

Chuck Morse

Executive Director
Thrive New Orleans

EDUCATION

B.A. in Public Administration | Virginia State UniversityM.A. in Urban Studies | University of New OrleansM.A. in Divinity | Union Baptist College Theological Seminary in New Orleans

BIOGRAPHY

Chuck Morse is the Executive Director of Thrive New Orleans, a nonprofit focused on social justice by creating equitable opportunities for Black, Indigenous, and People of Color (BIPOC). Thrive emphasizes small business capacity building, workforce development, youth engagement, and essential resources, and acts as New Orleans' National Disaster Resiliency Operator. Under Morse's leadership, the organization tackles climate change by training BIPOC workers in stormwater management and assisting small businesses in securing green infrastructure contracts. Morse is also a key community leader, participating in various local boards and committees, such as the Greater New Orleans Water Collaborative and the City of New Orleans Climate Action Plan Diversity Committee.

STATEMENT OF INTEREST

Thrive New Orleans aims to join the South Central TCTAC Advisory Council to provide leadership and insights on sustainable energy solutions, focusing on environmental justice. Their expertise in building resilient communities and ensuring inclusivity will help integrate marginalized voices in decision-making. Under Chuck Morse's leadership, Thrive can offer innovative approaches to address energy and environmental challenges in the South Central region, positioning him as a valuable partner for meaningful change.

ORGANIZATION: Thrive New Orleans

Thrive New Orleans is committed to racial equity by advancing new systems for economic opportunity, climate resiliency, and community stability. Thrive focuses on three areas of impact: developing a skilled workforce, building the capacity of small businesses, and engaging youth and families. You can find out more by visiting this website: www.thrivenola.org.



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