



Candidate Profiles for

St. Anthony City Council 2021

Ayesha Lynn Khan



Priorities: Freezing Taxes, Maintaining a Safe Community, Increase Community Engagement

I am a prosecutor for the City of Saint Paul in our crimes against person/domestic violence unit. I also obtained my real estate license in 2006, and I receive emails three times a week of all active listings in the Village, noting consistently that inventory is low and prices are high. Finally, I spent many years as a varsity volleyball coach; I can still be found running youth camps and clinics at the community center. I am a member of the American Civil Liberties Union, MN Asian Pacific Bar Association, Minneapolis Association of Realtors, hold a MN coaches license, and am a licensed attorney. Besides studying abroad in London and Jerusalem, my favorite law school course happened to be Election Law. My volunteer work includes working with youth programs, teaching Street Law at alternative schools, donation missions, and volunteer lawyering. Also a member of the American Constitution Society

"People will forget the words you said, they will forget the way you looked, but they will remember how you made them feel; it is important that all residents of Saint Anthony feel included in our community. Representation matters!"

Jan Jenson



Priorities: Leading with transparency, honesty, equity, commitment to accountability, and ensuring service delivery equally to all residents.

I look forward to developing ongoing civic improvements and I place high value on your input. I am a person who listens and one you can depend upon. Together, we will further enhance our community.

I am on the Ramsey County Local League of Governments Board of Directors and have been elected president and was elected to the Metro Cities Board of Directors. I've invested my time in these two organizations to learn and expand my leadership capabilities while serving the City with making policy decisions. These two organizations along with Hennepin County and Ramsey County have identified mental health as a rising issue our cities are facing throughout the region. Therefore, we need to ensure our public safety departments are well equipped to respond effectively to mental health related calls.

Thomas Kuykendall

Priorities: Public Safety, Sustainability, and Affordable Housing

I currently serve as a member of the St. Anthony Planning Commission, President of the St. Anthony Sports Boosters, President of the Boosters Youth Basketball Association, Coach for IBA Girls Traveling Basketball and St. Anthony Boys Traveling Basketball, Committee Member of the St. Anthony Athletics and Activities Advisory Committee, and a Board Member of the Minnesota Youth Athletic Services. Previously served on St. Anthony Parks and Environmental Commission. Professionally, I've been part of the financial services industry for 27 years and currently recruit and lead a division of 18 financial professionals at a firm located in Minneapolis.



"My hope is that we relentlessly deliver on the mission of St. Anthony being a progressive and welcoming Village that is walkable, sustainable, and safe."

Wendy Webster



Priorities: Ensure our community continues to evolve as a progressive, welcoming, walkable city; Develop a process for community feedback to set goals; Address the impact of social isolation and mental well-being of community members.

2008-Present: Director of Community Services and Communications for the St. Anthony-New Brighton School District; 1998-2008: Community Education Manager for Bloomington Public Schools; St. Anthony Sister City Association Board of Directors (6 years), St. Anthony Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors (6 years), St. Anthony Parks Commission as an ex-officio member (10 years), and as a member of the St. Anthony Kiwanis (12 years); Minnesota Community Education Association Board of Directors (11 years) and co-chair of the legislative committee (4 years).

"I am committed to creating a welcoming and inclusive community of St. Anthony. I envision a community where people move in and our arms extend to embrace their family and life experiences because the gifts and talents they share will ensure our community continues to evolve."

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