

Filing Statements

Cambridge City Council candidates

Aaron Berg

It has been an honor to represent the constituents of the Cambridge-Isanti School District over the last three plus years as a member of the school board. This position has afforded me the opportunity to serve on numerous city, regional and state boards, committees and advisory councils.



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Additionally, in 2019 I was appointed to the City of Cambridge Planning Commission and subsequently promoted as Chairman. This motivated me to learn more about public administration and leadership so I enrolled and completed a Master's Degree in Public Administration in December 2021.

This experience has strengthened my knowledge and understanding of creating policy, mu-

nicipal budgets, human resources, ethics and governance. Political leaders have great responsibility, and citizens expect their leaders to make decisions based on experience, intelligence, and emotional balance.

I am excited for an opportunity to put my decade of public safety experience, education, and community dedication to work for the citizens of Cambridge. I am seeking a seat on the Cambridge City Council, and I would appreciate your continued support and vote in the August 9 Primary and November 8 General Election.

There are many more exciting things on the horizon for our community and I am dedicated to continuing to make a difference and leave a positive mark.

Brandon Harapat

I was born in Cambridge and having been part of this community for much of my life. A little bit about my background is I grew up in Isanti county and graduated from Braham High School. I have been living in Cambridge for the past 7 years and currently have a career in the cellular communications industry maintaining service for various carriers.



Brandon Harapat

I don't have a background in politics but do think we have a wonderful and growingly diverse city and feel that being a candidate will bring to the table dif-

ferent views on different issues.

My main priorities in the community would include:

Maintaining Focus on education

Proper maintenance and upkeep on our infrastructure

Keeping local taxes from rising

I look forward to hearing from members of our city and can be reached at Brandonharapat@outlook.com for questions or feedback.

Joe Morin

Hello I am Joe Morin and I am running for the Cambridge City Council.

I served on the Cambridge City Council on and off for 13 years and would appreciate your vote so I could return to serve the city I love.

We need to have representation on the council for those who are on a fixed income and those who are covered under the Americans with Disabilities Act. Both of which I am.

The council needs to keep looking forward while keeping taxes down. We need to get our tax rate back at least to the state median of 56%. Currently we are



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over 70%.

* I am the current chair of the Community Education Council and have served for almost 20 years.

* I continue to serve on the Cambridge Sister City committee for 20+ years and have been chair for the past 8 years.

* I serve on the Planning Commission.

* I served on the Cambridge Parks and Recreation committee.

* I served on the Cambridge Airport Commission.

I encourage you to vote. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at 763-689-2580. I would be happy to talk with you.

Bob Shogren

I am Bob Shogren, and I am pleased to announce my candidacy for another term on the Cambridge City Council.

I am married to Shannon, and we have four adult children and four grandchildren. I am employed by the Isanti County Sheriff's Office as the 9-1-1 Coordinator/Telecommunicator. In addition to serving on council for 17 years, I am an elder in the Presbyterian Church of America, Clerk of the Siouxlands Presbytery, and president of the Cambridge Economic Development Authority. In recent years, I have served on the Isanti County Park Board, the Cambridge Planning Commission, and the Cambridge-Isanti Community Education Commission.

I am excited to have been part of a team that brought many new businesses and amenities to our community. Under city council leadership, taxes in Cambridge have been kept in check



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over the years. Our tax rate has been declining steadily from the top to the middle of the charts and falling.

I can't take all of the credit for the hard work done to make the City of Cambridge a great place to live, but my priority always has been and always will be to represent all of the residents and business owners in the city. My voting record is clear: I will always vote to be part of a solution when challenges arise. I would like to continue being a positive part of the city team. With your vote in both the primary and general elections, we can bring more new and exciting opportunities to town and keep the common-sense approach to spending and local government that has made Cambridge what it is today.

I ask for your vote, Bob Shogren. Bob for the Job!

Amanda Wisner

My name is Amanda Wisner, and I've lived in the Cambridge area since 2007. You might recognize me as a former bus driver for Cambridge-Isanti Schools (Represented Cambridge-Isanti at the 46th annual School Bus Driver International Safety Competition in Greensboro, North Carolina in 2016) or serving the residents of Cambridge as your friendly neighborhood letter carrier sub.

I enjoy reading and gardening and canning the fruits of my labor. I enjoy visiting our community parks and trails. I try to support our local businesses every chance I can and I believe that our neighbors are the backbone of our community. I live here, I work



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here, I play here, and I raised my babies here.

I am excited to serve the residents of our community as a voice of the people and to work with our other council members to find areas where the city budget can be maximized to lower our taxes without sacrificing necessities.

Cambridge is a great place to live, raise a family, and earn a living, and I want to help preserve that for generations to come. Together, let's build a city that promotes life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.