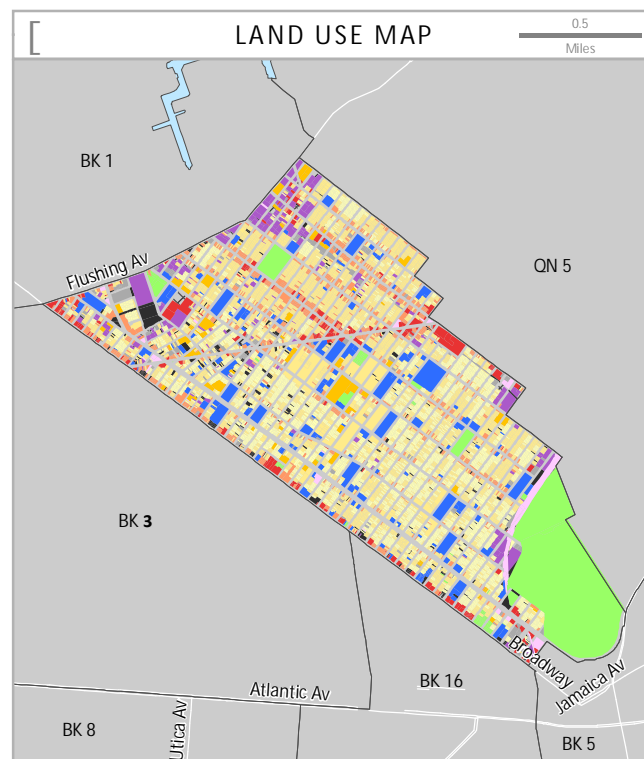


# Brooklyn Community District 4

Neighborhoods<sup>1</sup>: Bushwick

POPULATION & DENSITY		
2000 <sup>2</sup>	2010 <sup>3</sup>	2000-2010
104,358	112,634	+8%
2011-2015 Estimate <sup>4</sup>		136,730
Square Miles		2.0
Population Density		56,317/sq mi



Land Use Category	# Lots	% Lot Area
1 & 2 Family Bldgs	4,161	21%
Multifamily Walk-up	4,516	29%
Multifamily Elevator	68	3%
Mixed Use	1,123	7%
Commercial	212	4%
Industrial	192	5%
Transportation/Utility	33	1%
Public/Institutional	191	9%
Open Space	102	16%
Parking	296	3%
Vacant	275	2%
Other	76	1%

## COMMUNITY BOARD PERSPECTIVES

Top 3 pressing issues identified by Brooklyn Community Board 4 in 2017:

1. Affordable housing
2. Neighborhood preservation
3. Schools

To learn more, please read [Brooklyn CD 4's Statements of Community District Needs and Community Board Budget Requests for Fiscal Year 2018](#).

Website: [www.nyc.gov/brooklyncb4](http://www.nyc.gov/brooklyncb4)

Email: [bk04@cb.nyc.gov](mailto:bk04@cb.nyc.gov)

[Click here for a more detailed land use map of Brooklyn CD 4](#)

## A Snapshot of Key Community Indicators

COMMUNITY ASSETS <sup>5</sup>	
Public Schools	51
Public Libraries	2
Hospitals and Clinics	14
Parks	14
<a href="#">Click to visit the NYC Facilities Explorer</a>	

RENT BURDEN <sup>4, 6</sup>	
Brooklyn CD 4	Brooklyn
<b>49%</b>	46%
of households spend 35% or more of their income on rent	NYC
	45%

ACCESS TO PARKS <sup>7</sup>	
Brooklyn CD 4	Citywide Target
<b>88%</b>	85%
of residents live within walking distance of a park or open space	

MEAN COMMUTE TO WORK <sup>4, 8</sup>	
Brooklyn CD 4	Brooklyn
<b>40</b>	42
minutes	minutes
	NYC
	40
	minutes

LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY <sup>4</sup>	
Brooklyn CD 4	Brooklyn
<b>30.1%</b>	23.6%
of residents 5 years or older have limited English proficiency	NYC
	23.1%

CRIME RATE <sup>9</sup>	
Brooklyn CD 4	Brooklyn
<b>11.9</b>	11.2
major felonies were reported per 1,000 residents in 2016	NYC
	11.8

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT <sup>4, 10</sup>	
Brooklyn CD 4	Brooklyn
<b>21%</b>	33%
of residents 25 years or older have earned a bachelor's degree or higher	NYC
	36%

UNEMPLOYMENT <sup>4, 10</sup>	
Brooklyn CD 4	Brooklyn
<b>14.2%</b>	10%
of the civilian labor force was unemployed on average from 2011 to 2015	NYC
	9.5%

POVERTY <sup>4, 10</sup>	
Brooklyn CD 4	Brooklyn
<b>29%</b>	23%
of residents had incomes below the poverty level	NYC
	21%

<sup>1</sup>Neighborhoods may be in multiple districts. Names and boundaries are not officially designated. <sup>2</sup>2000 US Census; <sup>3</sup>2010 US Census; <sup>4</sup>American Community Survey 2011-2015 5-Year Estimates, calculated for Public Use Microdata Areas (PUMAs). PUMAs are geographic approximations of community districts. <sup>5</sup>NYC Dept of City Planning Facilities Database (2017); <sup>6</sup>Differences of less than 3 percentage points are not statistically meaningful. <sup>7</sup>NYC Dept of Parks and Recreation (DPR) (2016). DPR considers walking distance to be 1/4 mile for parks less than 6 acres, and 1/2 mile for larger parks and pools.

<sup>8</sup>Differences of less than 2 minutes are not statistically meaningful. <sup>9</sup>NYPD CompStat, Historic Complaint Data (2017); <sup>10</sup>Differences of less than 2 percentage points are not statistically meaningful.