



Greetings--

Perfect 100% from the New York League of Conservation Voters

The New York League of Conservation Voters (NYLCV) released its [2017 State Environmental Scorecard](#), which highlights the performance of every State Legislator on this year's key environmental issues.

While the NYLCV has produced this scorecard at the city level for a number of years, this is the inaugural year for the scorecard at the state level.

I am proud to announce that the NYLCV gave me a perfect 100% rating.

NYLCV's 2017 Scorecard examined voting and sponsorship records on 16 key environmental bills in each house of the legislature, covering clean energy, public health, transportation, and more. The bills that scored this year came solely from the pool of bills that it issued memos on. NYLCV scored the most significant bills that passed the legislature, and graded co-sponsorship for a handful of bills that the organization believes should have passed.

On entering the Assembly this year I knew that it was going to be more important than ever to take clear stands on the environment and conservation because of the rhetoric and action emanating from Washington. Bad environmental policy today endangers all Americans and only makes stemming future climate change that much harder.

Working to preserve our environment and fighting for clean air and water and renewable energy takes sacrifice, so I am happy that the New York League of Conservation Voters created this scorecard so voters can see who is fighting to preserve our future and who is not.

I plan to keep my perfect environmental record and I hope more of my colleagues strive to do the same.

Standing up against Hate in Charlottesville

Like you, I watched with horror at the events that took place in Charlottesville, Virginia last weekend. The terrorism and hate that was perpetrated by white supremacists is reprehensible and we must stand together to beat back against it.

I was glad to join with Get Organized Brooklyn, Indivisible Nation BK, Brooklyn for Peace, Councilmember Brad Lander, other colleagues in government, and hundreds of neighbors at a rally for Peace & Sanity at Grand Army Plaza last Saturday.

To view a portion of my remarks click the photo below:



I make clear in my remarks that this fight is one that we may not win tomorrow or next year – but it's one that we will win and no matter what, you can count on me to be there fighting along your side until we do.

On Monday, I will be joining with Ditmas Civic and other colleagues in government for a rally called [Flatbush Stands Together.](#)

Please find details for the rally below and come out and make your voice heard:

Flatbush Stands Together

Hate Has No Place Here – A Rally

Newkirk Plaza B, Q Station

Monday, August 21st

5:30pm-7:30pm

We stand in solidarity with the people of Charlottesville and across America against all forms of racism and hate. Bring signs and placards. Please share with your networks as widely as possible.

Co-Constituent Hours w/Congressmember Yvette D. Clarke's Office

As you know, my District Office is open regularly Monday through Friday from 9:30am-4:30pm, but this week, in a special engagement, we will be welcoming Congressmember Yvette Clarke's office to join us on Monday 8/21 and Tuesday 8/22 during our regular business hours to assist in any constituent issues that interface with the federal government.

So if you or if you know of anyone who needs assistance with issues dealing with Immigration, Social Security, Medicare, the Post Office, Veterans Affairs, or anything else that's dealt with on the Federal level – please stop by next Monday or Tuesday.

If you are unable to make it then, but need assistance or have a community issue or legislative idea, please respond to this email or give my office a call at (718) 788-7221.

See you around the Neighborhood,
Bobby