

Area candidate profiles available at Greater Mankato Growth website

MANKATO — Biographic and profile information on candidates participating in area primary elections is now available in the Election 2010 area of the Greater Mankato Growth website at greatermankato.com/gmgelection2010.php.

The information was provided by the candidates participating in the primary elections on Aug. 10 for the following races: Mankato mayor, Mankato City Council Ward 1 (Precincts 7, 8, 9), Blue Earth County Commissioner District 2 and Nicollet County Commissioner District 1.

All candidates participating in these primary elections received a survey with biographic and profile questions. The profile questions were generated from a list of characteristics developed by GMG's Public Affairs Steering Committee, made up of individuals from diverse business backgrounds and political perspectives.

As part of GMG's ongoing commitment to providing information on all sides of issues important to the business community, the organization will distribute the biographic and profile questions to all candidates running in the general election. In addition, GMG will provide the business community with opportunities to interact with and give input to candidates through candidate forums, surveys and other vehicles.

"Through meaningful exchange with the entire business community, leaders can have access to the full spectrum of business ideas throughout the marketplace," said GMG President & CEO Jonathan Zierdt in a statement.

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