

Hello, I am Inez E. Dickens, the Majority Whip of the New York City Council. I represent the 9th Council District in Manhattan, specifically, Central Harlem, Morningside Heights, parts of the Upper West Side and East Harlem.

Being one of two women and the only woman of color in a leadership position in the City Council during the past four years, I have worked hard to maintain quality public housing, affordable "income targeted" housing, jobs and job training programs.

I fight to preserve and expand quality public health care services for all, but especially our future - our children, and our elders. I have fought to revitalize small business and to sustain and build public institutions such as libraries, schools, hospitals and cultural centers in my district and throughout our great City.

We face tough times and difficult decisions must be made. I will use my experience to make decisions in the best interests of my community, my district and our City.

I thank you for your past support and hope that you will allow me to continue to fight for you in the New York City Council by re-electing me.

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