

## **16th City Council District**

### **Carlton Berkley (D)**

Hello my name is Carlton Berkley and I am a candidate for New York City's 16th council district, located in the borough of the Bronx.

The 16th district consists of Morrisania, South Bronx, High bridge, Melrose and a little of Claremont. It is a fairly large district; however I assure you that I am up for the task. Let me tell you a little about myself because a voter should know something about the person who wants to represent them.

I was born and raised in New York. I am a member of Walker Memorial Baptist Church led by Reverend Doctor Joe Albert Bush Sr. and a leader in training. I am 50 years old, have been married for 29 years, a proud father and grandfather.

I have 3 degrees, Bachelors of Arts and an Associates in criminal justice from John Jay College of Criminal Justice. I also have an Associates in Business Management from Hesser college, located in Manchester New Hampshire. I am a retired NYPD Detective.

While a member of the NYPD I joined the 100 Blacks In Law-Enforcement Who Care and the National Latino Officers Association. Both organizations fight against the injustice that NYPD inflicts against the poor and minority neighborhoods. I continue to do this important work today.

Fighting against NYPD when they are wrong is not the only issue we face as a people, we have a slew of others such as: the worst housing, unemployment (twice as high as the national average) worst health care, sub-par education, racial profiling along with Stop and Search, no Stop and Frisk because you don't get frisked, you are stopped and searched, which is a violation of your 4th Amendment Right, which protects you against unreasonable searches and seizures.

I am also the lead law-enforcement adviser to the Ramarley Graham family in our pursuit to get justice for Ramarley.

I am running because I want to make a positive change in the lives of us all starting with the 16th district. I need your help. On Election Day, vote yes for Carlton (Chuck) Berkley for city council.

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