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## Daily News OpEd: North Brooklyn Deserves Its Promised Bushwick Inlet Park

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To Fund It, Consider Borrowing A Trick From De Blasio's Proposed BQX Streetcar

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*In 2005, the city approved a major rezoning in Greenpoint and Williamsburg, resulting in an explosion of waterfront towers and residential density. As a key part of that rezoning, the*

*community was promised a new, nearly 30-acre Bushwick Inlet Park."*

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*Eleven years later? Thousands of new residents are here; the park is not. The city says it's too expensive."*

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### **2015-S5885A**

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- Introduced
  
- ○ In Committee Assembly
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- ○ On Floor Calendar Assembly
  - On Floor Calendar Senate

- ○ Passed Assembly
  - Passed Senate
- Delivered to Governor
- Signed By Governor
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Authorizes the Empire State Development Corporation to acquire a parcel of real property in the borough of Brooklyn; authorizes the city of New York to develop parkland

June 10, 2015

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