Representative Ritchie Torres

Party: Democratic  
District: NY-15

Relevant Committees: TBD

Relevant Caucuses: TBD

Member Bio: Torres is the first gay Afro-Latino elected to the House. Torres advocates for federal housing vouchers and expanding the child tax credit. He also supports a federal investment against climate change, "an FDR moment". He replaces retiring Jose Serrano (D). Ritchie Torres was first elected to the NYC Council in November 2013 to represent the 15th Council District in the Central Bronx, becoming the youngest elected official in New York City at the age of 25.

Election Vote: 88.2%

District Info: Located in the southeastern portion of the state and includes parts of Bronx County, in New York City

State Info: NY produces $778 million in fresh produce and tree nuts annually on nearly than 7,800 farms. Other major agricultural commodities include dairy, grains and cattle.

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