

# East Bethel Candidate Profile



**Candidate Name:** *Tim Miller*

**Office Sought:** *City Council Member*

**Bio:**



My name is Tim Miller, and I am running for a position on City Council. A position that is unique because I feel it must remain nonpartisan with one major goal in mind. To keep the cities interest first and protect the rights of its residents.

Since 1991 I have lived in Andover, Anoka, Coon Rapids and Blaine before I my wife and kids moved to East Bethel 10 years ago. Buying a property with acreage backing up to cedar creek by far was the best decision in home ownership we made. I feel I know the area very well and our neighboring cities as well. After living here, I feel most residents would agree that there is truly something special about this city, and want to keep it that way.

My extensive past work history gives me confidence and a solid foundation to become an active counselor member that works for and with the residents of this city. This includes owning small businesses on the retail and distribution side, being a manufactures representative for multiple companies calling on accounts such as Menards, Fleet Farm, Tractor Supply Company and Hardware Hank Stores. I transitioned to Real Estate working 8 plus years for ReMax specializing in New Construction in new developments, while representing 2 builders. My retail knowledge and the love for the outdoors landed me a job at Cabela's, a seventy million dollar a year company when they came to the area where I became a manager working over 9 years with them while having over 7 departments at one time under my supervision. Along with that I became an ordained minister 5 years ago, not to preach but to officiate wedding for family and friends.

If given the opportunity, I plan to use the skills I learned and counted on to become successful, like patience and being a good listener of the needs and wants of people. Time management and working with and preparing multiple budgets, to open communication and full transparency with accountability at all levels including task management. My real estate background helps me to see its important to support new development in area's where it adds to the beauty of our city, protects the country feel and welcomes others to move here and enjoy living like we do. Equally important as to encourage new businesses to developed and grow here that will have a positive impact on the city without harming the environment around them while protecting and encouraging growth in the many small businesses that East Bethel has today and into the future.

With that being said, there will be issues and I don't want anyone to remain silent during that time and feel what they have to say doesn't matter because it does. Your vote and what you have to say means more today than ever before. I believe that and want you to feel that way too.

I envision not only sitting across from the residents of the city but standing beside as we move forward and resolve each issue together. The city has done some good things and as with anything, there is always opportunities for improvement, and I want to be part of that. A part of making this city the kind of place you and I will always be proud to call home. We are community of people who use common sense daily and should have a council making decisions with you about its future using common sense for tomorrow. I encourage everyone to get out and vote in this upcoming election because your vote does count. If you vote for me, I guarantee it will.