

Two to file for Mankato council

MANKATO — Tim Adams, a former Navy pilot, and Minnesota State University employee Karen Foreman will run for an open City Council seat this fall, they said Wednesday.

Adams, 45, said in a press release he wants to ensure that jobs and business growth remain top priorities.

Foreman said she looks forward to listening to workers, family and businesses. She ran an unsuccessful campaign in 2009 for the Blue Earth County Board, losing 251 votes to 308 in a special election.

Foreman had the option of a re-match with now-Commissioner Drew Campbell, whose seat is up for election again this fall.

Foreman and Adams are running for the Mankato Council's 1st Ward seat, currently held by Vance Stuehrenberg, who has said won't file for the council seat because he's pursuing a County Board seat this fall.

Filing for Mankato council seats begins May 18.

Adams holds leadership positions in the local Boy Scouts of America, Morson Ario VFW post and the Knights of Columbus.

Foreman has been active in her MSU union.