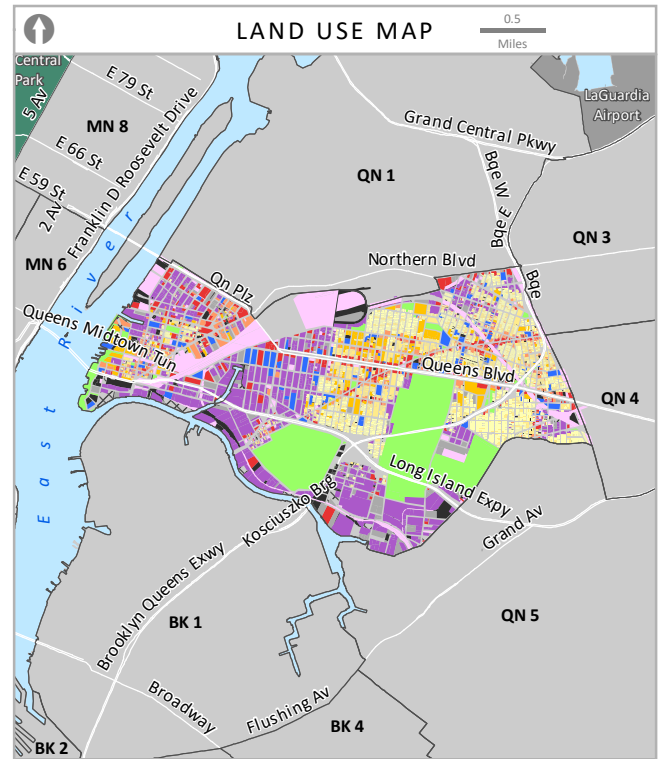# Queens Community District 2

NYC PLANNING

Neighborhoods[1]: Blissville, Hunters Point, Long Island City, Sunnyside, Sunnyside Gardens, Woodside

POPULATION & DENSITY

2000[2]	2010[3]	2000-2010
109,920	113,200	+3%

2013-2017 Estimate[4]	138,893
Square Miles	5
Population Density	22,640/sq mi

COMMUNITY BOARD PERSPECTIVES

Top 3 pressing issues identified by Queens Community Board 2 in 2019:

1. Land use trends
2. Transit
3. Homelessness

To learn more, please read Queens CD 2's Statement of Community District Needs and Community Board Budget Requests for Fiscal Year 2021.

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LAND USE MAP

Land Use Category	# Lots	% Lot Area
1 & 2 Family Bldgs	4,737	11%
Multifamily Walk-up	2,598	8%
Multifamily Elevator	197	5%
Mixed Use	705	4%
Commercial	419	6%
Industrial	885	25%
Transportation/Utility	206	13%
Public/Institutional	140	4%
Open Space	57	15%
Parking	395	6%
Vacant	355	3%
Other	49	1%

Map Source: PLUTO 19v2

A Snapshot of Key Community Indicators

COMMUNITY ASSETS[5]

Public Schools	32
Public Libraries	3
Hospitals and Clinics	6
Parks	20

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RENT BURDEN[4, 6]

Queens CD 2
43%
of households spend 35% or more of their income on rent

Queens	47%
NYC	45%

ACCESS TO PARKS[7]

Queens CD 2
77%
of residents live within walking distance of a park or open space

Citywide Target **85%**

MEAN COMMUTE TO WORK[4, 8]

Queens CD 2
37
minutes

Queens	44 minutes
NYC	41 minutes

LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY[4]

Queens CD 2
40%
of residents 5 years or older have limited English proficiency

Queens	29%
NYC	23%

CRIME RATE[9]

Queens CD 2
7.5
major felonies were reported per 1,000 residents in 2017

Queens	9.1
NYC	11.8

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT[4, 10]

Queens CD 2
39%
of residents 25 years or older have earned a bachelor's degree or higher

Queens	31%
NYC	37%

UNEMPLOYMENT[4, 10]

Queens CD 2
3.2%
of the civilian labor force was unemployed on average from 2013 to 2017

Queens	4.4%
NYC	4.9%

NYCgov POVERTY MEASURE[11]

Queens CD 2
19%
of residents have incomes below the NYCgov poverty threshold. See the federal poverty rate here.

Queens	19%
NYC	20%

[1]Neighborhoods may be in multiple districts. Names and boundaries are not officially designated. [2]2000 US Census; [3]2010 US Census; [4]American Community Survey 2013-2017 5-Year Estimates, calculated for Public Use Microdata Areas (PUMAs). PUMAs are geographic approximations of community districts. [5]NYC Dept of City Planning Facilites Database (2019); [6] Differences of less than 3 percentage points are not statistically meaningful. [7]NYC 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. [8]Differences of less than 2 minutes are not statistically meaningful. [9]NYPD CompStat, Historic Complaint Data (2018); [10]Differences of less than 2 percentage points are not statistically meaningful. [11]2013-2017 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.