

## **CANDIDATE FORUMS**

The League of Women Voters of McLean County, Senior Professionals and Illinois State University's Student Government Association are co-sponsoring Candidates Forums for the Bloomington City Council and the Normal City Council. The city elections will be held April 7. Questions are being solicited from community groups and citizens. Suggested questions can be submitted by using the e-mail links provided below.

### **Bloomington Forum**

The Bloomington event will be at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 18 at the Osborn Room of the Bloomington Police Department at 305 S. East Street in Bloomington. Anne Nadakavukaren will moderate the Bloomington meeting.

Mayor Steve Stockton is being challenged by Tari Renner and Eric Decossas. Ward 7 has a three-way contest between Alderman Steven Purcell and challengers James Keeran and Chuck Irvin. Four Bloomington wards will not see contests but the candidates will deliver brief statements. They are Bernard Anderson, Alderman Kevin Huette, Jennifer McDade, and Alderman Jim Fruin.

Please click [here](#) to submit questions for the Bloomington forum.

### **Normal Forum**

The Normal Forum will be at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 26 at ISU's Bone Student Center Prairie Room. Dr. Bob Bradley will be moderator.

Mayor Chris Koos is being challenged by Andrew Matthews. Four candidates are vying for the three at-large seats up for election on the Normal City Council. Normal Council members Jason Chamber, Cheryl Gaines and Adam Nielson are seeking re-election and are being challenged by Scott Preston.

Please click [here](#) to submit questions for the Normal forum.