

Vote Season Kirkwood October 28th 2026

Meet Season Kirkwood



St. Vital has always been home.

I am proud to be Red River Métis, and my family's roots in this community stretch back to the early 1800s.

Growing up in St. Vital shaped my values of hard work, service, and giving back to the community that has given so much to my family over generations.

Today, my partner and I are raising our school-aged daughter in St. Vital. Like many families, we care deeply about safe neighbourhoods, strong schools, accessible recreation, responsible growth, and creating opportunities for the next generation to thrive.

My professional life has been built around strengthening communities. As an entrepreneur, I specialize in Red River Métis history, culture, and educational programming, helping people better understand Manitoba's unique heritage and the stories that have shaped our province. I also focus on building stewardship by taking students out on the land for activities which connect them to each other and our planet.

I am also a certified 3D archery coach and have dedicated much of my career to youth development through sport and recreation. I have worked alongside rural and remote communities to help develop sports and recreation programs that encourage healthy, active lifestyles, strengthen community connections, and create positive pathways for youth. Through this work, I have delivered programs and services in seventeen communities focused on reducing at-risk youth behaviours by providing mentorship, leadership opportunities, and meaningful activities that help young people succeed.

My approach to community safety is rooted in prevention, partnership, and opportunity. I believe that safer communities are built through investing in people, supporting families, and strengthening the organizations that provide essential services.

I am an advocate for harm reduction, community-based crime prevention, and ensuring that agencies and organizations working on the front lines have the support, partnerships, and resources they need to reach their full potential.

I also believe that a healthy community is one where everyone has access to the basic resources needed to thrive. Access to fresh, locally grown fruits and vegetables should not depend on whether someone owns a home or has a large backyard. Community gardens, urban agriculture, and shared growing spaces are opportunities to improve food security, build connections between neighbours, support healthy lifestyles, and create more resilient communities. I believe public spaces should serve everyone, and that growing food should be an opportunity available to all residents, regardless of where they live or their personal circumstances.

I believe community organizations are some of our greatest assets. Whether they are supporting youth, addressing health and wellness, providing cultural programming, supporting vulnerable residents, promoting food security, or creating opportunities for connection, these organizations understand the needs of our communities because they are present every day. As a councillor, I want to work alongside them to remove barriers, improve collaboration, and help create the conditions where their important work can thrive.

Community leadership has always been important to me. I serve on the executive of a Red River Métis Local, the grassroots level of governance within the Manitoba Métis Federation, The National Government for the Red River Métis. This role has strengthened my belief that good leadership begins with listening, respecting different perspectives, and working collaboratively to find practical solutions.

I am running for St. Vital City Councillor because I believe our community deserves a representative who is accessible, engaged, and committed to building relationships across every part of our neighbourhood. Whether working with residents, businesses, community organizations, Indigenous communities, or other levels of government, I believe the best decisions come from listening first and acting with integrity.

St. Vital has been my family's home for generations. I want to help ensure it remains a safe, welcoming, and vibrant community where families, seniors, businesses, and young people can continue to build their futures.

I would be honoured to earn your trust and serve as your City Councillor.

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