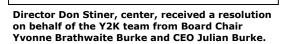
Sigh of Relief, CEO Says

Board, CEO
Congratulate
Y2K Team
for Smooth
Transition to Year
2000

(Jan. 27) After two years of hard work preparing for the Year 2000, it was time to congratulate the MTA's Y2K team.



At Thursday's Board meeting, Chair Yvonne

Brathwaite Burke presented a resolution to the team "as a token of our appreciation of the hard work that was done by all the employees."

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Staff did a great job

"Y2K was an issue world-wide, but the MTA took the issue seriously and staff worked very hard for the past two years," Burke said, with the Y2K team assembled in the Board room. "The staff did a great job of mobilizing and addressing issues of concern...."



The Y2K team was on hand to receive the MTA Board's congratulations for a job well done.

CEO Julian Burke added his "personal thanks and congratulations to the team for a job well done." He had special praise for Y2K team director, Don Stiner, who, he said, "kept the team focused and ontrack with a meticulously detailed schedule that needed to be changed almost every day...."

"As a result of the team's effort," the CEO said, "the MTA transitioned to the Year 2000 without incident and we all breathed - in unison - a sigh of relief."

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