



NYC Charter Revision Commission Staff

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Alec Schierenbeck is the executive director of the Charter Revision Commission. He previously served as general counsel and senior advisor for planning to Maria Torres-Springer, first in her role as Deputy Mayor for Housing, Economic Development, and Workforce and then as First Deputy Mayor. At City Hall, Schierenbeck helped guide the administration's "City of Yes" initiatives to promote housing opportunity, carbon neutrality, and economic growth, as well as the city's successful advocacy in Albany to secure affordable housing tax incentives and new power to increase residential density. Prior to joining the Mayor's Office, Schierenbeck worked as a litigator in government and private practice. He also served as a law clerk on the U.S. Supreme Court to Justice Stephen Breyer, on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit, and on the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York.

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