his admiration for New York City, and called it one of the most extraordinary cities in the world. The Prime Minister invited the Mayor to visit Greece, and the Mayor expressed interest in visiting in the future.

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