

Assemblyman Phil Ramos:



Protecting Long Island families from gang violence

"The dangers of gang violence are real, and their effects can be devastating. **That's why I secured funding to help keep violent gangs out of our neighborhoods as well as provide young people with resources and support to reach their full potential.**"

- Philip Ramos

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Assemblyman Phil Ramos is fighting to make Long Island safer for all



To prevent future gang-related tragedies, Ramos secured a **\$1 million grant** to install license plate readers across Brentwood. This camera system will help law enforcement solve criminal investigations and **cannot be used to issue tickets or share personal information with immigration authorities.**

Ramos has also been committed to **creating more positive opportunities to empower our youth and steer them away from gangs.** He fought for and secured funding for:

- **Make the Road NY**, which works with crime victims, immigrants and low-income people of color to improve adult literacy, access health care and legal services and provides youth programs, among other services.
- **S.T.R.O.N.G. Youth, Inc.**, an organization that provides anti-gang programs for young people and reintegration services for formerly incarcerated individuals as well as helps law enforcement intervene and prevent gang violence in local communities.
- the Brentwood school district's **My Brother's Keeper program**. New York was the first state in the nation to implement this program, which helps improve outcomes for boys and young men of color.

