# Queens Community District 2



Neighborhoods<sup>1</sup>: Blissville, Hunters Point, Long Island City, Sunnyside, Sunnyside Gardens, Woodside

Land Use Category

Mixed Use

Commercial

Open Space

Industrial

Parking

Vacant

₩ Other

1 & 2 Family Bldgs

Multifamily Elevator

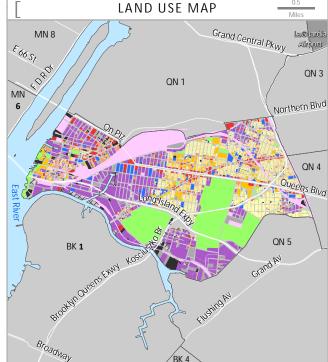
Public/Institutional

Multifamily Walk-up 2,587

Transportation/Utility 124

POPULATION & DENSITY			
2000 <sup>2</sup>	2010 <sup>3</sup>		2000-2010
109,920	113,200		+3%
2011-2015 Estimate <sup>4</sup>			138,596
Square Miles			5.0
Population Density		22	2,640/sg mi





Click here for a more detailed land use map of Queens CD 2

park or open space

#### COMMUNITY BOARD PERSPECTIVES

Top 3 pressing issues identified by Queens Community Board 2 in 2017:

- 1. Affordable housing
- 2. Health care services
- 3. Schools

To learn more, please read Queens CD 2's Statements of Community District Needs and Community Board Budget Requests for Fiscal Year 2018.

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### A Snapshot of Key Community Indicators

# Lots

4,729

194

651

423

938

52

495

405

53

Area

12%

9%

5%

3%

5%

7%

4%

6%

6%

16%

26%

COMMUNITY ASSETS <sup>5</sup>		
Public Schools	41	
Public Libraries	3	
Hospitals and Clinics	7	
Parks	18	
Click to visit the NYC Facilities Explorer		

RENT BURDEN <sup>4, 6</sup>	
Queens CD 2	Queens 48%
45%	4070
of households spend 35% or	NYC
more of their income on rent	45%

ACCESS TO PARKS7 Queens CD 2 Citywide 76% **Target** 85% of residents live within walking distance of a

MEAN	COMMUTE	TC	WORK <sup>4,8</sup>

Queens CD 2	Queens
38	43 minutes
minutes	NYC
	40

## LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY<sup>4</sup> Oueens CD 2

Queens 28.8%
NYC 23.1%

CRIME RATE <sup>9</sup>		
Queens CD 2 7.5	Queens 9.1	
major felonies were reported per 1,000 residents in 2016	NYC 11.8	

#### EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT 4, 10

Queens CD 2 37%	Queens 30%
of residents 25 years or older have earned a bachelor's degree or higher	NYC 36%

UNEMPLOYMENT <sup>4, 10</sup>	
Queens CD 2 5.9%	Queens 8.6%
of the civilian labor force was unemployed on average from 2011 to 2015	NYC 9.5%

POVERTY <sup>4, 10</sup>		
Queens CD 2 15%	Queens 15%	
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 minutes are not statistically meaningful.