

2018 Commissioner Candidate Filings

Blue denotes incumbent

17 incumbents lost in the general election.

2 Incumbents lost in the primary election

60 newly elected commissioners

41 Not seeing re-election

District 1	Atikin	J. Mark Wedel	
District 3	Aitkin	Donald "Don" Niemi	
District 5	Atikin	Anne Marcotte	
District 4	Anoka	Mandy Meisner	Jim Kordiak not seeking re-election.
District 5	Anoka	Mike Gamache	
District 7	Anoka	Scott Schulte	
District 1	Becker	Larry Knutson	
District 2	Becker	Ben Grimsley	
District 1	Beltrami	Craig Gaasvig	Keith Winger not seeking re-election.
District 3	Beltrami	Richard Anderson	
District 2	Benton	Ed Popp	
District 3	Benton	Steven Heinen	James McMahon not seeking re-election.
District 1	Big Stone	Jay Backer	
District 4	Big Stone	Roger Sandberg	
District 5 (special election)	Big Stone	Erick Klepel	(Joseph Berning)
District 1	Blue Earth	Colleen Landkamer	Drew Campbell not seeking re-election.
District 2	Blue Earth	Vance Struehrenberg	
District 4	Brown	Dean Simonsen	
District 5	Brown	Jeffrey Veerkamp	Dennis Potter not seeking re-election.
District 2	Carlton	Marv Bodie	
District 4	Carlton	Mark Thell	Susan Zmyslony lost in general election. RECOUNT POSSIBLE
District 2	Carver	Tom Workman	
District 4	Carver	Tim Lynch	
District 1	Cass	Neal Gaalswyk	
District 4	Cass	Scott Bruns	
District 1	Chippewa	Matt Gilbertson	
District 5	Chippewa	David Lieser	
District 1	Chisago	Chris DuBose	Lora Walker not seeking re-election.
District 4	Chisago	Ben Montzka	
District 3	Clay	Jenny Mongeau	
District 4	Clay	Kevin Campbell	
District 1	Clearwater	Mark Titera	Arlen Syverson not seeking re-election.
District 3	Clearwater	Neal Illies	
District 5	Clearwater	Mark Larson	Daniel Stenseng not seeking re-election.
District 1	Cook	Robert Deschampe	
District 3	Cook	Dave Mills	Jan Sivertson not seeking re-election.
District 5	Cook	Ginny Storlie	RECOUNT POSSIBLE
District 1	Cottonwood	Larry Anderson	Jim Schmidt lost in general election.
District 3	Cottonwood	Donna Gravley	
District 5	Cottonwood	Tom Appel	
District 2	Crow Wing	Bill Brekken	Paul Thiede lost in general election. RECOUNT POSSIBLE.
District 3	Crow Wing	Keith Johnson	Rachel Reaby Nystrom not seeking re-election.
District 4	Crow Wing	Rosemary Franzen	
District 1	Dakota	Mike Slavik	
District 2	Dakota	Kathleen Gaylord	
District 6	Dakota	Mary Liz Holberg	
District 2	Dodge	Tim Tjosaas	
District 3	Dodge	Rodney Peterson	
District 2	Douglas	Tim Kalina	James Stratton lost in primary.
District 4	Douglas	Charlie Meyer	
District 5	Douglas	Heather A. Larson	Owen Miller lost in general election.
District 2	Faribault	Greg Young	
District 4	Faribault	Tom Loveall	
District 2	Fillmore	Randy Dahl	
District 4	Fillmore	Duane Bakke	
District 2	Freeborn	Daniel Belshan	
District 4	Freeborn	Christopher Shoff	
District 2	Goodhue	Brad Anderson	
District 4	Goodhue	Jason Majerus	
District 2	Grant	Dwight Walvatne	Peter Hoff not seeking re-election.
District 4	Grant	Bill LaValley	
District 2	Hennepin	Irene Fernando	Linda Higgins not seeking re-election.
District 3	Hennepin	Marion Greene	
District 4	Hennepin	Angela Conley	Peter McLaughlin lost in general election.



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District 2	Houston	Eric Johnson	Justin Zmyewski lost in general election.
District 3 (special election)	Houston	Primary Election during General Election	Scott Connon resigned mid-term. Special Election Feb 2019.
District 4	Houston	Teresa Walter	
District 1	Hubbard	David De La Hunt	Vern Massie lost in general election.
District 3	Hubbard	Tom Krueger	Ed Smith lost in general election.
District 5	Hubbard	Ted Van Kempen	Cal Johannsen not seeking re-election.
District 1	Isanti	David Oslund	
District 5	Isanti	Susan Morris	
District 1	Itasca	Davin Tinguist	
District 3	Itasca	Leo Trunt	
District 5	Itasca	Ben DeNucci	
District 2	Jackson	Don Wachal	
District 4	Jackson	Phil Nasby	Kim Hummel not seeking re-election.
District 1	Kanabec	Dennis McNally	
District 3	Kanabec	Les Nielsen	
District 5	Kanabec	Craig Smith	Kim Smith lost in general election. RECOUNT POSSIBLE.
District 1	Kandiyohi	George "Corky" Berg	Jim Butterfield not seeking re-election.
District 3	Kandiyohi	Rollie Nissen	
District 3	Kittson	Loren Younggren	Joe Bouvette not seeking re-election.
District 5	Kittson	Darrel Johnson	Betty Younggren not seeking re-election.
District 1	Koochiching	Wade Pavleck	
District 2	Koochiching	Kevin Adee	
District 4	Koochiching	Jason Sjoblom	Ron Norby not seeking re-election.
District 2	Lac qui Parle	DeRon Brehmer	
District 4	Lac qui Parle	Ben Bothun	Terrence Overlander not seeking re-election.
District 1	Lake	Peter Walsh	
District 4	Lake	Jeremy Hurd	
District 1	Lake of the Woods	James "Buck" Nordlof	
District 3	Lake of the Woods	Joe Grund	Kenneth Moorman is not seeking re-election.
District 2	Le Sueur	Denny O'Keefe	Joe Connolly not seeking re-election.
District 4	Le Sueur	Lance Wetzel	
District 5	Le Sueur	Steve "Gump" Rohlfing	
District 2	Lincoln	Michael "Mic" VanDeVere	
District 4	Lincoln	Joseph Drietz	
District 2	Lyon	Stephen Ritter	
District 3	Lyon	Paul Graupmann	
District 2	McLeod	Doug Krueger	
District 5	McLeod	Joe Nagel	
District 2	Mahnomen	Scott McCollum	
District 3	Mahnomen	Larry Olson	Brad Athmann lost in primary.
District 2	Marshall	Jim "Ducky" Duckstad	Leroy Vonasek not seeking re-election.
District 4	Marshall	Gary Kiesow	
District 2	Martin	Tom Mahoney	
District 4	Martin	Richard Koons	Dan Schmidtke lost in general election.
District 1	Meeker	Beth Oberg	
District 5	Meeker	Steve Schmidt	Mike Huberty not seeking re-election.
District 2	Mille Lacs	Timothy Wilhelm	
District 4	Mille Lacs	Roger Tellinghuisen	
District 4	Morrison	Mike Wilson	
District 5	Morrison	Greg Blaine	
District 3	Mower	Jerry Reinartz	
District 4	Mower	Jeff Baldus	Tony Bennett lost in general election.
District 5	Mower	Mike Ankeny	
District 3	Murray	Dennis Welgraven	Genald Magnus not seeking re-election.
District 4	Murray	Jim Kluis	Glenn "Corky" Kluis lost in general election.
District 1	Nicollet	Terry Morrow	James Stenson not seeking re-election.
District 5	Nicollet	Jack Kolars	
District 2	Nobles	Gene Metz	
District 5	Nobles	Donald Linszen	
District 2	Norman	Nathan Redland	
District 4	Norman	Lee Ann Hall	
District 2	Olmsted	Kenneth Brown	
District 4	Olmsted	Matt Flynn	
District 6	Olmsted	Sheila Kiscaden	
District 2	Otter Tail	Wayne Johnson	
District 4	Otter Tail	Betty Murphy	Roger Froemming
District 3	Pennington	Neil Peterson	
District 4	Pennington	Darryl Tveitbakk	
District 1	Pine	Stephen Hallan	
District 2	Pine	Joshua Mohr	



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District 2	Pipestone	Less Nath	
District 4	Pipestone	Dan Wildermuth	
District 2	Polk	Warren Strandell	
District 4	Polk	Joan Lee	
District 1	Pope		(Larry Kittleson Vacant)
District 4	Pope	Larry Lindor	
District 5	Pope	Cody Rogahn	
District 3	Ramsey	Trista MatasCastillo	Janice Rettman lost in general election.
District 4	Ramsey	Toni Carter	
District 5	Ramsey	Rafael Ortega	
District 6	Ramsey	Jim McDonough	
District 1	Red Lake	Anthony "Chuck" Flage	Dave Sorensen not seeking re-election. Flage incumbent in dist 4
District 3	Red Lake	Delane "John" Dudycha	John Lerohl not seeking re-election.
District 4	Red Lake	Allan R. Remick	(Chuck Flage) Filed in Dist 1
District 2	Redwood	Jim Salfer	
District 3	Redwood	Dennis Groebner	
District 2	Renville	Bob Fox	
District 4	Renville	Greg Snow	John Stahl lost in general election.
District 3	Rice	David Miller	
District 4	Rice	Steve Underdahl	Steven Bauer not seeking re-election.
District 2	Rock	Stan Williamson	
District 4	Rock	Sherri Thompson	
District 1	Roseau	John Horner	Glenda Phillipe is not seeking re-election.
District 3	Roseau	Roger Falk	
District 5	Roseau	Daryl Wicklund	Mark Foldesi not seeking re-election.
District 1	St. Louis	Frank Jewell	
District 4	St. Louis	Paul McDonald	Tom Rukavina not seeking re-election.
District 6	St. Louis	Keith Nelson	
District 3	Scott	Mike Beard	
District 5	Scott	Jon Ulrich	
District 2	Sherburne	Raeanne Danielowski	Ewald Peterson not seeking re-election.
District 4	Sherburne	Felix Schmiesing, Jr.	
District 1	Sibley	Bobbie Harder	
District 4	Sibley	Joy Cohrs	
District 5	Sibley	Steven Saxton	Gary Kruggel lost in general election.
District 1	Stearns	Tarryl Clark	DeWayne Mareck not seeking re-election. Former State Rep.
District 5	Stearns	Steve Notch	
District 1	Steele	James Brady	
District 2	Steele	John Glynn	
District 2	Stevens	Jeanne Ennen	
District 5	Stevens	Neil Wiese	Phil Gausman lost in general election.
District 2	Swift	Edward Pederson	
District 4	Swift	Joe Fox	
District 2	Todd	Gary Kneisl	
District 4	Todd	David Kircher	
District 1	Traverse	Todd Johnson	
District 3	Traverse	Mark Gail	
District 5	Traverse	Tom Monson	
District 2	Wabasha	Brian Goihl	
District 4	Wabasha	Mike Wobbe	
District 5	Wabasha	Cheryl Key	
District 1	Wadena	Sheldon Monson	
District 3	Wadena	Bill Stearns	
District 5	Wadena	Jon Kangas	David Hillukka not seeking re-election.
District 3	Waseca	Blair Nelson	
District 4	Waseca	DeAnn "De" Malterer	Richard Androli not seeking re-election.
District 5	Waseca	Dan Kuhns	
District 2	Washington	Stan Karwoski	
District 4	Washington	Wayne A. Johnson	Jack LaVold temporary replacement for Karla Bigham .
District 2	Watsonwan	Bill Miller	Keith Brekken not seeking re-election.
District 4	Watsonwan	Bob Rinne	Scott Sanders lost in general election.
District 2	Wilkin	Jonathan L. Green	Stephanie Miranowski not seeking re-election.
District 4	Wilkin	Neal Folstad	
District 1	Winona	Chris Meyer	Jim Pomeroy not seeking re-election.
District 2	Winona	Marie Kovecs	
District 5	Winona	Marcia Ward	
District 1	Wright	Christine Husom	
District 3	Wright	Mark Daleiden	
District 1	Yellow Medicine	Greg Renneke	
District 2	Yellow Medicine	John Berends	