



# Yvette Alexander

## Making Ward 7 One

### LEGISLATIVE NOTES

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JANUARY 2011

## Legislative Actions as of January 2011

### COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

- **Public Services and Consumer Affairs,**  
*Chairperson*
- **Economic Development,**  
*Member*
- **Health,** *Member*
- **Human Services,**  
*Member*

### Introduced in January

**Bill 19-0040 – CLOSING AND INCLUSION OF A PORTION OF ANACOSTIA AVENUE NE, ABUTTING PARCEL 170/14 ACT OF 2011** – To facilitate the development of a new child development center in Northeast Washington, D.C. in Ward 7.

### Co-Introduced in January

**Proposed Resolution 19-0020 – SENSE OF THE COUNCIL ON CALLING ON CONGRESS TO ADMIT THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA AS THE 51ST STATE OF THE UNION RESOLUTION OF 2011** – To encourage our Delegate to the U.S. House of Representatives to introduce legislation for Congress to use its constitutional powers and admit the District of Columbia as the 51st State of the Union.

### Co-Sponsored in January

**B19-0001 – RETURNING CITIZENS AND EX-OFFENDER SERVICES REFORM AMENDMENT ACT OF 2011**

**B19-0005 – DEPARTMENT OF FORENSIC SCIENCES ACT OF 2011**  
**B19-0006 – FIREHOUSE PARKING EXCEPTION AMENDMENT ACT OF 2011**

**B19-0007 – ATHLETIC CONCUSSION PROTECTION ACT OF 2011**

**B19-0008 – DELINQUENT DEBT RECOVERY ACT OF 2011**

BI9-0010 – DISTRIBUTED GENERATION AMENDMENT ACT OF 2011

BI9-0011 – BULLYING AND INTIMIDATION PREVENTION ACT OF 2011

BI9-0014 – PARENT AND CHILD SAFE SCHOOL DROP OFF AND PICK UP ACT OF 2011

BI9-0015 – PERSONAL MOBILITY DEVICE FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITY AMENDMENT ACT OF 2011

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BI9-0018 – DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA WORK RELEASE AMENDMENT ACT OF 2011

BI9-0033 – LOCAL COURT REFORM AMENDMENT ACT OF 2011

BI9-0035 – RESTAURANT HYGIENE TRANSPARENCY ACT OF 2011

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BI9-0044 – ELECTRICIAN EQUALITY ACT OF 2011

BI9-0045 – DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS INCENTIVE AMENDMENT ACT OF 2011

BI9-0046 – INCREASE IN HOUSING AFFORDABILITY ACT OF 2011

BI9-0047 – MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DRIVE DESIGNATION ACT OF 2011

BI9-0050 – DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA WORKFORCE INTERMEDIARY ESTABLISHMENT AND REFORM OF FIRST SOURCE AND LIVING WAGE AMENDMENT ACT OF 2011

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**Upcoming Hearings:**  
**Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs**

2/9/2011 – Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs Hearing on the Department of Health Care Finance District of Columbia Health Care Exchange Authorizing Act of 2011, Bill 19-0002 @ 1 p.m., Room 500.

2/11/2011 – Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs Roundtable on PEPCO @ 4 p.m., Room 412

**For other Upcoming Hearings, please view the D.C. Council Calendar at <http://dccouncil.us/councilschedule>**

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#### About Ward7

Ward 7 sits on the most eastern part of the city. It is composed of 29 neighborhoods, over 72,000 people and has the largest number of children living within its boundaries. There is one public high school, H.D. Woodson Senior High, and several public charter high schools including Cesar Chavez and Friendship Collegiate Academy. The Ward has over 25 public and public charter elementary and middle schools. Ward 7 is surrounded by the Anacostia River on the west, Prince Georges County, Maryland on the north and east, and Ward 8 on the south. Some of the oldest communities in the District are in Ward 7, including Deanwood and Kenilworth.