



Focus on Priorities

ECONOMIC AND FAMILY SECURITY

As the daughter of small business owners (I was rolling pennies at my parents' grocery store at age 5), I have a life-long understanding that small businesses and good jobs are the lifeblood of our community. That lifeblood has been severely strained by the impact of COVID-19 and must be replenished in a manner that safely brings Minnesota's economy back to life.

As your Minnesota state representative, I will prioritize:

- Obtaining pandemic relief funds for small and micro businesses neglected in initial funding efforts;
- Providing access to added funds to safely and successfully restore high quality education for all of our children;
- Assuring workplace safety standards that keep employees, customers, and their families safe from COVID-19;
- Increasing access to capital for successful re-opening of small business;
- Assuring that the recovery boosts business success as well as a living wage for workers;
- Assisting families with child and senior care via paid family and medical leave;
- Tackling what will be a slow road back with a boost in work-based development, apprenticeship, and job training policy;
- Allocating a good share of our admittedly tight resources to Minnesota's better future through investments in science and technology: research, innovation, and growth for our people;
- Assuring passage of a fiscally sound bonding bill to maintain our roads, bridges, and infrastructure.

How do my priorities compare with yours? What ideas do you have to get our economy flowing again? **Click [here](#) to help me build that better future for all of us.**