

# Assemblyman Phil Ramos

Fighting for safer  
communities



“Parents shouldn’t have to fear for their children’s lives when they leave the house. I fought for measures this year that combat gang violence and protect Long Island families.” – **Assemblyman Phil Ramos**

Look inside to see how  
**Assemblyman Ramos**  
is helping to keep our  
neighborhoods safe

# Assemblyman Phil Ramos is working to keep Long Island families safe

## Keeping guns out of the wrong hands

Assemblyman Ramos fought for new laws to curb gun violence in Suffolk County, including banning undetectable firearms and requiring the safe storage of firearms if a child is present (Ch. 134, 135 of 2019).

Assemblyman Ramos also supported commonsense gun safety measures that:

- Establish an extreme risk protection order to keep guns away from a person who's a threat to themselves or others (Ch. 19 of 2019)
- Ensure thorough background checks (Ch. 129 of 2019)
- Ban bump stocks (Ch. 130 of 2019)

## Combating gang violence

Assemblyman Ramos helped secure funding for automatic license plate readers to be installed in Brentwood, Central Islip and Bay Shore. **These license plate readers will help law enforcement solve open crimes and will not be used to intrude on our private lives or issue summonses.**

While progress has been made, Assemblyman Ramos will continue to support legislation that protects our families, including measures that would:

- Establish a coordinated effort to combat gang violence between the state Division of Criminal Justice Services and state police (A.6707)
- Establish a gang court pilot program (A.7953)
- Increase penalties for gang-related offenses (A.4901)
- Allocate resources for gang prevention programs (A.6975)



## Looking out for our kids

Assemblyman Ramos is also fighting to ensure our kids have the resources they need to succeed. He secured \$150,000 for the Brentwood Union Free School District and \$100,000 for the Central Islip Union Free School District to expand

successful programs such as My Brother's Keeper, which helps close opportunity gaps faced by young men of color and reduces gang violence on Long Island.

### Suffolk Police to Deploy License Plate Readers Amid Recent Gang Slayings in Brentwood

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