

Hi, I'm Marvin Rees and the Mayor of Bristol.

We are a city with, I think, a phenomenal ambition for our population.

We understand the City Council as having a leading role to play in driving an inclusive, sustainable and healthy city of hope and aspiration, where everyone can share in its success.

Our corporate strategy sets out our priorities and, as a senior leader, you'll have a key role in making sure that we are successful in delivery of those ambitions and priorities along with our city partners.

We're building a better Bristol, one where we help people. For example, to ensure that every child belongs and every child gets the best possible start in life, whatever circumstances they're born into.

We want to support economic growth that builds inclusive and resilient communities, decarbonises the city and offers equity of opportunity. As I've said, we want to decarbonise the city, support the recovery of nature and lead a just transition to a low-carbon future.

We want to tackle health inequalities to help people stay healthier and happier throughout their lives.

We want to build healthy, resilient and inclusive neighbourhoods with fair access to decent, affordable homes and we want to develop an efficient, sustainable and inclusive transport system to connect people to people, people to jobs and people to opportunity.

We want to continue to move from city government with the over emphasis on the Local Authority to city governance through our One City approach, where we recognise that the way Bristol is run is through all the major organisations in a place working together, having an impact on people's lives.

You can read some more about that in our Corporate Strategy and I'd encourage you to do so.

Our commitment to equality and inclusion for our city and workforce means we're looking for candidates from a wide range of sectors and a wide range of career experiences.

We're looking for real leaders with transferrable skills and a broad lived experience and that means we want people to come here with technical ability, but we want people who have the ability to release the skills and abilities of people around them.

If we bring someone in with ten pound's worth of ability who crushes twelve, they're a net loss to the organisation. Bring your technical skills, release those of people around you.

So we want people who share our values and have the leadership capability and commitment to Bristol and all of its citizens.

It's a real great time to join us. We face major challenges, we have major opportunities.

If you'd like to find out more, visit our microsite for all the information about the roles on offer and who you can contact to discuss in more detail.