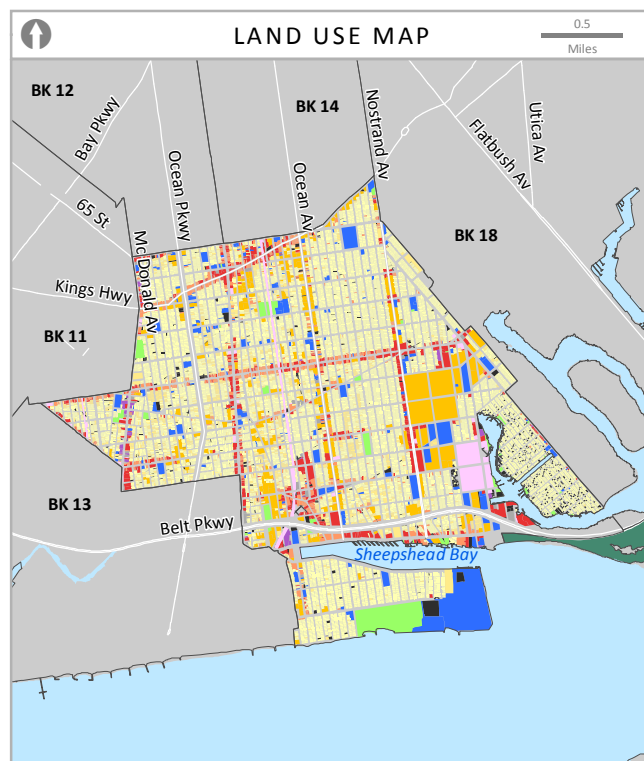# Brooklyn Community District 15

NYC PLANNING

Neighborhoods[1]: Gerritsen Beach, Gravesend, Homecrest, Kings Highway, Manhattan Beach, Plumb Beach, Sheepshead Bay

POPULATION & DENSITY

2000[2]	2010[3]	2000-2010
160,319	159,650	0%

2011-2015 Estimate[4]	149,519
Square Miles	4.7
Population Density	33,968/sq mi

COMMUNITY BOARD PERSPECTIVES

Top 3 pressing issues identified by Brooklyn Community Board 15 in 2017:

1. Neighborhood preservation
2. Traffic
3. Trash removal & cleanliness

To learn more, please read Brooklyn CD 15's Statements of Community District Needs and Community Board Budget Requests for Fiscal Year 2018.

Website: www.nyc.gov/html/bkncb15
Email: bklcb15@verizon.net

Land Use Category	# Lots	% Lot Area
1 & 2 Family Bldgs	17,753	51%
Multifamily Walk-up	2,161	8%
Multifamily Elevator	285	10%
Mixed Use	1,150	4%
Commercial	712	6%
Industrial	35	<1%
Transportation/Utility	53	2%
Public/Institutional	245	8%
Open Space	54	3%
Parking	194	1%
Vacant	677	7%
Other	87	1%

LAND USE MAP

0.5 Miles

Click here for a more detailed land use map of Brooklyn CD 15

A Snapshot of Key Community Indicators

COMMUNITY ASSETS[5]

Public Schools	36
Public Libraries	6
Hospitals and Clinics	18
Parks	9

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RENT BURDEN[4, 6]

Brooklyn CD 15
48%
of households spend 35% or more of their income on rent

Brooklyn	46%
NYC	45%

ACCESS TO PARKS[7]

Brooklyn CD 15
75%
of residents live within walking distance of a park or open space

Citywide Target **85%**

MEAN COMMUTE TO WORK[4, 8]

Brooklyn CD 15
44 minutes

Brooklyn	42 minutes
NYC	40 minutes

LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY[4]

Brooklyn CD 15
32.7%
of residents 5 years or older have limited English proficiency

Brooklyn	23.6%
NYC	23.1%

CRIME RATE[9]

Brooklyn CD 15
7.9
major felonies were reported per 1,000 residents in 2016

Brooklyn	11.2
NYC	11.8

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT[4, 10]

Brooklyn CD 15
38%
of residents 25 years or older have earned a bachelor's degree or higher

Brooklyn	33%
NYC	36%

UNEMPLOYMENT[4, 10]

Brooklyn CD 15
8.5%
of the civilian labor force was unemployed on average from 2011 to 2015

Brooklyn	10%
NYC	9.5%

POVERTY[4, 10]

Brooklyn CD 15
16%
of residents had incomes below the poverty level

Brooklyn	23%
NYC	21%