

27th City Council District

Clyde Vanel (D)

My name is Clyde Vanel and I am running to serve as your next councilmember. I have the energy, experience and integrity to properly serve you and our community. I am the only candidate that fought and stood with you and the community to keep our neighborhood together a few months ago during redistricting. Also, for years, I fought to keep your schools open and to get them the resources they need to educate our children. Additionally, for years my office has been used as a community center. During the blizzard a few years ago and during Hurricane Sandy, my office provided resources to remove snow, trees and debris and electricity for those that were sick and shut in. I am an attorney and community advocate that was born and raised in Queens. My parents raised me and my nine siblings in Cambria Heights. They instilled in us strong moral values and that with education, discipline and hard work, anything is possible. I will bring those values and work ethic to city hall. There are many pressing issues facing our community; foreclosure crisis, stop and frisk, public safety, closing of youth and senior programs, speeding, transportation, loud noise. I believe, however, that our biggest issues are that we need more jobs and our schools are failing. I will work hard to address all the problems. My office will be proactive, open and accessible. Elect me, Clyde Vanel, to represent you in City Council. I have a plan, the energy, values and experience to fight for you.

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