

Steve Simon is Minnesota's 22nd Secretary of State. He was first sworn into office on January 5, 2015, and is currently serving his third term. As Minnesota's chief elections official, he works with Minnesotans of all political affiliations from any part of the state to protect, defend, and strengthen the freedom to vote.

As Secretary of State, Simon partners with township, city, and county officials to organize elections on behalf of Minnesota's four million eligible voters, and to ensure that the election system is fair.

Simon also oversees a wide range of services for Minnesota businesses and the Safe at Home division, Minnesota's address confidentiality program for people whose personal safety is at risk.

He is an active member of the National Association of Secretaries of State and served as the president of the organization from 2024-2025.

Before being elected Minnesota's Secretary of State, Simon served in the Minnesota House of Representatives for ten years representing his hometown communities of St. Louis Park and Hopkins. Simon spent much of his time in the state legislature immersed in elections issues, including serving as the chair of the House Elections Committee in 2013 and 2014.

Simon also served as Assistant Attorney General of Minnesota and worked as a lawyer in private practice for several years. He graduated with a B.A. in Political Science from Tufts University in Massachusetts and earned a J.D. from the University of Minnesota Law School.