

City of Fort Lauderdale Organizational Chart



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The City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida



seeks qualified candidates for the position of:

Finance Director



Fort Lauderdale, Florida

Incorporated on March 27, 1911, the City of Fort Lauderdale is situated on the southeast coast of Florida, centrally located between Miami and Palm Beach. Encompassing more than 33 square miles with a population of nearly 167,000, Fort Lauderdale is the largest of Broward County's 30 municipalities and the seventh largest city in Florida. Embraced by the Atlantic Ocean, New River and a myriad of scenic inland waterways, Fort Lauderdale truly lives up to its designation as the "Venice of America."

Once known strictly as a tourism-based economy, Fort Lauderdale now supports a diverse range of industries including marine, manufacturing, finance, insurance, real estate, high technology, avionics/aerospace, film and television production.

Fort Lauderdale also offers an outstanding quality of life, highlighted by a semi-tropical climate, rich natural beauty and an array of cultural, entertainment and educational amenities. Blessed with over 3,000 hours of sunshine each year and pleasant year-round ocean breezes, world-famous Fort Lauderdale Beach offers premier opportunities for recreation, relaxation and enjoyment.

Fort Lauderdale's Government

The City of Fort Lauderdale functions with a City Commission/City Manager form of government. The City Commission is comprised of a Mayor and four Commissioners. The Commission appoints the City Manager, the City Clerk, the City Attorney and the City Auditor. These four Commission appointees serve at the pleasure of the Commission.

The City Manager prepares and administers the annual budget and serves as administrative head of the government.

Fort Lauderdale provides a full array of traditional municipal services such as Police, Fire-Rescue, Parks and Recreation and Public Works. In addition, the City owns and operates a variety of specialized facilities and programs including a municipal auditorium, a baseball stadium, the International Swimming Hall of Fame, a general aviation airport, a trash transfer station, two parking garages, and seven miles of public beach.

The Position of Finance Director

The Finance Director is appointed by the City Manager and is responsible, through an Assistant City Manager, for directing the activities of the Finance Department that includes financial planning, budgeting, accounting, revenue administration, and the billing and collecting of special assessments and service charges for the City with a department budget of over \$6.1 million and 46 full time employees. The City budget is over \$536 million. The Department Director directs and coordinates the work of divisions engaged in various phases of fiscal administration, including the Accounting,

Treasury, and Risk Management.

Desired Qualifications

The ideal candidate for this position will have graduated from an accredited college or university with a Bachelor's degree in business administration, accounting, or finance **AND** be a Certified Public Accountant (CPA); **OR** have a Master's degree in business administration, accounting, or finance and have at least seven (7) years of highly responsible managerial experience in accounting, revenue administration, and other phases of fiscal management, including at least five (5) years in governmental accounting. Department Directors are required to live in the City of Fort Lauderdale. The City of Fort Lauderdale provides relocation assistance.

Salary and Benefits

The salary range for this position is \$95,326 to \$145,018 annually plus liberal fringe benefits with no state or local income tax. Starting salary is negotiable depending on qualifications. The City of Fort Lauderdale offers a superior fringe benefits package, which includes defined contribution or deferred compensation, 25 vacation days, 9 paid holidays annually, and a vehicle allowance of \$4,680 per year.

