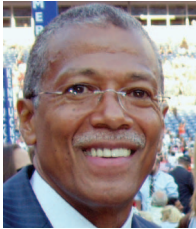


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## Manhattan Council District # 7 – Democrat



Took Office: January 2002  
 District: 212-928-1322/212-234-0551  
 Legislative: 212-788-7007

<b>Housing Rights</b>	<b>29%/C</b>	
<b>Workers' Rights</b>	<b>56%/B</b>	
<b>Criminal/Juvenile Justice</b>	<b>13%/D+</b>	<b>C+</b>
<b>Disability Rights</b>	<b>11%/D</b>	
<b>Health</b>	<b>12%/D+</b>	<b>39%</b>
<b>Govt. Accountability</b>	<b>59%/B</b>	
<b>Voting Rights</b>	<b>88%/A+</b>	

**Questionnaire**    **complete**    **incomplete**

Council Member Jackson’s 2011 legislative priorities include requiring the Department of Education to submit information on the nature of student discharges and promoting a living wage. His budget priorities included preventing teacher lay-offs, the loss of child care slots, and the closure of fire companies. He believes that extending the Millionaire’s Tax would have provided an alternative to cutting vital services for already struggling New Yorkers.

As Chair of the Education Committee, Council Member Jackson led press conferences with advocates on students’ rights to be educated in a safe and nurturing environment. As Co-Chair of the Black, Latino, and Asian Caucus, he met with the Speaker to explore ways to address the issue of diversity among fire fighters. He met with State legislators asking them to help maintain critical services to our children, families and seniors. He also signed onto a lawsuit against the Department of Education, regarding improper practices in school closures and the promotion of inequitable learning conditions in school co-locations.



Morningside Heights, West Harlem and Hamilton Heights, Central Harlem, Washington Heights, Inwood