

48th City Council District

Theresa R. Scavo (D)

Good Day, I am Theresa R. Scavo, Candidate for City Council — 48th District. I was born and bred in this District. I have a Bachelor of Science and a Masters Degree in Psychology. I am married with 2 children. I started my career in the Public School System. In time, I opened and operated a retail business for over 20 years. After attending a Community Board meeting, I applied for membership and in 1999 I was appointed and in 2006 — I was elected the Chairperson. I am the Treasurer of the 61st Precinct Community Council, Second Vice-Chairperson of the Coney Island Hospital Advisory Board, A member of the Neighborhood Advisory Board, An active CERT Member and A member of the Highway Democratic Club. These are all volunteer positions. I love the dynamics of community involvement — so much — that I gave up my retail business to have more time to devote to my community work. As Chairperson of Community Board 15, I work every day to solve the problems in the community and improve the quality of life of each resident. As Council Member, I can secure funding to update our infrastructure — improve our parks and work to get better transportation alternatives while making the MTA more accountable. I believe my life experience in the educational and business field, plus my tenure as Community Board Chair, makes me uniquely qualified for the City Council. I believe I am the only candidate with this background and the only candidate who has never been on a politicians payroll. I am not beholden to anyone except the voter. Please vote on September 10th.

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