

District 3 Voter Guide



As part of the neighborhood election process to elect neighborhood representatives on to the City's Neighborhood and Community Engagement Commission (NCEC), applicants interested in serving were asked to respond to the following statements on their applications to be used in the voter guide:

- ❖ How have your life/work/cultural experiences prepared you to be a neighborhood representative on the NCEC?
- ❖ How have you participated in your neighborhood organization?
- ❖ Describe why you want to serve on the NCEC.
- ❖ How do you plan to maintain a relationship with the neighborhoods you would represent, if elected?
- ❖ How do you plan to engage with under-represented groups within your district?
- ❖ Please list any community-based organization(s) with which you are currently involved.
- ❖ Please list all current paid and unpaid affiliations.

District 3 neighborhoods: Diamond Lake, Ericsson, Field, Hale, Keewaydin, Minnehaha, Morris Park, Northrup, Page , Regina, Standish and Wenonah.

Candidates for District 3

- [Candace Miller Lopez, Standish-Ericsson](#)

The special meeting to elect a neighborhood commissioner will be held on:

Thursday, September 19, 2019

10:30am

Nokomis East Neighborhood Association

4313 E 54th Street

Minneapolis, MN 55417

To request reasonable accommodations, please contact NCR at 612-673-3737 or via email at ncr@minneapolismn.gov.

All votes must be cast on September 19, 2019

If you have any questions about the elections or voter guides, please feel free to call Cheyenne Brodeen, 612-673-2052. You can also find more information on our website at

<http://www.minneapolismn.gov/ncr/boards/ncec/WCMSP-217782>.

Candace Miller Lopez, Linden Hills

1. How have your life/work/cultural experiences prepared you to be a neighborhood representative on the NCEC?

My professional and personal life has been committed to mission driven work opportunities to give back to my community.

2. How have you participated in your neighborhood organization?

I am the Executive Director of the Neighborhood Association

3. Describe why you want to serve on the NCEC.

To ensure that the potential and concerns of neighborhood organization are represented and considered.

4. How do you plan to maintain a relationship with the neighborhoods you would represent, if elected?

SENA is a member of the Southside United Neighborhoods group. We are in constant contact with each other through digital communications and monthly member meetings.

5. How do you plan to engage with under-represented groups within your district?

Through partnership with orgs that have established relationships.

6. Please list any community- based organization(s) with which you are currently involved.

CIDNA, church, Calhoun Beach Athletic Club, Minnesota Renewable Energy Society, Minnesota Public Radio, the Bakken Museum as an assistant teacher of Lego Robotics and Inventors Club, and the Ordway Theater as a volunteer usher.

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