

**“I’M DC 37.
I SAVE LIVES.
AND TAXPAYERS’
DOLLARS.”**

—Emergency Medical Technician

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I TAKE THE PULSE
OF MY PATIENTS.
AND THE CITY.”**

—Patient Care Associate

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—Public Health Nurse

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—Hospital Care Investigator

**“I’M DC 37.
I CONSERVE MUSEUM
TREASURES. AND
TAXPAYERS’
DOLLARS.”**

—Senior Principal Preparator

**“I’M DC 37.
I MANAGE
THE CITY’S
BOOKS.”**

—Librarian Branch Manager, Queens

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**“I’M DC 37. I HELP
STRENGTHEN
THE CITY’S
INFRASTRUCTURE.”**

—Construction Manager

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—School Crossing Guard

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There's a whole shadow government you don't even know about...
Right now, the city awards private contractors 18,000 contracts that cost \$9 billion.

We ask the city: Where's the accountability in that?
Where's the transparency in that?

Private contractors don't undergo background checks. Private contractors don't take tests to show they're qualified to do the work. Many don't even pay workers a living wage or provide health care benefits. **Some don't even pay their share of state or city taxes;** their headquarters are located out of state.

And then there are the dedicated public employees of DC 37. We're more than 125,000 public employees who keep New York City running by working in over 1,000 job titles—everything from Accountants to Zookeepers.

We protect the public's health, provide social safety-net services, teach and nurture school children, maintain parks, roads and bridges, keep your water clean, and much, much more.

So why does the city pay private contractors \$9 billion to do the work we can do more efficiently and cost-effectively?

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