

Hi. I'm Melvin Brown born and raised in Brooklyn, New York. I'm running for City Council for the Independence Party line.

I've served as a member of Community Board 4 which is responsible for solving community problems and creating solutions for Public Housing, Senior Citizen issues, Crime and Drug Prevention. I also served on former Mayor Dinkins' and other campaigns.

Something else I want you to know about me. I'm very serious about family. I am very passionate about this because I was a former foster care child separated at a tender age of 7 years old. After being brought through the system, left alone without any support or safety net leaving you unprepared for the world and left to find yourself through trial and error. I know what it is to be a runaway, not to have a real loving nurturing home, being angry, hurt and not having programs to keep children off the streets and off drugs, out of jails, or even death. This is why I created a nonprofit organization called, "Possibility House." We talk to children and young

adults and enroll them in very powerful programs called "Mind Tuning," helping them to rid themselves of the baggage that they carry around and allowing them to move forward in a world of endless possibilities.

I also helped create a charter school named "Arts and Business School" in Wingate for children not likely to succeed. We did very well with that program.

And, there is something else I want you to know I'll be fighting for.

For money for programs for the young people to stay out of problems and strengthening good old family values.

And, job creation programs and caring for our elderly.

Quality education, lower taxes and reducing the cost of living.

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Affordable healthcare for all people, clean streets and beautiful neighborhoods.

If you want to know more about me, please check my website [melvinbrownforcitycouncil.org](http://melvinbrownforcitycouncil.org).

Thank you so much.

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