



BROOKLYN COMMUNITY BOARD 14
FLATBUSH–MIDWOOD COMMUNITY DISTRICT
810 East 16th Street
Brooklyn, New York 11230

BROOKLYN COMMUNITY BOARD 14 BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS
FISCAL YEAR 2025 (July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025)

Dear Community Resident:

Each year, in accordance with the New York City Charter, all 59 NYC Community Boards are required to submit recommendations for NYC’s capital and expense budgets for the upcoming fiscal year.

*Community members are invited to participate in the budget process by suggesting **a new city service or capital project.***

Note, a capital project generally has a value of \$35,000 or more and a “useful life” of at least five years. Requests for ongoing programs and regular city services such as street signs, building inspections, parks maintenance, road repair or tree pruning, for example, should be directed to the Community Board office as a routine service delivery request. However, if the suggested budget item is for a new program, service, or capital project, please provide the information requested below. For a full list of budget requests submitted to the City for this past fiscal year, please see CB14’s Statement of Community District Needs and Community Board Budget Requests Fiscal 2024 on our website: www.cb14brooklyn.com/city-budget/community-budget-request-fy-2025

Recommendations must be received no later than **Thursday, September 7, 2023** to be considered at Community Board 14’s public hearing on community budget recommendations for fiscal year 2025, which will take place on **Monday, September 11, 2023 at 6:30 PM**, in person at 1625 Ocean Avenue. Any updates will be posted on www.cb14brooklyn.com.

Please fill out this form and mail or email to the Community Board 14 office. Instructions are below. You may also complete it online at www.cb14brooklyn.com/city-budget/community-budget-request-fy-2025.

Thank you for your participation.



BROOKLYN COMMUNITY BOARD 14 DISTRICT NEEDS SURVEY

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Please check up to three budget priorities in each section of the following survey. You can add additional details or a budget recommendation that is not on the list by selecting Other and detailing your request.

Health Care and Human Services

Select up to three

- 1. Services to reduce homelessness such as rental assistance and housing vouchers
- 2. Services for individuals experiencing street homelessness
- 3. Substance misuse prevention and treatment
- 4. Mental health outreach and services
- 5. Services for aging adults including casework and services for homebound seniors
- 6. Services for aging adults including technology programs and services
- 7. Human services for vulnerable populations such as casework and healthcare
- 8. Other _____

Youth, Education and Child Welfare

Select up to three

- 1. Youth Workforce development and summer youth employment, ladders for leaders, training and education advancement support for at-risk youth
- 2. After school programs and/or Beacon program expansion
- 3. Runaway and homeless youth services
- 4. Family support including fatherhood academies
- 5. Immigrant youth and family programs
- 6. School amenities, capacity or other building repairs or upgrades
- 7. Early childhood programs
- 8. Foster care and child welfare
- 9. Cure violence programs and juvenile justice services
- 10. Other _____

Public Safety and Emergency Services

Select up to three

- 1. NYPD personnel, including additional crossing guards
- 2. FDNY/EMS personnel
- 3. Upgrade the precinct house and firehouses, including generators at all
- 4. Security cameras
- 5. Relocate 70th Precinct House
- 6. Funding for nonprofit organizations to serve as community violence interrupters
- 7. Other _____



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Core Infrastructure, City Services and Resiliency

Select up to three

- 1. Sanitation, cleanliness, collection – restore manual litter patrol (MLP)
- 2. Water, Sewers, Environmental protection such as flood prevention
- 3. Increase catch basin cleaning, service
- 4. Improve canine waste education and enforcement
- 5. Increase basket collection in commercial areas
- 6. Other _____

Housing, Economic Development and Land Use

Select up to three

- 1. Preserve and maintain existing affordable housing units
- 2. Increase HPD inspectors and require expedited repairs
- 3. Increase the inventory of affordable housing units
- 4. Increase the inventory of senior housing
- 5. Include Newkirk Plaza in the DOT pedestrian plaza program
- 6. Provide resources for Business Improvement Districts (BIDs) and merchant associations
- 7. Review all land use proposals through the lens of the need for open space
- 8. Review zoning text amendments through a racial impact lens
- 9. Other _____

Transportation

Select up to three

- 1. Roadway maintenance and road bridge rehabilitation and trench restoration
- 2. Traffic calming and safety such as stop signs, traffic lights and speed humps
- 3. Street parking rules and regulations
- 4. Repair or upgrade subway stations, including accessibility
- 5. Improve mass transit rider experience
- 6. Provide area-wide studies for major thoroughfares
- 7. Improve street lighting
- 8. Other _____



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Parks, Cultural and Other Community Facilities

Select up to three

- 1. Work with the local descendent community to fully realize an African burial ground memorial at the Church and Bedford Avenues lot
- 2. Rehabilitate or enhance parks and playgrounds within CD 14
- 3. Provide a new or expanded park, playground or tot lot
- 4. Provide funding or direct services for tree pit maintenance
- 5. Increase the pruning cycle for city trees and response to emergency pruning requests
- 6. Invest in capital improvements at libraries including an expansion of Cortelyou Road library and a community garden at the Flatbush branch
- 7. Extend library hours and support increased programming
- 8. Increase access to local cultural amenities
- 9. Other _____

If you have any other budget recommendations or comments, please add them here:

Do you live, work, or otherwise have a significant interest in Community District 14?

- I live in CD14
- I work in CD14
- I am a board member
- No, I do not live or work in CD14: _____

Name _____

Address _____

Phone number _____

Email _____

Would you like to receive CB14's email newsletter? Yes No