



Robert H. (Bobby) Flournoy Jr. has been a resident of Southwest Atlanta since 2001. He purchased his first home in the Westwood neighborhood, where he lived for five years before moving to Beecher Hills, residing there since 2006.

He is a Speech Communication graduate from the University of Georgia, Class of 1999. He has been involved in the hospitality industry since his college years, dating back to 1993.

His career in Atlanta began with The Fifth Group, a local restaurant company which includes South City Kitchen and La Tavola. After three years of learning about food and wine, he advanced to a career with Grapefields Fine Wine, a wholesale company based in Norcross. In December of 2009, he left Grapefields to start his own company, B&L Brands, a sales and marketing company for wine, beer, & spirits. B&L Brands company headquarters is located in Beecher Hills.

In 2014, he began to help organize Beecher Hills into an active group. With the coordination of several neighbors, the Beecher Hills Nextdoor group has begun to meet on a regular basis. This was meant to supplement the efforts already being made by individual, smaller "street" groups that make up the Beecher Hills community. The new group helps coordinate the residents efforts, which are challenged by Beecher Hills being placed in 2 separate Council districts and bordered by up 3 different NPU's. The groups focus is on blight, crime, quality of life, and attracting new businesses to the area.