

Mark Farrell, CASA Steering Committee

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Mayor Mark E. Farrell is the 44th Mayor of San Francisco. On January 23, 2018, then-Supervisor Farrell was voted by his colleagues on the Board of Supervisors to serve as Mayor following the death of Mayor Edwin M. Lee.

Priorities for the Mayor include addressing the City's homeless challenges, ensuring that streets remain clean and safe, defending immigrant communities, improving public safety and closing San Francisco's digital divide.

As Supervisor, he was the City's longest-serving chair on the Budget and Finance Committee, where he helped pass four balanced budgets. He also championed retiree reform measures, helping to solve a \$4.4 billion unfunded liability, while enacting tax credit legislation that allowed small businesses to hire more employees. Mayor Farrell is a born and raised San Franciscan. He attended both Stuart Hall and Saint Ignatius, and subsequently received his B.A. from Loyola Marymount University in Los Angeles, his M.A. from University College Dublin in Ireland, and J.D. from the University of Pennsylvania Law School in Philadelphia. Prior to joining the Board of Supervisors, Mayor Farrell was a small business owner in the finance sector.

He resides in the Jordan Park neighborhood with his wife and three children.



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City and County employees play an important role not only in making San Francisco what it is today, but also in shaping its future. The City and County of San Francisco employ more than 28,000 individuals in a diverse array of services such as maintaining city streets and parks, driving buses and cable cars, providing public health services, keeping the streets safe, and firefighting.