# What values should guide policies in your municipality or county over the next four years?

Election day
will be Sunday 13 April,
with early voting
between 2 and 8 April 2025

## **County elections**

County council members decide arrangements for health and social services and rescue services in your county. Your vote can affect where and how easily services are available.

Hundreds of thousands of people from a wide variety of backgrounds work in wellbeing services counties. Your vote also helps to decide their working conditions.

### The goals of SAK

- Counties must have adequate power to make policy decisions on service development, and the ability to decide the services that they provide.
- They must provide more jobs that are permanent, with good terms and conditions and adequate pay. Staff turnover and burnout must be reduced by investing more in staff welfare, in-service training and occupational health services.
- Needless demarcation must be eliminated so that all professional groups can apply their expertise in providing and improving health and social services.

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Get to know candidates who are members or employees of SAK-affiliated trade unions, and are committed to these values:

Dignity at work, Equality, Standing up for people



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## **Municipal elections**

The municipal elections give you a say in ordinary aspects of your daily life. Elected councillors decide on such matters as resources for early childhood education, snow clearance and street lighting, and community recreational and cultural opportunities.

Municipalities also employ hundreds of thousands of people. Your vote will help to decide their terms and conditions of employment.

### The goals of SAK

- Better use must be made of recruitment training and other existing services to improve contact between jobseekers and employers.
- Schools must be guaranteed sufficient resources to take care of student welfare and the learning environment.
- Instead of stressing the lowest price, municipalities should buy from responsible, high quality suppliers that operate lawfully, complying with collective agreements and providing fair terms and conditions of employment.

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