

# I. Daneek Miller

For City Council 27th CD

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## **SEIU 32BJ SUPPORTS I. DANEEK MILLER FOR RE-ELECTION TO THE CITY COUNCIL**

[SEIU 32BJ](#), with 163,000 members the largest union of property service workers in the U.S., endorsed I. Daneek Miller for re-election as New York City Council Member for the 27th District (Southeast Queens).

Hector Figueroa, president of SEIU 32BJ, stated, “The members of 32BJ enthusiastically endorse Daneek Miller for re-election to the New York City Council. As a long-time union member who led his local, Daneek has fought for policies that New York’s working families need. This includes expansion of paid sick and family leave, workplace protections for school cleaners and handypersons, as well as workers in grocery stores and in the fast food industry, and to increase affordable housing. We are confident he will continue supporting the city’s working families.”

In accepting the endorsement Councilman Miller stated, “32BJ advocates for the men and women in one of the City’s largest industries and my efforts in the Council fit with the core advocacy of this progressive union. I have been proud to work with them to ensure they are able to support their families.” As Chair of the City Council’s Committee on Civil Service and Labor, the Councilman worked with 32BJ and others to pass laws to better the lives of working families. This includes paid sick leave and protections for workers in the retail and building service industries, ensuring they cannot be let go because of circumstances out of their control.

Councilman Miller, who previously served as President of Amalgamated Transit Union Local 1056 and co-chair of the MTA Labor Coalition, added, I thank Hector Figueroa and 32BJ for their endorsement and look forward to continuing our work to uplift working families.

The Councilman’s campaign previously [announced](#) the endorsement of The New York City Central Labor Council (CLC), a federation of 300 labor unions representing 1.3 million members across the New York City region.

Daneek has lived in Southeast Queens in the 27th Council District for the nearly four decades. He also serves as Democratic District Leader for Part A of the 33<sup>rd</sup> Assembly District. Prior to taking public offices his involvements included the Southern Queens Parks Association, the NYC Middle School Sports Association, Brothers Unlimited and United Black Men of Queens.

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