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## **Native Son Jermaine Burrell Files Intent to Run for Mobile Mayor**

*Intent filing follows Burrell's 25+ years career of senior leadership roles in corporate America, longtime dedication to service*

*Burrell also formerly served on the Mobile City Council representing District 3*

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*Burrell is also founder of both a local management consulting company and civic engagement organization*

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(Mobile, AL) – Today, native Mobilian Jermaine A. Burrell, an entrepreneur and community organizer with more than two decades of corporate leadership experience, filed his intent to run for mayor of Mobile in the upcoming August 2025 municipal election. Burrell submitted paperwork with the Alabama Secretary of State's office to recognize his newly-formed campaign committee as he explores a bid to become Mobile's next mayor, in advance of a formal campaign announcement in the coming weeks.

***"Mobile has invested a great deal in me, instilling the values and lessons in me that have allowed me to travel the world and grow my leadership and management skills in corporate America. I was thrilled to put my experience to use for District 3 and our city***

***during my tenure on the City Council, and I was crushed when the city's lack of job opportunities forced me to move away to continue growing in my industry,"*** said Burrell on filing his intent to run for mayor.

***"I returned home because I love Mobile, but no one should have to leave our city or go without because they can't grow their careers, like I did, or because they can't afford to live, or because their business won't flourish, or because they don't feel safe in their homes,"*** continued Burrell. ***"That's why I'm exploring a bid to lead our city as its next Mayor, because I believe working together we can build on our successes to make our city a place where everyone—business owners, working families, seniors, young professionals, and more—can thrive and feel safe, no matter their background or what neighborhood they live in. I'm looking forward to connecting directly with Mobilians over the coming weeks about how we can build Mobile's future together."***

Burrell plans to hear from Mobilians over the coming days and weeks to learn more about their top issues in the upcoming mayoral race. A dedicated public servant with more than 25 years of senior leadership experience in business and IT management, Burrell has a long track record of boosting productivity, reducing operational costs, managing global cross-functional teams and directing multi-million dollar budgets for several Fortune 500 companies.

Currently, Burrell serves as the founder of J. Burrell Enterprises, a local management consulting company, and Voices of Truth Community Organizers, a local organization focused on civic engagement and youth mentorship. Additionally, from 2009-2012, Burrell represented District 3 on the Mobile City Council, where he fought against burdensome fees on residents and irresponsible spending and budgets that would cut essential city services. During his time on City Council, Burrell also led successful efforts to revamp the Taylor Park municipal pool in Oakdale, renovate the old South Brookley School into the updated Dauphin Island Parkway Senior Activities for Independent Living Center, and restore Duval Park.

**For more information about Jermaine, visit [BurrellforMobile.com](http://BurrellforMobile.com)**

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*A native son of Mobile with a heart for public service, Jermaine A. Burrell is an entrepreneur, community organizer and former Mobile City Council member with 25+ years of experience in corporate America, running to become Mobile's next mayor.*