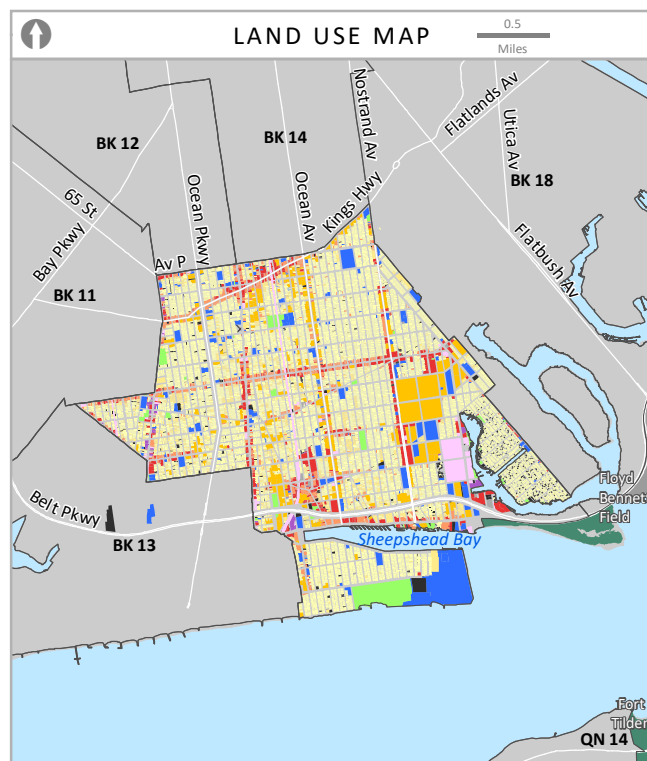


Brooklyn Community District 15



Neighborhoods¹: Gerritsen Beach, Gravesend, Homecrest, Kings Highway, Manhattan Beach, Plumb Beach, Sheepshead Bay

POPULATION & DENSITY		
2000 ²	2010 ³	2000-2010
160,319	159,650	0%
2013-2017 Estimate ⁴		154,037
Square Miles		4.7
Population Density		33,968/sq mi



Land Use Category	# Lots	% Lot Area
1 & 2 Family Bldgs	17,711	49%
Multifamily Walk-up	2,158	8%
Multifamily Elevator	288	10%
Mixed Use	1,221	4%
Commercial	653	5%
Industrial	34	0%
Transportation/Utility	68	4%
Public/Institutional	251	8%
Open Space	53	4%
Parking	174	1%
Vacant	661	6%
Other	62	1%

COMMUNITY BOARD PERSPECTIVES

Top 3 pressing issues identified by Brooklyn Community Board 15 in 2019:

1. Traffic
2. Transit
3. Trash removal & cleanliness

To learn more, please read Brooklyn CD 15's Statement of Community District Needs and Community Board Budget Requests for Fiscal Year 2021.

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Map Source: PLUTO 19v2

A Snapshot of Key Community Indicators

COMMUNITY ASSETS ⁵	
Public Schools	23
Public Libraries	6
Hospitals and Clinics	18
Parks	11
Click to visit the NYC Facilities Explorer	

RENT BURDEN ^{4, 6}	
Brooklyn CD 15	Brooklyn
48%	46%
of households spend 35% or more of their income on rent	NYC
	45%

ACCESS TO PARKS ⁷	
Brooklyn CD 15	Citywide Target
76%	85%
of residents live within walking distance of a park or open space	

MEAN COMMUTE TO WORK ^{4, 8}	
Brooklyn CD 15	Brooklyn
45	42 minutes
minutes	NYC
	41 minutes

LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY ⁴	
Brooklyn CD 15	Brooklyn
35%	23%
of residents 5 years or older have limited English proficiency	NYC
	23%

CRIME RATE ⁹	
Brooklyn CD 15	Brooklyn
7.9	11.2
major felonies were reported per 1,000 residents in 2017	NYC
	11.8

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT ^{4, 10}	
Brooklyn CD 15	Brooklyn
40%	35%
of residents 25 years or older have earned a bachelor's degree or higher	NYC
	37%

UNEMPLOYMENT ^{4, 10}	
Brooklyn CD 15	Brooklyn
4.1%	5.1%
of the civilian labor force was unemployed on average from 2013 to 2017	NYC
	4.9%

NYCgov POVERTY MEASURE ¹¹	
Brooklyn CD 15	Brooklyn
19%	21%
of residents have incomes below the NYCgov poverty threshold. See the federal poverty rate here.	NYC
	20%

¹Neighborhoods may be in multiple districts. Names and boundaries are not officially designated. ²2000 US Census; ³2010 US Census; ⁴American Community Survey 2013-2017 5-Year Estimates, calculated for Public Use Microdata Areas (PUMAs). PUMAs are geographic approximations of community districts. ⁵NYC Dept of City Planning Facilities Database (2019); ⁶Differences of less than 3 percentage points are not statistically meaningful. ⁷NYC Dept of Parks and Recreation (DPR) (2019). DPR considers walking distance to be 1/4 mile for parks less than 6 acres, and 1/2 mile for larger parks and pools. ⁸Differences of less than 2 minutes are not statistically meaningful. ⁹NYPD CompStat, Historic Complaint Data (2018); ¹⁰Differences of less than 2 percentage points are not statistically meaningful. ¹¹2013-2017 NYCgov Poverty Measure by PUMA. This metric from the Mayor's Office for Economic Opportunity accounts for NYC's high cost of housing, as well as other costs of living and anti-poverty benefits.