Tenant leader with the Northwest Bronx Community and Clergy Coalition

"The Northwest Bronx Community and Clergy Coalition have inspired a change in myself and my neighbors. We went from a building full of people who feared losing their homes and tenants who were living in unhealthy living quarters, to a tenant association filled with motivated leaders that are ready for battle to demand the living conditions that we deserve. We know that building owners and landlords use scare tactics and threats to benefit themselves. Resources like rent strikes and the knowledge of tenant rights can stop these threats and tactics from affecting our families and our communities. The knowledge and resources that tenant organizing groups provide are immeasurable!"

TAMMIE STALLINGS
BROOKLYN
Tenant leader with the Flatbush Tenant Coalition

"Tenant harassment is one of the leading causes of homelessness across NYC, and we need relief now! We are being priced out and put out. It is important to organize. If we don't organize, we are going to be homeless. If we don't organize, we will have to prepare for more hardship. We should not fear organizing. If anything, we should fear homelessness. Let's come together as one to save our community. Fight to stay in your home!"

WHAT TENANTS ARE SAYING ABOUT THE POWER TO ORGANIZE BILL (INTRO 1529)

INTRO 1529 would strengthen the Right to Counsel law by requiring the city to support trusted tenant organizing groups so that all tenants know about this new law, understand it, and use it as a tool to assert their rights as tenants.

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tenant power, and thereby, hold landlords accountable. When I found out that our zip code has been granted Right to Counsel, I was extremely happy. What this means is that tenants can now let go of fear. The fear that paralyzes them and lets landlords get away with murder. Our job is to push to make sure this much-needed legislation is passed. Many landlords use their attorneys as their mouthpiece and the courts as their guide to get away with illegal actions. We, as tenants whom are being taken advantage of, are left out to dry. Right to Counsel allows us to organize stronger and with moral fear because it lessens landlords’ abilities to intimidate. It gives us hope and a reason to continue to fight because it lessens landlords’ abilities to intimidate. It allows us to organize stronger and with moral fear. Right to Counsel is a way in and you have a team of organizers with you. Goddard Riverside comes in with us in 2006. Our community services helped residents in 2006. Catholic Migration Services helped residents displaced by a predatory equity landlord who promised high rates of return to their investors. Afterward, my neighbors were not their primary residence and building conditions worsened. By a predatory equity landlord who promised high rates of return to their investors.

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