



THE CITY OF NEW YORK
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10007

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 62

DECEMBER 23, 1993

NEW YORK CITY COMMISSION AND MAYOR'S TASK FORCE ON THE
REDEVELOPMENT OF NAVAL STATION NEW YORK

WHEREAS, despite substantial efforts by the City and its Congressional delegation to keep Naval Station New York (the "Homeport") at Staten Island, the United States government has indicated that it intends to close the Homeport; and

WHEREAS, the City is now faced with the challenge of finding an alternative use for the Homeport in order to redress the impact of the base closure and provide new economic development benefits to the City; and

WHEREAS, a careful assessment of the various alternatives is necessary in order to develop a plan to utilize the Homeport site and its facilities to achieve their potential; and

WHEREAS, development of a plan can best be achieved by involving community and business leaders in the process;

NOW, THEREFORE, by the power vested in me as Mayor of the City of New York, it is hereby ordered as follows:

Section 1. New York City Commission on the Redevelopment of Naval Station New York.

a. Establishment of Commission. There is hereby established the New York City Commission on the Redevelopment of Naval Station New York (the "Commission"). The Deputy Mayor for Finance and Economic Development or his or her designee shall act as liaison with the Commission.

b. Membership of Commission. The Members of the Commission shall include business leaders, representatives of cultural, civic, and social service organizations, and individuals residing in the community in which the Homeport site is located. The Mayor shall designate the Chair of the Commission.

c. Functions of Commission. The functions and duties of the Commission shall be:

- (i) in consultation with the Task Force hereinafter established, to assess various alternatives and recommendations for reuse of the Homeport site and the facilities thereon;
- (ii) to develop and recommend to the Task Force and the Deputy Mayor for Finance and Economic Development a plan to utilize the Homeport site and the facilities thereon to their full potential; and

(iii) to perform such other related functions as the Mayor may direct.

Section 2. Mayor's Task Force on the Redevelopment of Naval Station New York.

a. Establishment of Task Force. There is hereby established a Task Force on the Redevelopment of Naval Station New York (the "Task Force"). The Task Force shall report to the Deputy Mayor for Finance and Economic Development.

b. Membership of Task Force. The following shall participate in the Task Force: The Department of Business Services; the Economic Policy and Marketing Group; the Department of Parks and Recreation; the Department of Environmental Protection; the Department of City Planning; the Department of Transportation; the Department of Sanitation; and the Department of Employment. The New York City Economic Development Corporation has agreed to participate in the Task Force.

c. Functions. The functions and duties of the Task Force shall be:

- (i) to assist the Commission in assessing alternatives and recommendations for the reuse of the Homeport site;
- (ii) to evaluate on behalf of the Deputy Mayor for Finance and Economic Development the plan proposed by the Commission for utilization of the Homeport site and the facilities thereon; and

- (iii) to perform such other related functions as the Mayor may direct.

Section 3. Cooperation of City Agencies. All City Agencies are directed to cooperate with the Commission and Task Force in carrying out their activities.

Section 4. Effective Date. This Order shall take effect immediately.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. N. Dinkins", is written over a horizontal line.

DAVID N. DINKINS
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