

On Monday, July 19, 2010, the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform held a hearing entitled, "Is Brooklyn Being Counted? - Problems With the 2010 Census" to examine a recent incident involving two senior managers at the Brooklyn North East Local Census Office who were fired for fraudulently completing census surveys. The hearing also examined the steps the Census Bureau is taking to ensure the accuracy of the 2010 count. The New York State Congressional Delegation has been invited to participate in the hearing.

The hearing was held on Monday, July 19, 2010 at 10:00 a.m. in the courtroom of Brooklyn Borough Hall, located at 209 Joralemon Street, Brooklyn, NY.

To watch a webcast of the hearing, [click here](#)

The witnesses invited to testify were:

Dr. Robert M. Groves
Director
U.S. Census Bureau

Mr. Todd J. Zinser
Inspector General
U.S. Department of Commerce

Mr. Lester A. Farthing
Regional Director
U.S. Census Bureau NY Regional Census Center

Documents and Links

[Opening Statement of Chairman Edolphus Towns](#)

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