

St. Charles Mayor Candidate

Maureen Lewis Profile

I care deeply about the St. Charles community. I grew up in St. Charles and I love my hometown! During my 10 years on City Council as 5th Ward Alderman, I have immersed myself in local government. I've done the work. That means networking with community and business leaders, sitting down with developers, serving on boards, responding to residents, and representing St. Charles across our state and nation.



As a Council Member, I oversaw specific initiatives in several leadership positions including chairman of the Government Operations Committee, vice chairman of Government Services, and four-year member of the Liquor Commission. In addition I have served as City Council liaison to the Norris Cultural Arts Center, the St. Charles History Museum, and the former Downtown Partnership. My work on the 708 Mental Health Board for eight years as a resident and then as a City Council liaison opened my eyes to the needs of others.

As Co-chair of the St. Charles America In Bloom Committee, I was able to bring businesses, residents, and other local entities together which resulted in St. Charles earning national recognition in 2018 as "Best of the Best: #1 City" in our population category. In 2019 the National AIB Symposium and Awards Ceremony was held in St. Charles under my leadership.

My five years of involvement with America In Bloom further connected me to our community and gave me the opportunity to showcase my unwavering support of our great city on a local and national level.

I was born and raised in St. Charles, owned a business here, and married my high school sweetheart, Philip Lewis. We have four adult children (two of whom live in St. Charles) and nine grandchildren.

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