

Brooklyn Community District 16



Neighborhoods¹: Broadway Junction, Brownsville, Ocean Hill

POPULATION & DENSITY		
2000 ²	2010 ³	2000-2010
85,343	86,468	+1%
2013-2017 Estimate ⁴		121,459
Square Miles		1.9
Population Density		45,509/sq mi



COMMUNITY BOARD PERSPECTIVES

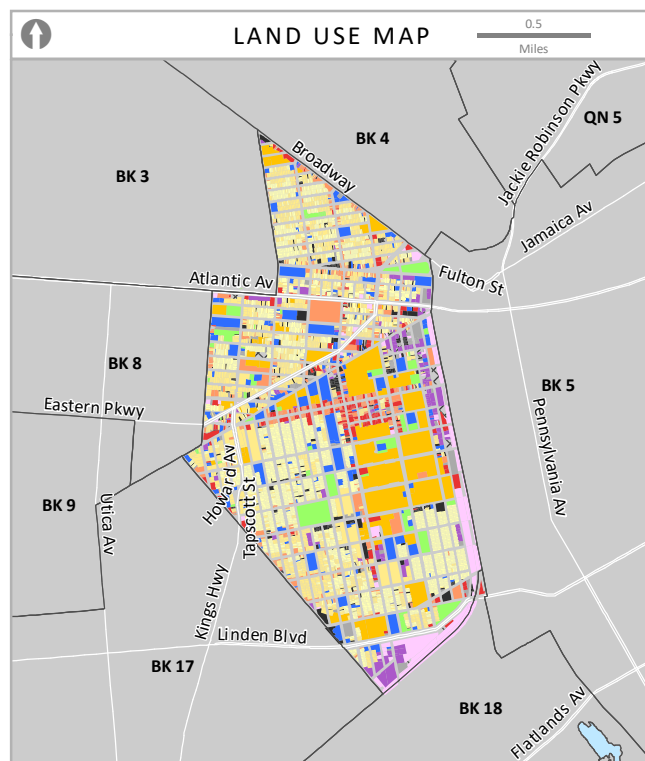
Top 3 pressing issues identified by Brooklyn Community Board 16 in 2019:

1. Affordable housing
2. Health care services
3. Youth and children's services

To learn more, please read Brooklyn CD 16's Statement of Community District Needs and Community Board Budget Requests for Fiscal Year 2021.

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Land Use Category	# Lots	% Lot Area
1 & 2 Family Bldgs	3,745	22%
Multifamily Walk-up	2,383	20%
Multifamily Elevator	66	16%
Mixed Use	622	7%
Commercial	215	4%
Industrial	139	4%
Transportation/Utility	98	6%
Public/Institutional	211	9%
Open Space	66	5%
Parking	158	2%
Vacant	391	4%
Other	60	1%



Map Source: PLUTO 19v2

A Snapshot of Key Community Indicators

COMMUNITY ASSETS ⁵	
Public Schools	34
Public Libraries	3
Hospitals and Clinics	9
Parks	17
Click to visit the NYC Facilities Explorer	

RENT BURDEN ^{4, 6}	
Brooklyn CD 16	Brooklyn
54%	46%
of households spend 35% or more of their income on rent	NYC
	45%

ACCESS TO PARKS ⁷	
Brooklyn CD 16	Citywide Target
99%	85%
of residents live within walking distance of a park or open space	

MEAN COMMUTE TO WORK ^{4, 8}	
Brooklyn CD 16	Brooklyn
47	42 minutes
minutes	NYC
	41 minutes

LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY ⁴	
Brooklyn CD 16	Brooklyn
10%	23%
of residents 5 years or older have limited English proficiency	NYC
	23%

CRIME RATE ⁹	
Brooklyn CD 16	Brooklyn
12.6	11.2
major felonies were reported per 1,000 residents in 2017	NYC
	11.8

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT ^{4, 10}	
Brooklyn CD 16	Brooklyn
14%	35%
of residents 25 years or older have earned a bachelor's degree or higher	NYC
	37%

UNEMPLOYMENT ^{4, 10}	
Brooklyn CD 16	Brooklyn
8.3%	5.1%
of the civilian labor force was unemployed on average from 2013 to 2017	NYC
	4.9%

NYCgov POVERTY MEASURE ¹¹	
Brooklyn CD 16	Brooklyn
29%	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. ⁹NYCPD 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.