

Invitation to the Harbordale Civic Association
Meeting
November 1 2023



You are invited

Broward County Mayor, (and our representative),
Lamar Fisher will be the guest at the Harbordale
Civic Association Meeting on November 1.

We also will be holding elections for the 2024
Officers and Board

We meet at 7:00 pm at the Police
Sub Station in Harbor Shops

1815 Cordova Road Suite B207. Take the Elevator
by the KOI Restaurant to the second floor.

For more information about our meetings
Harbordale.org

Ask your questions about traffic,
homeless/affordable housing,
commuter rail projects... stations,
bridges and tunnels

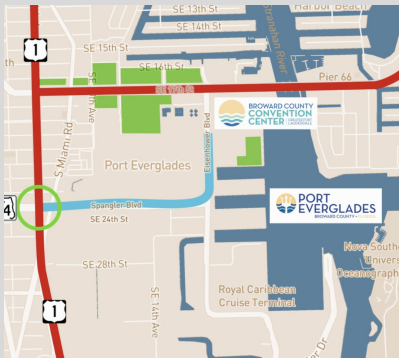
Broward County Mayor Lamar Fisher



Count on coming to the November 1 General Membership Meeting when our guest will be Broward County Mayor Lamar Fisher. Most people aren't aware of the outsize role that County Government plays in our daily lives.

The County owns and manages the Airport and Port Everglades. The largest share of your property taxes go to the County. They collect and spend the Penny Sales Tax Surcharge for transportation. They play a key role in affordable housing programs and homeless outreach. Just check out the FY2024 Budget to see where your money goes.

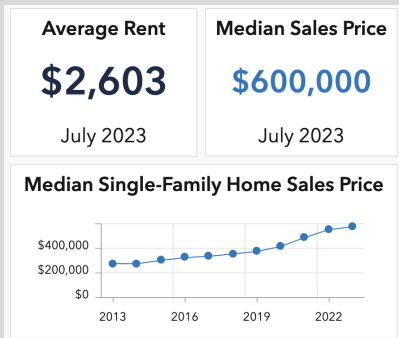
[Broward County Budget](#)



Convention Center and By Pass Road

The Convention Center expansion project will add an additional 525,000+ square feet of meeting space and an upscale 800-room headquarters hotel. It takes full advantage of the amenities of this beautifully scenic location on the Intracoastal Waterway, focused on a mix of activities associated with the Intracoastal and nearby Port Everglades, consistently ranked as one of the three busiest cruise ports in the world. The total cost of the project is estimated to be in the neighborhood of \$1 billion.

[By pass road video](#)



Affordable Housing and Homeless

Broward County's housing inventory has increased by 8,000 units since 2017, which is less than one percent annually. The most significant increase in units since 2017 was in multi-family structures of 20 or more units (5,123 units). Broward County's single-family, detached housing units increased by only 1,873 units since 2017. (2016-2020 5-year ACS estimates; 2022 Affordable Housing Needs Assessment, page 10)

[Broward County Housing Statistics](#)



Traffic and Transportation

On November 6, 2018, Broward County voters approved a local one cent sales tax to increase mobility and to address the many transportation challenges faced in our region.

Broward County has created a "Projects in your City" plan that aims to reduce traffic congestion, improve roads, enhance traffic light timing, develop safe sidewalks and bike path, expand transit and much more.

[Video of Projects](#)

Broward Commuter Rail

BCR South proposes to extend commuter rail service on the FEC Railway corridor from the planned passenger station in the City of Aventura north to the City of Fort Lauderdale, a distance of 11.5 miles. Stations are recommended in the City of Hollywood, Fort Lauderdale-



Hollywood International Airport, and Broward Health Medical Center. The purple squares on the map below show the major activity centers near the project corridor.

Broward Commuter Rail Project

Finally!!!! Sidewalks, ADA Ramps and Stop Lines



Evolution of the Cordova Road Complete Street Proposal

Several years a Complete Streets Project was proposed for Cordova Road from SE 17th St to SE 15th St. The plan from FDOT, Broward MPO and the City included lane changes, a roundabout, medians and a bike lane. When that proposal was abandoned we worked with the City to implement the best parts of the proposal... a raised intersection, sidewalks, crosswalks and stop lines. It took us almost three years. Now it's done and what a safety improvement.

And now we need to seek funding to add our Logo to the raised intersection comparable to SE 10th Avenue and Miami Road.





Any member who wants to volunteer for the 2024 Board or Officers can do so by contacting us at

[Contact Harbordale](#)

Job descriptions for these volunteer positions can be found in the By Laws at

[About Harbordale](#)



You can learn all about the City's sustainability efforts and find more opportunities to help by going to the City's official portal for all things green

[Green Your Routine Home Page](#)

You can volunteer to help at any of the many other opportunities available to Harbordale members. Just go to our web site and indicate that you want to volunteer for Green Your Routine events. You can bet we will get back to you with the possibilities

[I want to Volunteer for Green Your Routine Events](#)

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