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Carver County Commissioner District 3

County commissioners are the county's key policymakers. They oversee the administration of the county, set county budget, and participate in county long-range planning. County services that they oversee include a wide variety of social service and welfare programs, as well as certain public health programs. Learn more about the day in the life of a county commissioner in [this video](#) from the Association of Minnesota Counties.

Randy Maluchnik
(NP)



Matt Udermann
(NP)
Business Owner



Biographical Information

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Why are you the best candidate to represent voters and better their everyday life? (500 characters)

Randy Maluchnik:

Candidate has not yet responded.

Matt Udermann:

I'd invite you to view many topics that matter to you at:

<https://youmattertomatt.com/topics>

The current Carver County Commissioner board is unchanged since 2006. I believe it's time. It's time to bring balance, time to bring new ways of thinking, and time for the

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ways of thinking, and time for the makeup of the board to start looking more like the changing community. Here are five key areas I bring added value: 1.Proven Leadership 2.Independent Thinking 3.Broader Represent 4.Focused Finances 5.Bridge Builder

What actions would you take, if any, to address the affordability of housing in the county? (500 characters)

Randy Maluchnik:

Candidate has not yet responded.

Matt Udermann:

Community Matters (you should be able to live here a lifetime) is one of our campaign pillars. We are one of the wealthiest counties, but also have massive wage disparity. Too many service workers/cops/teachers, etc. can't afford to live here. I propose deeper relationships with not for profits, civic organizations and places of worship to close these gaps. I also propose a program to make some of the 9,500+ available rooms in Carver County to the 11% living below the 2X poverty line.

If there were to be budget cuts during your term, what are the most essential county services that you would advocate to preserve? (500 characters)

Randy Maluchnik:

Candidate has not yet responded.

Matt Udermann:

Other measures should be taken before cutting services: -Empowering staff to spot and solve unnecessary layers of waste -Incenting staff to share in 10 – 20% of first year realized savings -Diversifying our business tax base -Growing relationships with cities, school board, not for profits, places of worship etc. to remove duplication of effort and redeploy savings in areas of need (like mental health) -Managing staffing levels so as we grow, our staffing level does not grow in linear fashion

What would be your highest priority infrastructure project, if any, and how would you seek to fund it? (500 characters)

Randy Maluchnik:

Candidate has not yet responded.

Matt Udermann:

We talk about physical infrastructure (Hwy 5 and 212 expansion have been promised by not delivered on), but our community has to invest in SOCIAL INFRASTRUCTURE. 1. Our community is growing and changing and staff and focus should reflect 2. At last count we have one POC at manager level and above, none in sheriff's office and none on appointed committees – we miss out on the many benefits of diverse staff AND we're financially and socially exposed with largely unaddressed areas for last 10+ yrs

What actions would you take, if any, to create greater job opportunities for constituents or grow the local economy? (500 characters)

Randy Maluchnik:

Candidate has not yet responded.

Matt Udermann:

Finances Matter is one of our campaign pillars. We need to shake the title of highest taxed county in the state so we can keep and attract solid

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