

***Statements of Community  
District Needs  
and  
Community Board  
Budget Requests***

Fiscal Year  
2019



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## INTRODUCTION

The annual Statements of Community District Needs (CD Needs Statements) and Community Board Budget Requests (Budget Requests) are Charter mandates that form an integral part of the City's budget process. Together, they are intended to support communities in their ongoing consultations with city agencies, elected officials and other key stakeholders and influence more informed decision making on a broad range of local planning and budget priorities. This report also provides a valuable public resource for neighborhood planning and research purposes, and may be used by a variety of audiences seeking information about New York City's diverse communities.

## HOW TO USE THIS REPORT

This report represents Queens Community Board 14's *Statement of Community District Needs and Community Board Budget Requests for Fiscal Year (FY) 2019*. This report contains the formatted but otherwise unedited content provided by the community board, collected through an online form available to community boards from June to November 2017.

Community boards may provide substantive supplemental information together with their Statements and Budget Requests. This supporting material can be accessed by clicking on the links provided in the document or by copying and pasting them into a web browser, such as Chrome, Safari or Firefox.

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This report is broadly structured as follows:

### **a) Overarching Community District Needs**

Sections 1 – 4 provide an overview of the community district and the top three pressing issues affecting this district overall as identified by the community board. Any narrative provided by the board supporting their selection of their top three pressing issues is included.

### **b) Policy Area - Specific District Needs**

Section 5 is organized by seven distinct policy areas aligned with the service and program areas of city agencies. For each policy area, community boards selected the most important issue for their districts and could provide a supporting narrative. The policy area section also includes any agency-specific needs and a list of relevant budget requests submitted by the community board. If the community board submitted additional information outside of a specific policy area, it may be found in Section 6.

### **c) Community Board Budget Requests**

The final section includes the two types of budget requests submitted to the City for the FY19 budget cycle; one list for capital and another for expense budget requests. For each budget request, community boards were able to provide a priority number, explanation, location, and supporters. OMB remains the definitive source on budget requests submitted to city agencies.

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*Budget Requests:* Listed for informational purposes only. OMB remains the definitive source on budget requests and budget request responses.

*Budget Priorities:* Priority numbers apply to expense and capital Budget requests from all policy areas. A complete list of expense and capital budget requests by this Board sorted by priority can be found in Section 7 of this document.

*Supporting Materials:* Some community boards provided substantive supplemental information. This supportive material can be accessed by clicking on the links provided in the document or by copying and pasting the links provided in the Appendix into a browser.

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## 1. Community Board Information

### Queens Community Board 14

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## 2. Community District Profile

Visit the Community District Profiles to view data, maps, and other resources describing New York City's 59 community districts at: <https://communityprofiles.planning.nyc.gov/>

# Queens Community District 14



**Neighborhoods<sup>1</sup>:** Arverne, Bayswater, Belle Harbor, Breezy Point, Broad Channel, Edgemere, Far Rockaway, Hammels, Neponsit, Rockaway Park, The Rockaways, Roxbury, Seaside, Somerville

POPULATION & DENSITY		
2000 <sup>2</sup>	2010 <sup>3</sup>	2000-2010
106,686	114,978	+8%
2011-2015 Estimate <sup>4</sup>		118,917
Square Miles		7.0
Population Density		16,425/sq mi



### COMMUNITY BOARD PERSPECTIVES

Top 3 pressing issues identified by Queens Community Board 14 in 2017:

1. Resiliency
2. Street flooding
3. Unemployment

To learn more, please read [Queens CD 14's Statements of Community District Needs and Community Board Budget Requests for Fiscal Year 2018](#).

Website: [www.queenscb14.org](http://www.queenscb14.org)  
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Land Use Category	# Lots	% Lot Area
1 & 2 Family Bldgs	10,960	30%
Multifamily Walk-up	1,187	3%
Multifamily Elevator	97	7%
Mixed Use	181	1%
Commercial	218	2%
Industrial	58	1%
Transportation/Utility	150	2%
Public/Institutional	206	4%
Open Space	209	39%
Parking	168	1%
Vacant	1,511	12%
Other	67	<1%

[Click here for a more detailed land use map of Queens CD 14](#)

## A Snapshot of Key Community Indicators

COMMUNITY ASSETS <sup>5</sup>	
Public Schools	52
Public Libraries	5
Hospitals and Clinics	12
Parks	15
<a href="#">Click to visit the NYC Facilities Explorer</a>	

RENT BURDEN <sup>4, 6</sup>	
Queens CD 14	Queens
<b>44%</b>	48%
of households spend 35% or more of their income on rent	NYC
	45%

ACCESS TO PARKS <sup>7</sup>	
Queens CD 14	Citywide Target
<b>85%</b>	85%
of residents live within walking distance of a park or open space	

MEAN COMMUTE TO WORK <sup>4, 8</sup>	
Queens CD 14	Queens
<b>49</b>	43 minutes
minutes	NYC
	40 minutes

LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY <sup>4</sup>	
Queens CD 14	Queens
<b>14%</b>	29%
of residents 5 years or older have limited English proficiency	NYC
	23%

CRIME RATE <sup>9</sup>	
Queens CD 14	Queens
<b>11.6</b>	9.1
major felonies were reported per 1,000 residents in 2016	NYC
	11.8

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT <sup>4, 10</sup>	
Queens CD 14	Queens
<b>26%</b>	30%
of residents 25 years or older have earned a bachelor's degree or higher	NYC
	36%

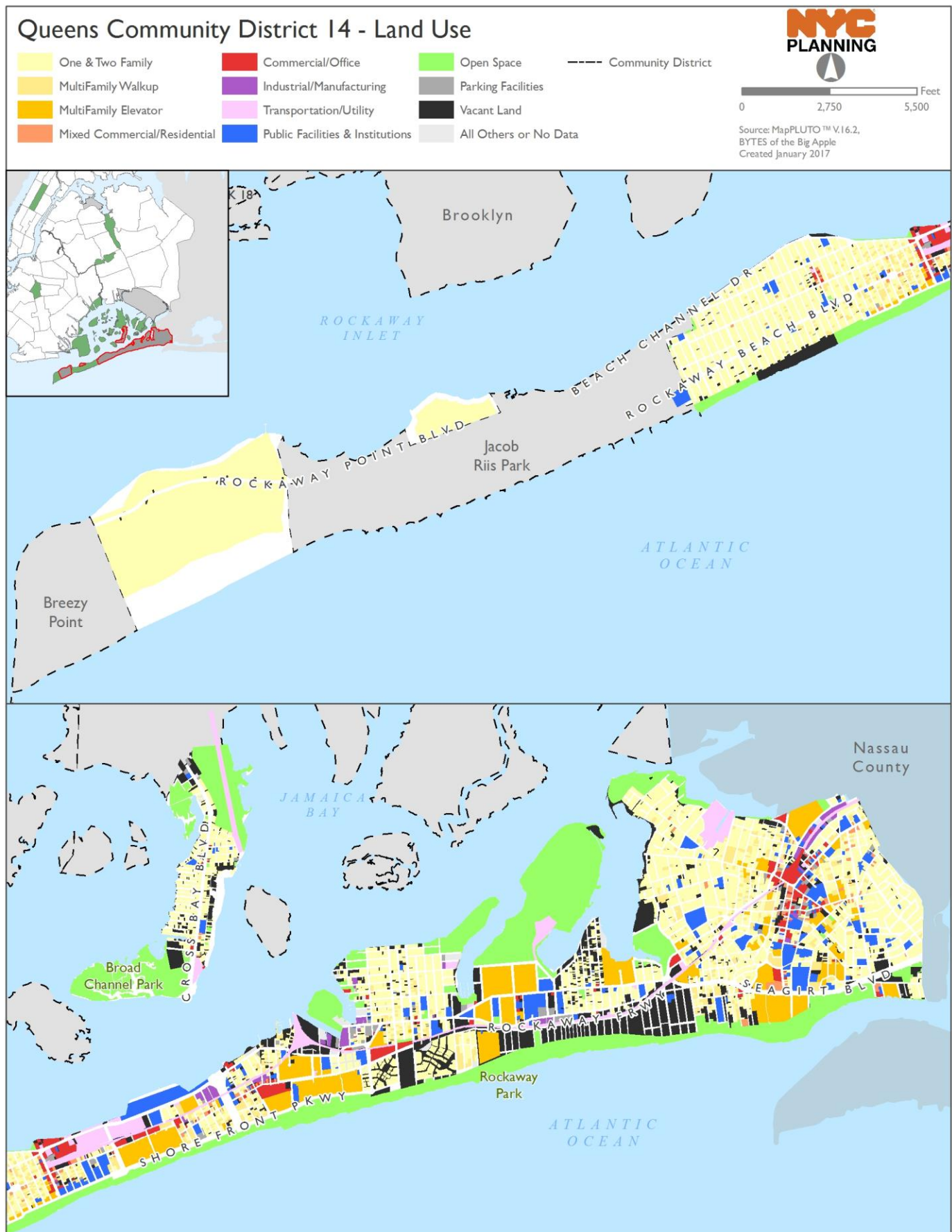
UNEMPLOYMENT <sup>4, 10</sup>	
Queens CD 14	Queens
<b>10.2%</b>	8.6%
of the civilian labor force was unemployed on average from 2011 to 2015	NYC
	9.5%

NYCgov POVERTY MEASURE <sup>11</sup>	
Queens CD 14	Queens
<b>18%</b>	18%
of residents have incomes below the NYCgov poverty threshold. See the <a href="#">federal poverty rate here</a> .	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. <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.



## 2. Community District Land Use



### 3. Overview of Community District

Community Board 14 encompasses the Rockaway Peninsula and Broad Channel. It has at least 13 distinct communities, each with its own name, neighborhoods, interests and problems bound together by a common geography and history, which is both written and hidden. From a westerly to easterly direction, we point to Breezy Point, Rockaway Point, Neponsit, Belle Harbor, Rockaway Park, Rockaway Beach, Arverne/Sommerville, Edgemere, Arverne by the Sea, Bayswater, Wavecrest and Far Rockaway and Broad Channel Island. The Rockaways is some eleven miles in length and is three quarters of a mile wide. With its multi-ethnic, multi-religious groupings, the concerns of the poor, the aged, the young and needy is often termed a microcosm of New York City. Patterns of housing are equally diverse with evidence of affluence in the western and most eastern sections of the district. And large concentrations of public housing and publicly assisted housing in between. While our District is still recovering from hurricane SANDY it is our belief that with government assistance our many devastated communities will recover and thrive. The board looks forward to an amended "Downtown Far Rockaway" Plan. The board looks forward to improving the plan by reducing density, the height of the proposed buildings and including more parking.



#### 4. Top Three Pressing Issues Overall

The three most pressing issues facing Queens Community Board 14 are:

- *Resiliency*
- *Schools*
- *Unemployment*

Flooding -It's become clear that after Hurricane SANDY, that protection from Flooding is a major concern. The communities in our district that face Jamaica Bay are in constant jeopardy from high tides, storm surge and heavy rains. Bulk heads, street raising and storm sewers must be installed along Rockaways northern boarder and through out Broad Channel. Groins/jetties and Beach sand replenishment must be funded. Public Health- With the closing of Peninsula Hospital, St Johns hospital has become over crowded and unable to handle the load . A typical wait in the emergency room exceeds 5 hours and a wait for a bed can be over a day this must be delt with . We also have been deeply disappointed in the NYC Dept of health's refusal to implement a program of the spraying/fogging of adulticide to deal with summer mosquito problem. Street Conditions- CB14 has experienced an large increase in summer tourism. This has caused traffic problems through out the district. Our roads remain in poor condition after hurricane SANDY. The expansion of Rockaway Beach blvd from Beach 62-Beach 32/Seagirt Blvd MUST be designed and funded this road way remain dangerous and over used. We also look forward to more Police officers during the summer beach season.

## 5. Summary of Community District Needs and Budget Requests



### Health Care and Human Services

#### Main Issue Related to Health Care and Human Services

*Chronic diseases (diabetes, heart disease, etc.)*

With the closing of Peninsula hospital health care for the many low income residents has become difficult.

#### Community District Needs Related to Health Care Facilities and Programming

The Board would like additional funding for expansion and staffing for primary health care and emergency health care. Ideally the re-opening of Peninsula Hospital in some way would be greatly beneficial to our community

#### Community District Needs Related to Facilities and Programming for Older New Yorkers

Our community board has a large Senior population- The need for more senior centers through out the district is evident

#### Community District Needs Related to Facilities and Services for the Homeless

Community board 14 has over 3000 units of public housing and we have the largest amount of section 8 voucher placements in the Borough of Queens. We have over 5000 nursing and Adult home beds. The Mayor recently opened a homeless shelter as well in our community. We request that the shelter be closed and that the city share the burden of housing our cities unfortunate poor and needy in other Community boards. The City is placing Homeless in the new local Hotel in addition to the shelter that the city opened. We also have the highest section 8 voucher placements in Queens the City must stop placing those in need in our communities it is destabilizing our neighborhoods

#### Community District Needs Related to Services and Programming for Low-Income and Vulnerable New Yorkers

Our biggest needs in this category is primary health care and job training and economic development to create jobs in our district.

#### **Capital Requests Related to Health Care and Human Services**

Priority	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location
CS	HHC	<i>Provide a new or expanded health care facility</i>	<i>Provide funding for the expansion of St Johns Hospital</i>	<i>ST Johns Hospital</i>

#### **Expense Requests Related to Health Care and Human Services**

Priority	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location
8/23	DOHMH	<i>Reduce mosquito populations</i>	<i>Every spring and summer the communities along Jamaica bay suffer from Mosquito issues</i>	<i>Community Wide</i>



### Youth, Education and Child Welfare

#### Main Issue Related to Youth, Education and Child Welfare

##### *Youth workforce development and summer youth employment*

The public schools in our district for the most part have under performed for decades. For our communities youth to compete in the job world they need a good education. More needs to be done to improve our schools and the education they provide. The opportunity for after school programs is also a need for our youth.

#### Community District Needs Related to Educational Facilities and Programs

Modernization of schools in District is necessary - Computers, smart boards in every classroom

#### Community District Needs Related to Youth and Community Services and Programs

After school programs and Job training and job opportunities would be helpful



## Public Safety and Emergency Services

### Main Issue Related to Public Safety and Emergency Services

#### *Emergency and disaster preparedness*

With a drastic increase in tourism during late spring and summer and over 5,000 units of Public housing the need for more Police officers in both 100 and 101 precincts has become a great need Summer detail during the beach season must be increased.

### Community District Needs Related to Policing and Crime

We need more officers on Patrol and the proper equipment to assist them

### Community District Needs Related to Emergency Services

After Hurricane SANDY the need for Electric generators and emergency lighting and communication equipment is a glaring need

### **Expense Requests Related to Public Safety and Emergency Services**

<b>Priority</b>	<b>Agency</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Explanation</b>	<b>Location</b>
13/23	NYPD	<i>Assign additional uniformed officers</i>	<i>Tourism has increased 10 fold during summer need for more Police officers.</i>	<i>Community Wide</i>
16/23	NYPD	<i>Other NYPD facilities and equipment requests</i>	<i>There is a need for back up generators/boats.</i>	<i>Community Wide</i>

## 5. Summary of Community District Needs and Budget Requests



### Core Infrastructure, City Services and Resiliency

#### Main Issue Related to Core Infrastructure, City Services and Resiliency

##### *Protective Infrastructure (sea walls, flood walls, etc.)*

The need for new storm sewers is a great need in our district also bulk heads need to be installed or repaired at street ends. All storm water outfalls should have tide gates installed.

#### Community District Needs Related to Water, Sewers and Environmental Protection

The installation of tide gates on all storm water out falls and the installation of storm sewers in parts of the district that do not have or have poorly functioning storm sewers

#### Community District Needs Related to Sanitation Services

During summer season additional commercial basket pick up is necessary Lot cleaning also is a need

#### **Capital Requests Related to Core Infrastructure, City Services and Resiliency**

Priority	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location
4/23	DEP	Build new, expand or repair storm sewers	install storm and sanitary sewers along rockaway point blvd from beach 169 street to beach 222 streets	rockaway point blvd beach 169 street beach 222 street
8/23	DEP	Build new, expand or repair sanitary sewers	add check valves and tide gates on ALL storm water outfall in district	Community Wide
CS	DEP	Build new, expand or repair storm sewers	Fund and complete remaining phases HWQ 631	Sommerville/Arverne

#### **Expense Requests Related to Core Infrastructure, City Services and Resiliency**

Priority	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location
3/23	DEP	Build new, expand or repair sanitary sewers	design and construct storm sewers at following locations: Wheatley street and Augustina ave Beach 9th street and Central ave Brunswick ave, Virginia street, Beach 12 street	Community Wide
4/23	DEP	Build new, expand, or repair wastewater treatment or water pollution control facilities	upgrade Rockaway treatment plant	Rockaway Water treatment plant
15/23	DSNY	Other cleaning requests	Cross bay blvd median in broad channel should be cleaned once a month May through September Rockaway freeway should be cleaned once a month all year round	Community Wide
17/23	DSNY	Provide more frequent litter basket collection	rockaway is a summer tourist area basket pick up should be 7 days a week from june- september	Community Wide

## 5. Summary of Community District Needs and Budget Requests

### Land Use, Housing and Economic Development



#### Main Issue Related to Land Use, Housing and Economic Development

##### *Unemployment/ Underemployment*

CB 14 has the highest unemployment rate in Queens job training and job creation is in dire need.

#### Community District Needs Related to Land Use

Our community is becoming over built and over crowded Traffic is becoming an issue and the lack of public infrastructure to handle the increase in population is becoming a burden- Low density housing should be a priority for the City of New York

#### Community District Needs Related to Housing Needs and Programming

CB14 has had an explosion in population over the last 10 years because of a housing boom we request that The unit count in Arverne East be drastically reduced and that a more economic development/jobs /Recreation based project be supported

#### Community District Needs Related to Economic Development

Government must help fund and develop the Greater Far Rockaway Shopping Area and assist our merchants on Rockaway Beach Blvd in Rockaway Beach on Beach 116 street and along Rockaway Beach Blvd from Beach 116 street to Beach 112 street

#### **Capital Requests Related to Land Use, Housing and Economic Development**

Priority	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location
15/23	NYCHA	<i>Renovate or upgrade public housing developments</i>	<i>improve buildings maintenance</i>	<i>Community Wide</i>
CS	EDC	<i>Invest in piers or other capital projects to improve access to the waterfront</i>	<i>build ferry docks/piers and parking for two ferry locations one on east side of district one on west side of district</i>	<i>Community Wide</i>

#### **Expense Requests Related to Land Use, Housing and Economic Development**

Priority	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location
11/23	SBS	<i>Support storefront / facade improvements</i>	<i>fund storefront program for Far Rockaway /Mott ave Shopping area, Rockaway Beach shopping area along Rockaway Beach blvd from beach 102 - beach 84 street, Beach 129 street shopping area</i>	<i>Community Wide</i>



### Transportation

#### Main Issue Related to Transportation

##### *Roadway maintenance*

CB14 is poorly served by mass transportation - the new ferry has been a success - A new ferry stop should be added east of Beach 84 street. An am/pm express A train service should be added - stops in Cb14q and Howard beach then express to Jay street in Brooklyn 3-4 rush hour express trains in am and pm is all that is needed.

#### Community District Needs Related to Traffic and Transportation Infrastructure

Rockaway Beach Blvd/ Edgemere ave capital reconstruction This section must be improved and widened to two lanes in each direct from Beach 62 street to Seagirt Blvd

#### Community District Needs Related to Transit Services

We are poorly served by mass transportation Improve commuter service on A train and on buses, institute a AM/PM rush hour express A train Permanently Fund Ferry service so that it runs on a regular schedule 7 days a week 52 weeks a year



## 5. Summary of Community District Needs and Budget Requests



### Transportation

#### Capital Requests Related to Transportation

Priority	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location
1/23	DOT	Reconstruct streets	Re construct Cross bay blvd -continue to raise streets in Broad channel install storm sewers with tide gate	Broad channel community
2/23	DOT	Reconstruct streets	Raise Norton drive, install storm sewers and sea wall	Bayswater
5/23	DOT	Other transportation infrastructure requests	install safety fence along seagirt blvd	Seagirt Blvd beach 31 st camp road
6/23	DOT	Repair or build new seawalls or bulkheads	repair/replace bulkheads at all street ends in CB14 Rockaway and Broad channel	Jamaica bay
7/23	DOT	Roadway maintenance (i.e. pothole repair, resurfacing, trench restoration, etc.)	fund design and re- construction of Shorefront Parkway, include storm sewers, have crosswalks line up, have driveways for Dayton buildings line up with traffic lights and cross access to east bound road way-HWQ-1682	Shorefront Parkway beach 73 st beach 108 st
9/23	DOT	Reconstruct streets	design and construct the project to widen Rockaway beach blvd/Edgemere AVE from beach 62 STREET TO beach 31 STREET	rockaway beach blvd/edgemere ave beach 62 street beach 31 street
14/23	DOT	Reconstruct streets	with increase in population and density and traffic projected from Downtown Far Rockaway Plan this east-west roadway must be improved	Community Wide
16/23	NYCTA	Other transit infrastructure requests	re institute the old Rockaway beach rail line	Community Wide
20/23	DOT	Other transportation infrastructure requests	Build parking lots and ferry docks in western and eastern Rockaway.	Community Wide
21/23	DOT	Repair or build new seawalls or bulkheads	design build- bulkhead along Norton drive from cold spring road to Dunbar street	Norton Drive Cold Spring Road Dunbar St

## 5. Summary of Community District Needs and Budget Requests



### Transportation

#### Expense Requests Related to Transportation

Priority	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location
1/23	DOT	Expand the frequency or hours of operation of ferries	Build parking lot for ferry - increase weekend hours for ferry during summer	Beach 108 st Beach Channel dr
6/23	DOT	Improve parking operations	Install 2 hour muni meters through out side blocks of Mott ave / central ave ,Beach 20 street shopping area	Mott ave and side streets
9/23	DOT	Other traffic improvements requests	study the feasibility of widening Rockaway Beach blvd from Beach 110 street to beach 119 street	Rockaway Beach Blvd Beach 110 St Beach 119 St
14/23	DOT	Other traffic improvements requests	complete the widening to two lanes in each direction /reconstruction of this major east-west roadway from beach 62- to seagirt blvd	
19/23	DOT	Other traffic improvements requests	Seagirt Blvd reconstruction.	seagirt blvd
20/23	NYCTA	Expand subway service frequency or hours of operations	start a AM/PM rush hour A train service to shorten commute eliminate stops in brooklyn	Community Wide
23/23	NYCTA	Other transit service requests	Remove tolls from Cross bay bridge	Cross bay bridge



### Parks, Cultural and other Community Facilities

#### Main Issue Related to Parks, Cultural and other Community Facilities

##### *Park care and maintenance*

Fund and build the remainder of the conceptual Rockaway Parks plan- provide access for active water recreation- boat ramps, additional kayak, canoe access points- create more open space for active recreation in Arverne East area.

#### Community District Needs Related to Parks and Recreational Facilities and Programming

Our community hosts over 8 million visitors every year during the summer beach season- we require more PEP officers, better maintenance support

#### Community District Needs Related to Cultural and other Community Facilities and Programming

additional funding for our Libraries and the Arts

#### Community District Needs Related to Library Facilities and Programming

increase local funding for our libraries and fund the construction of new Far rockaway Library, provide more services for our youth

#### Community District Needs Related to Community Boards

Community board budgets should be held harmless in city wide budget cuts as a matter of Policy much like the Independent Budget Office. the City budget should also provide additional funding for new Phone and computer needs as well as any technological needs that the boards may need in addition to the regular budget The board needs a new telephone system ours is 20 years old and at times does not work and cannot be repaired

## 5. Summary of Community District Needs and Budget Requests



### Parks, Cultural and other Community Facilities

#### Capital Requests Related to Parks, Cultural and other Community Facilities

Priority	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location
3/23	DPR	Reconstruct or upgrade a park or amenity (i.e. playground, outdoor athletic field)	Fund phase 3 of American ball fields to include community center in Broad Channel	american ball fields Broad Channel
10/23	DPR	Provide a new or expanded park or amenity (i.e. playground, outdoor athletic field)	Install boat ramp at Rockaway Community park inside old landfill provide parking and lighting and bathroom facilities	Rockaway Community Park
11/23	DPR	Reconstruct or upgrade a building in a park	construct parking lot at dog run located at beach 85 street area and beach channel drive	beach channel drive beach 85 st beach 86 st
12/23	DPR	Reconstruct or upgrade a park or amenity (i.e. playground, outdoor athletic field)	build low ramp skate park in Bayswater park	Bayswater park
13/23	DPR	Provide a new, or new expansion to, a building in a park	provide funding for design and constriction of park located at beach 88 street and beach channel drive	beach 88 street beach channel drive
17/23	DPR	Provide a new or expanded park or amenity (i.e. playground, outdoor athletic field)	Build New community park/play ground at Parks Dept site located at Beach 62 street and Thursby ave	Beach 62 street thursby ave
18/23	DPR	Provide a new, or new expansion to, a building in a park	build two new comfort/concession stations along boardwalk between Beach 35 and Beach 50 streets	Boardwalk Beach 35 st Beach 50 st
19/23	DPR	Reconstruct or upgrade a building in a park	construct shade structures; 17th road park, along board walk from beach 17- 108 streets Beach 25,59,67,and b 108 streets	Community Wide



## Parks, Cultural and other Community Facilities

## Expense Requests Related to Parks, Cultural and other Community Facilities

Priority	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location
2/23	DPR	Other requests for park, building, or access improvements	fund design and construction of Parks dept.- Conceptual plan- for parks throughout district	Community Wide
5/23	DPR	Other park maintenance and safety requests	hire more maintenance workers during summer beach season	Community Wide
7/23	OMB	Provide more community board staff	provide funding to hire experts like engineers or planners	1931 mott ave
12/23	QL	Extend library hours or expand and enhance library programs	extend library hours, include sunday hours at Far Rockaway library	Community Wide
18/23	DPR	Enhance park safety through design interventions, e.g. better lighting	provide more park enforcement police and agents during summer beach season	Community Wide
21/23	DPR	Other park maintenance and safety requests	Remove remaining old wood jetties adjacent to beach	Community Wide
22/23	DPR	Other park programming requests	Purchase front end loader Purchase Gator with power wash set up	Community Wide

## 6. Additional Information and Other Budget Requests

### Additional Comments

We are in dire need for a new phone system.

### Other Capital Requests

Priority	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location
22/23	DOITT	Other community board facilities and staff requests	We need a new phone system. Only 2 of four lines work. Track number: 414201719C.	1931 Mott ave rm 311
23/23	DOITT	Other community board facilities and staff requests	purchase new telephone system for district office	community board 14 office 1931 Mott av

### Other Expense Requests

Priority	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location
10/23	EDC	Other commercial district revitalization requests	invest in promoting and acquiring land in Far Rockaway / Mott ave shopping area to improve economic development and increase job opportunities	Far Rockaway Mott Ave

## 7. Summary of Prioritized Budget Requests

### Queens Community Board 14 Capital Requests

Queens Community Board 14 submitted 23 capital budget requests, organized by priority.

Priority /  
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Support (CS)	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location	Supporters
1/23	DOT	Reconstruct streets	Re construct Cross bay blvd -continue to raise streets in Broad channel install storm sewers with tide gate	Broad channel community	
2/23	DOT	Reconstruct streets	Raise Norton drive, install storm sewers and sea wall	Bayswater	
3/23	DPR	Reconstruct or upgrade a park or amenity (i.e. playground, outdoor athletic field)	Fund phase 3 of American ball fields to include community center in Broad Channel	american ball fields Broad Channel	
4/23	DEP	Build new, expand or repair storm sewers	install storm and sanitary sewers along rockaway point blvd from beach 169 street to beach 222 streets	rockaway point blvd beach 169 street beach 222 street	
5/23	DOT	Other transportation infrastructure requests	install safety fence along seagirt blvd	Seagirt Blvd beach 31 st camp road	
6/23	DOT	Repair or build new seawalls or bulkheads	repair/replace bulkheads at all street ends in CB14 Rockaway and Broad channel	Jamaica bay	
7/23	DOT	Roadway maintenance (i.e. pothole repair, resurfacing, trench restoration, etc.)	fund design and re- construction of Shorefront Parkway, include storm sewers, have crosswalks line up, have driveways for Dayton buildings line up with traffic lights and cross access to east bound road way-HWQ-1682	Shorefront Parkway beach 73 st beach 108 st	
8/23	DEP	Build new, expand or repair sanitary sewers	add check valves and tide gates on ALL storm water outfall in district	Community Wide	
9/23	DOT	Reconstruct streets	design and construct the project to widen Rockaway beach blvd/Edgemere AVE from beach 62 STREET TO beach 31 STREET	rockaway beach blvd/edgemere ave beach 62 street beach 31 street	
10/23	DPR	Provide a new or expanded park or amenity (i.e. playground, outdoor athletic field)	Install boat ramp at Rockaway Community park inside old landfill provide parking and lighting and bathroom facilities	Rockaway Community Park	
11/23	DPR	Reconstruct or upgrade a building in a park	construct parking lot at dog run located at beach 85 street area and beach channel drive	beach channel drive beach 85 st beach 86 st	



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12/23	DPR	Reconstruct or upgrade a park or amenity (i.e. playground, outdoor athletic field)	build low ramp skate park in Bayswater park	Bayswater park	
13/23	DPR	Provide a new, or new expansion to, a building in a park	provide funding for design and constriction of park located at beach 88 street and beach channel drive	beach 88 street beach channel drive	
14/23	DOT	Reconstruct streets	with increase in population and density and traffic projected from Downtown Far Rockaway Plan this east-west roadway must be improved	Community Wide	
15/23	NYCHA	Renovate or upgrade public housing developments	improve buildings maintance	Community Wide	
16/23	NYCTA	Other transit infrastructure requests	re institute the old Rockaway beach rail line	Community Wide	
17/23	DPR	Provide a new or expanded park or amenity (i.e. playground, outdoor athletic field)	Build New community park/play ground at Parks Dept site located at Beach 62 street and Thursby ave	Beach 62 street thursby ave	
18/23	DPR	Provide a new, or new expansion to, a building in a park	build two new comfort/concession stations along boardwalk between Beach 35 and Beach 50 streets	Boardwalk Beach 35 st Beach 50 st	
19/23	DPR	Reconstruct or upgrade a building in a park	construct shade structures; 17th road park, along board walk from beach 17- 108 streets Beach 25,59,67,and b 108 streets	Community Wide	
20/23	DOT	Other transportation infrastructure requests	Build parking lots and ferry docks in western and eastern Rockaway.	Community Wide	
21/23	DOT	Repair or build new seawalls or bulkheads	design build- bulkhead along Norton drive from cold spring road to Dunbar street	Norton Drive Cold Spring Road Dunbar St	
22/23	DOITT	Other community board facilities and staff requests	We need a new phone system. Only 2 of four lines work. Track number: 414201719C.	1931 Mott ave rm 311	
23/23	DOITT	Other community board facilities and staff requests	purchase new telephone system for district office	community board 14 office 1931 Mott av	

## 7. Summary of Prioritized Budget Requests

### Queens Community Board 14 Capital Requests

Queens Community Board 14 submitted 23 capital budget requests, organized by priority.

Priority /  
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Support (CS)	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location	Supporters
CS	EDC	<i>Invest in piers or other capital projects to improve access to the waterfront</i>	<i>build ferry docks/piers and parking for two ferry locations one on east side of district one on west side of district</i>	<i>Community Wide</i>	
CS	DEP	<i>Build new, expand or repair storm sewers</i>	<i>Fund and complete remaining phases HWQ 631</i>	<i>Sommerville/Arverne</i>	
CS	HHC	<i>Provide a new or expanded health care facility</i>	<i>Provide funding for the expansion of St Johns Hospital</i>	<i>ST Johns Hospital</i>	

## 7. Summary of Prioritized Budget Requests

### Queens Community Board 14 Expense Requests

Queens Community Board 14 submitted 23 expense budget requests, organized by priority.

Priority	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location	Supporters
1/23	DOT	Expand the frequency or hours of operation of ferries	Build parking lot for ferry - increase weekend hours for ferry during summer	Beach 108 st Beach Channel dr	
2/23	DPR	Other requests for park, building, or access improvements	fund design and construction of Parks dept.- Conceptual plan- for parks throughout district	Community Wide	
3/23	DEP	Build new, expand or repair sanitary sewers	design and construct storm sewers at following locations: Wheatley street and Augustina ave Beach 9th street and Central ave Brunswick ave, Virginia street, Beach 12 street	Community Wide	
4/23	DEP	Build new, expand, or repair wastewater treatment or water pollution control facilities	upgrade Rockaway treatment plant	Rockaway Water treatment plant	
5/23	DPR	Other park maintenance and safety requests	hire more maintenance workers during summer beach season	Community Wide	
6/23	DOT	Improve parking operations	Install 2 hour muni meters through out side blocks of Mott ave / central ave ,Beach 20 street shopping area	Mott ave and side streets	
7/23	OMB	Provide more community board staff	provide funding to hire experts like engineers or planners	1931 mott ave	
8/23	DOHMH	Reduce mosquito populations	Every spring and summer the communities along Jamaica bay suffer from Mosquito issues	Community Wide	
9/23	DOT	Other traffic improvements requests	study the feasibility of widening Rockaway Beach blvd from Beach 110 street to beach 119 street	Rockaway Beach Blvd Beach 110 St Beach 119 St	
10/23	EDC	Other commercial district revitalization requests	invest in promoting and acquiring land in Far Rockaway / Mott ave shopping area to improve economic development and increase job opportunities	Far Rockaway Mott Ave	
11/23	SBS	Support storefront / facade improvements	fund storefront program for Far Rockaway /Mott ave Shopping area, Rockaway Beach shopping area along Rockaway Beach blvd from beach 102 - beach 84 street, Beach 129 street shopping area	Community Wide	
12/23	QL	Extend library hours or expand and enhance library programs	extend library hours, include sunday hours at Far Rockaway library	Community Wide	
13/23	NYPD	Assign additional uniformed officers	Tourism has increased 10 fold during summer need for more Police officers.	Community Wide	
14/23	DOT	Other traffic improvements requests	complete the widening to two lanes in each direction /reconstruction of this major east-west roadway from beach 62- to seagirt blvd		

## 7. Summary of Prioritized Budget Requests

### Queens Community Board 14 Expense Requests

Queens Community Board 14 submitted 23 expense budget requests, organized by priority.

Priority	Agency	Request	Explanation	Location	Supporters
15/23	DSNY	Other cleaning requests	Cross bay blvd median in broad channel should be cleaned once a month May through September Rockaway freeway should be cleaned once a month all year round	Community Wide	
16/23	NYPD	Other NYPD facilities and equipment requests	There is a need for back up generators/boats.	Community Wide	
17/23	DSNY	Provide more frequent litter basket collection	rockaway is a summer tourist area basket pick up should be 7 days a week from june- september	Community Wide	
18/23	DPR	Enhance park safety through design interventions, e.g. better lighting	provide more park enforcement police and agents during summer beach season	Community Wide	
19/23	DOT	Other traffic improvements requests	Seagirt Blvd reconstruction.	seagirt blvd	
20/23	NYCTA	Expand subway service frequency or hours of operations	start a AM/PM rush hour A train service to shorten commute eliminate stops in brooklyn	Community Wide	
21/23	DPR	Other park maintenance and safety requests	Remove remaining old wood jetties adjacent to beach	Community Wide	
22/23	DPR	Other park programming requests	Purchase front end loader Purchase Gator with power wash set up	Community Wide	
23/23	NYCTA	Other transit service requests	Remove tolls from Cross bay bridge	Cross bay bridge	