## **Queens Community District 6**



Neighborhoods<sup>1</sup>: Forest Hills, Forest Hills Gardens, Rego Park

POPULATION & DENSITY			
2000 <sup>2</sup>	2010 <sup>3</sup>		2000-2010
115,967	113,257		-2%
2012-2016 Est	.6 Estimate <sup>4</sup>		114,637
Square Miles			3
Population Density		37,752/sq mi	

## **COMMUNITY BOARD PERSPECTIVES**

Top 3 pressing issues identified by Queens Community Board 6 in 2018:

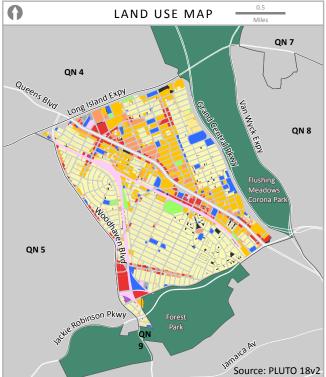
- 1. Schools
- 2. Senior services
- 3. Transit (buses & subways)

To learn more, please read Queens CD 6's Statements of Community District Needs and Community Board Budget Requests for Fiscal Year 2020.

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		% Lot
Land Use Categor	y # Lots	Area
1 & 2 Family B	ldgs 8,451	48%
Multifamily W	alk-up 519	5%
Multifamily Ele	evator 307	19%
Mixed Use	380	7%
Commercial	262	7%
Industrial	3	0%
Transportation	/Utility 40	3%
Public/Institut	ional 96	6%
Open Space	13	2%
Parking	113	1%
Vacant	149	1%
<b>X</b> Other	6	0%
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Click here for a more detailed land use map of Queens CD 6

## A Snapshot of Key Community Indicators

	COMMUNITY ASSETS⁵		
	Public Schools	21	
	Public Libraries	3	
	Hospitals and Clinics	7	
	Parks	5	
Click to visit the NYC Facilities Explorer		es Explorer	

RENT	BURD	EN <sup>4, 6</sup>

Queens CD 6 45%

of households spend 35% or more of their income on rent

Queens 48%	
NYC	

45%

## ACCESS TO PARKS<sup>7</sup>

Queens CD 6

75%

of residents live within walking distance of a park or open space

Citywide **Target** 85%

MEAN COMMUTE TO WORK*, *		
Queens CD 6	Queens	
42	43 minutes	
minutes	NYC	
	40	

**EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT** 

Queens CD 6

55%

of residents 25 years or older have earned a

bachelor's degree or higher

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NYC	
40	ı
minutes	
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36%

MENT <sup>4, 10</sup>	
Queens 31%	
NYC	

LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY <sup>4</sup>		
Queens CD 6	Queens	
26%	29%	
of residents 5 years or	NYC	
older have limited English proficiency	23%	

UNEMPLOYMENT <sup>4, 10</sup>			
Queens CD 6	Queens		
3.7%	5%		
of the civilian labor force	NYC		
was unemployed on average from 2012 to 2016	5.5%		

CRIME RATE <sup>9</sup>			
Queens CD 6  5.4	Queens 8.7		
major felonies were reported per 1,000 residents in 2016	NYC 11.8		

NYCgov POVERTY	MEASURE <sup>11</sup>
Queens CD 6	Queens
16%	20%
of residents have incomes below	NYC
the NYCgov poverty threshold. See the federal poverty rate here.	20%
see the reactar poverty rate here.	

<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 2012-2016 5-Year Estimates, calculated for Public Use Microdata Areas (PUMAs). PUMAs are geographic approximations of community districts. 5NYC Dept of City Planning Facilities Database (2017); 6 Differences of less than 3 percentage points are not statistically meaningful. 7NYC 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. <sup>11</sup>2011-2015 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.