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Dear members of !
I am a member of Amalgamated Warbasse Houses' Board of Directors.
Since 1994, I've called this place home.

The communities of Brighton Beach, Trump Village, Luna Park, Warbasse and Brightwater Towers should be in one 47th Council District like it was before 2002 redistricting. It defies the logic to have neighboring high rises like Brightwater Towers, Luna Park and Trump Village in the 48th District while keeping Warbasse Houses in the 47th District. We have similar problems, issues, interests, demographics, economic status.

Coney Island, Sea Gate, Brighton Beach, Trump Village, Luna Park, Brightwater Towers are often referred to as Greater Coney Island and they should be together in the same Council District. These neighborhoods share the same subway lines (Q-train) and bus lines (B-36 and B-68), famous Riegelmann Boardwalk and beaches, schools like PS 100 and PS 253, Asser Levy Park.

Coney Island, Sea Gate, Brighton Beach (from Ocean Parkway till Coney Island Avenue), Trump Village, Warbasse, Luna Park, Brightwater Towers are currently located in the same Community Board 13, 60th Police Precinct, 46th Assembly District, 23rd State Senate District and 8th Congressional District.

These areas should be combined into a single 47th Council District.
I am requesting that they be included in the 47th Council District by the Districting Commission.

Sincerely,

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