

Ben Sorensen was sworn in as the Fort Lauderdale City Commissioner for District 4 on December 3, 2024, after prior service from 2018 to 2022, including two terms as Vice Mayor. On April 7th, 2026, Ben began his third term as the Vice Mayor of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission. A steadfast advocate for ethical, transparent government and resilient infrastructure, Ben draws on his experience as a Navy Reserve Chaplain, educator, and small business owner to strengthen civic trust and deliver meaningful results. Ben has long worked with neighbors and community stakeholders to address key issues facing the city and implement solutions. Most notably, solving the homeless encampment at the Downtown Library and implementing Community Court in Fort Lauderdale.