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When I accessed the website of the U.S. House of Representatives, I was able to locate my local representative for East New York section of Brooklyn. Her name is Congresswoman, Nydia Velazquez of the 7th District (2013-present). According to the website, Congresswoman Velazquez is the Ranking Member of the House Small Business Committee. She is a member of the Congressional Hispanic Caucus. She is also a senior member of the House Committee on Natural Resources. She also serves on the following Congressional Caucuses and Task Forces:

- Congressional Progressive Caucus
- Congressional Asian American Pacific Caucus
- Democratic Caucus
- Women's Issues Caucus
- Urban Caucus

In the previous calendar year of 2021-2022, Congresswoman Velazquez has sponsored a total of 117 legislative bills. One of them was H.R. 9086 (Puerto Rico Recovery Act) in the aftermath of the damage they suffered from Hurricane Maria. Other sponsored bills include, but are not limited to, H.R. 7351 (Promoting Fair Lending to Small Businesses Act), H.R. 7280 (Prison to Proprietorship Act), H.R. 6575 (Protecting Americans from Gun Violence Act of 2022), and H.R. 6556 (Landlord Accountability Act of 2022).

In the 2023-2024 calendar year, Congresswoman Velazquez has co-sponsored a total of 118 legislative bills. Some of these bills include H.R. 953 (Child Care for Every Community Act), H.R. 782 (Ensuring Women's Right to Reproductive Freedom Act), H.R. 765 (African American History Act), and H.R. 598 (Earth Act to Stop Climate Pollution by 2030).

Congresswoman Velazquez appears to be using her time sponsoring legislation centered around helping underserved communities, environmental issues, and seeking funding centered around protecting victims of gun violence. On face value, Congresswoman Velazquez is a staunch advocate for marginalized communities. In fact, her legislation is consistent across the board. Unfortunately, this is not always the case with politicians who have the tendency to be very inconsistent. This is what surprised me about Congresswoman Velazquez, her consistency. Had it been any other way, I would have a list of things I would want to change about her. However, because she has remained consistent, surprisingly, there is nothing I would change.