

G. Oliver Koppell

Bronx Council District # 11 – Democrat



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Housing Rights	61%/B+	
Workers' Rights	58%/B	
Criminal/Juvenile Justice	64%/B+	A-
Disability Rights	72%/A	
Health	63%/B+	65%
Govt. Accountability	77%/A	
Voting Rights	0%/F	

Questionnaire complete incomplete

COUNCIL MEMBER REPORT CARD

Council Member Koppell's 2011 legislative priorities include the Fair Wages for New Yorkers Act, the Accessible Taxi Mandate and improving Department of Building inspector access to illegal residential housing conversions. His budget priorities included the Children under Five Mental Health Initiative, the Geriatric Mental Health Initiative, and ensuring teachers were not laid off.

Council Member Koppell has met with the Speaker and worked to engage the support of his colleagues for the Fair Wages for New Yorkers Act. He drafted a letter to the Speaker requesting a hearing, which all but one of the bill co-sponsors signed, and worked with stakeholders to organize rallies, meetings and other events in support of the bill. He has met with the Speaker and worked with advocates for people with disabilities for the Accessible Taxi Mandate. He has marched with and spoke on behalf of unions in support of fair contracts. He is the Chair of the Committee on Mental Health, Mental Retardation, Alcoholism, Drug Abuse, and Disability Services.



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