



CITY OF SOUTH BEND

PETE BUTTIGIEG, MAYOR
Office of the Mayor

MAYOR PETE BUTTIGIEG: BIO - LONG VERSION

Mayor Pete Buttigieg (boot-edge-edge) is the chief executive of the City of South Bend. The city's 32nd mayor, he was sworn into office on January 1, 2012 and was re-elected for a second term of office on November 3. As mayor, Buttigieg is responsible for the city workforce of over 1,000 employees and an annual budget over \$300 million.

Buttigieg is working to strengthen the local economy by retaining and attracting businesses, partner with the local public school system, manage a cutting-edge city administration, improve neighborhood quality of life, and use proven methods to enhance public safety.

A Rhodes Scholar, Buttigieg studied Philosophy, Politics, and Economics at Oxford and holds a bachelor's degree in History and Literature from Harvard. Buttigieg was born in South Bend and grew up in the Northwest Side and North Shore Triangle neighborhoods. He attended St. Joseph's High School in South Bend.

Prior to becoming mayor, Buttigieg worked for McKinsey & Company, a top consulting firm, where he worked in economic development, energy, retail, and logistics.

Buttigieg serves on the boards of the Indiana Association of Cities and Towns and the Truman National Security Project. He was named the 2015 co-recipient of the John F. Kennedy New Frontier Awards.

Elected at the age of 29, he is one of America's youngest mayors of a city with over 100,000 residents. In 2013, he was named Mayor of the Year by GovFresh.com, sharing the honor with former New York City Mayor Michael Bloomberg, and was called "the most interesting mayor you've never heard of" by the *Washington Post*. An officer in U.S. Navy Reserve, Buttigieg took a leave of absence to serve in Afghanistan during a seven-month deployment in 2014, earning the Joint Service Commendation Medal for his counterterrorism work.

An active musician, Buttigieg plays piano and guitar, and has performed with the South Bend Symphony Orchestra. He lives in the same neighborhood where he grew up and is restoring a formerly vacant home there.



MAYOR PETE BUTTIGIEG: BIO - SHORT VERSION

Pete Buttigieg (boot-edge-edge) is the mayor of South Bend, Indiana's fourth-largest city.

A Rhodes Scholar, he holds degrees from Oxford and Harvard Universities. He was the Democratic nominee for Indiana State Treasurer in 2010 against incumbent Richard Mourdock. Previously he was a management consultant at McKinsey & Company where he worked in energy, retail, economic development, and logistics.

Elected in 2011 at the age of 29, he is one of America's youngest mayors of a city with over 100,000 residents. A lieutenant in the U.S. Navy Reserve, he spent most of 2014 leave from the office while deployed to Afghanistan.