



Assemblyman **Kalman Yeger**



YEAR END NEWS 2025

Dear Neighbor,

It is my greatest honor to serve as your common-sense voice in Albany. Communication is key, and you'll be hearing from me often—on legislative priorities that affect you and our neighborhood, and on the many convenient programs and services my office offers you and your family.

This year's budget invests in what matters most: our schools, affordable housing, health care and safe neighborhoods, and I've kept my promise to vote against every single tax hike. This budget creates a new housing plan with stronger tenant protections, increases school aid and college assistance, makes New York the first state in the nation to offer paid prenatal leave and provides record support for mental health and anti-violence initiatives. This year's budget makes a real difference for families across our district.

I plan to continue providing constituents with the popular programs you know, as well as new programs to make City and State agencies more accessible to you. I hope you take advantage of these opportunities, and I look forward to seeing you in our neighborhood!

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In Our Neighborhood



Back-to-School Backpack Giveaway



Community Board 17 Youth Happen'n



Kalman Yeger's Community Office

3520 Nostrand Avenue • Brooklyn, New York 11229 • 718-648-4700

Monday – Thursday: 10:00 am to 5:00 pm • Friday: 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

We speak English, Albanian, Greek, Haitian Creole, Russian and Yiddish.

Bringing Funding To Our Community!

In his very first year in the New York State Assembly, Assemblyman Kalman Yeger delivered, successfully securing critical state funding for a wide range of local organizations serving diverse communities in the 41st Assembly District.

These grants include support for:

- **Bay Senior Center, Homecrest Community Services and Jay Harama Older Adult Center** – enhanced senior recreation and transportation programs at local senior recreational programs.
- **Be Proud and United Chinese Association of Brooklyn** – providing outreach and advocacy for underserved immigrant populations.
- **The Blue Card** – delivering essential medical and social services for Holocaust survivors.
- **Brooklyn Public Library** – urgent repairs and upgrades to local branches, so our families have safe, accessible and comfortable libraries in our community.
- **Chasdei Lev** – provides food packages to low-income teachers and large families.
- **Council of Jewish Organizations of Flatbush** – adult computer literacy and workforce readiness classes.
- **Housing and Family Services of Greater New York and Neighborhood Housing Services of Brooklyn** – affordable housing and homelessness prevention programming.
- **Jewish Community Council of Marine Park** – job placement, debt relief and after-school programming.
- **Kings Bay YM-YWHA** – support for the Heal the Violence campaign to help young residents of public housing towards productive futures.
- **Grant House Unity Corp.** – food distribution to families in need.
- **Met Council on Jewish Poverty** – expand emergency food distribution programs, SenioRepair, domestic violence intervention services, and emergency financial assistance.
- **Museum of the City of New York** – to sustain free admissions, community engagement initiatives and the development of exciting new exhibitions.
- **UJA Federation of New York** – to continue vital support delivered to Holocaust Survivors.

Together, these initiatives represent a powerful statement: that every dollar invested in civic and cultural programming yields returns in unity, dignity and opportunity. Assemblyman Yeger’s local leadership and state resources ensure that our neighborhood remains vibrant, inclusive and strong for generations to come.

Services You Can Count On

Assemblyman Kalman Yeger and his experienced community office staff can provide you with important services, help you apply for government programs and solve your problems:

- **Cut Bureaucratic Red Tape**
- **Correct Dangerous Conditions**
- **Address Inaccurate Water Bills**
- **Resolve Consumer Problems**
- **Save residents thousands of dollars through SCRIE, HEAP, NYC-210 and SNAP**

If you think we can help you, please call or stop in!



Our office provides **free notary public services**. Please call before visiting to ensure availability.

In Our Neighborhood



National Night Out Against Crime



Marine Park Active Adults

Protect yourself from EBT Skimming



Inspect the card machine/ATM for an overlay that may hide parts of the machine.



Inspect the machine for glue marks, or damaged or loose parts, and be cautious of hidden cameras.



Shield the PIN pad with your hand. Change your PIN frequently and do not share it. Check your EBT account regularly for unauthorized charges.

To get a new EBT card and change your PIN call the EBT helpline:
888-328-6399

For more information visit
otda.ny.gov/
SNAP.

Expanded Utility Bill Assistance Program Brings Much-Needed Relief

With the ever-rising costs for goods and services, many New Yorkers are feeling burdened with the inability to afford basic necessities. Assemblyman Yeger helped expand a crucial utility assistance program to deliver much-needed relief for up to 1.6 million households.

The 2023-24 state budget provides \$200 million to relieve the increasing burden on utility ratepayers. As part of our efforts, the Public Service Commission recently expanded the Energy Affordability Program (EAP) to include moderate-income households with high utility bills. The expanded EAP is available to New York City utility customers with incomes at or below the area median income. Customers must apply through their utility company to receive this newly expanded assistance. Applications open in early 2026. For more information, or to apply for the program, visit dps.ny.gov/energy-affordability-program or call Assemblyman Yeger’s office for more information.

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MTA’s Half-Fare OMNY Card Program

Assemblyman Kalman Yeger brings the
Half-Fare OMNY Bus
to the Community Office on the first Tuesday of every month

NEXT VISITS:

January 6, 2026

February 3, 2026

March 3, 2026

10:00 am to 12 noon

at 3520 Nostrand Avenue (corner of Ave V)

Seniors and People with Disabilities
can apply for Half-Fare OMNY Card
and receive one on the spot
65-years-old or older with photo identification.
Save the cost of photos and notary fees
Add and/or transfer money to
your OMNY card