

**AMENDED (5/18/26) NOTICE OF OFFICES TO BE VOTED FOR AT THE 2026 STATE GENERAL ELECTION
KANDIYOHI COUNTY, MINNESOTA**

Notice is hereby given that a general election will be held in Kandiyohi County on Tuesday, November 3, 2026, for the purpose of voting for the offices listed below. The filing period for these offices begins at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 19, 2026, and ends at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 2, 2026. Candidates may file in person or by mail if the filing is received during the filing period. Candidates who will be absent from the state during the filing period may arrange to file, in person, prior to departure. Note: Filing offices will be closed on May 25, 2026, in observance of Memorial Day. (*MN Statutes 204B.06; 204B.09; 204B.11; and 204B.33*)

Candidates file for federal offices with the Office of the Secretary of State, Veterans Service Building, Suite 210, 20 W 12th Street, St. Paul, MN 55155.

Candidates file for state offices with the Office of the Secretary of State, Veterans Service Building, Suite 210, 20 W 12th Street, St. Paul, MN 55155 or with the County Auditor of the county in which the candidate resides.

Note: The Veterans Service Building has limited public access. Those who need to conduct business with the elections or administration division in person should make arrangements ahead of time by email or phone.

FEDERAL OFFICES

US Senator (One)

US Representative – District 7 (One)

STATE LEGISLATIVE OFFICES

State Senator – District 16 (One)

State Representative – District 16A (One)

State Representative – District 16B (One)

STATE EXECUTIVE OFFICES

Governor and Lieutenant Governor

Secretary of State

State Auditor

Attorney General

STATE JUDICIAL OFFICES

Candidates for judicial office may file either with the Office of the Minnesota Secretary of State or with the County Auditor in the county where the candidate resides. A Candidate filing for one of the Minnesota Court of Appeals seats that has been designated for one of the congressional districts must be a resident of that congressional district.

Supreme Court

Associate Justice (Three Seats)

<u>Seat #</u>	<u>Incumbent:</u>
1	Sarah E. Hennesy
2	Theodora Karin Gaitas
4	Paul C. Thissen

Court of Appeals (Five Seats)

Appellate offices are elected statewide. Where designated, candidates must reside in the congressional district listed for at least one year.

<u>Seat #</u>	<u>Incumbent:</u>	<u>Seat #</u>	<u>Incumbent:</u>
1	Elizabeth G. Bentley	15 (3 rd Congressional District)	Kevin G. Ross
7 (5 th Congressional District)	Rachel Bond	18	JaPaul Harris
13	Jeanne M. Cochran		

District Courts

Eighth District Court (Five Seats):

<u>Seat #</u>	<u>Incumbent:</u>	<u>Seat #</u>	<u>Incumbent:</u>
2	Stephanie L. Beckman	10	Benjamin Pieh
4	Melissa J. Listug	11	Allison T. Whalen
7	Laurence J. Stratton		

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Candidates file for county offices with the Office of the Kandiyohi County Auditor-Treasurer, 400 Benson Avenue SW, P.O. Box 936, Willmar, Minnesota 56201.

COUNTY OFFICES

County Commissioner – District No. 1 (One)

City of Willmar: Ward 1 Precinct 2, Ward 1 Precinct 3, Ward 2 Precinct 1, Ward 2 Precinct 2, Ward 2 Precinct 3

County Commissioner – District No. 3 (One)

Arctander, Colfax, Dovre, Mamre, Lake Andrew, Norway Lake, and St. John's Townships; City of Pennock, City of Sunburg, City of Willmar: Ward 1 Precinct 1 and Ward 3 Precinct 1

County Commissioner – District No. 5 (One)

East Lake Lillian, Edwards, Fahlun, Genessee, Harrison, Holland, Kandiyohi, Lake Elizabeth, Lake Lillian, Roseland, Whitefield and Willmar Townships; City of Atwater, City of Blomkest, City of Kandiyohi, City of Lake Lillian, City of Prinsburg, City of Raymond

County Attorney (One)

County Sheriff (One)

Soil and Water Supervisor – District No. 2 (One)

Burbank, Roseville, New London, Irving and Harrison Townships; City of Regal, City of New London and that portion of City of Spicer which lies within New London Township

Soil and Water Supervisor – District No. 5 (One)

Mamre, St. John's, Edwards, Whitefield and Holland Townships; City of Pennock, City of Raymond, City of Prinsburg

Notice of Filing
(*M.S. 204B.33(b)*)

INTERNAL OFFICE USE ONLY – DO NOT PUBLISH

- County to receive notification by OSS at least 16 weeks before the state primary
- County to send notification to municipal clerks within 10 days after notification by OSS
- Publish County Notice in county newspapers at least one week before the first day to file an affidavit of candidacy – publish week of May 4, 2026
- Post similar Notice at least 10 days before first day to file affidavit of candidacy – post May 8, 2026
- County, Cities & Townships to Post: Official Board – Date Posted: _____ initials _____