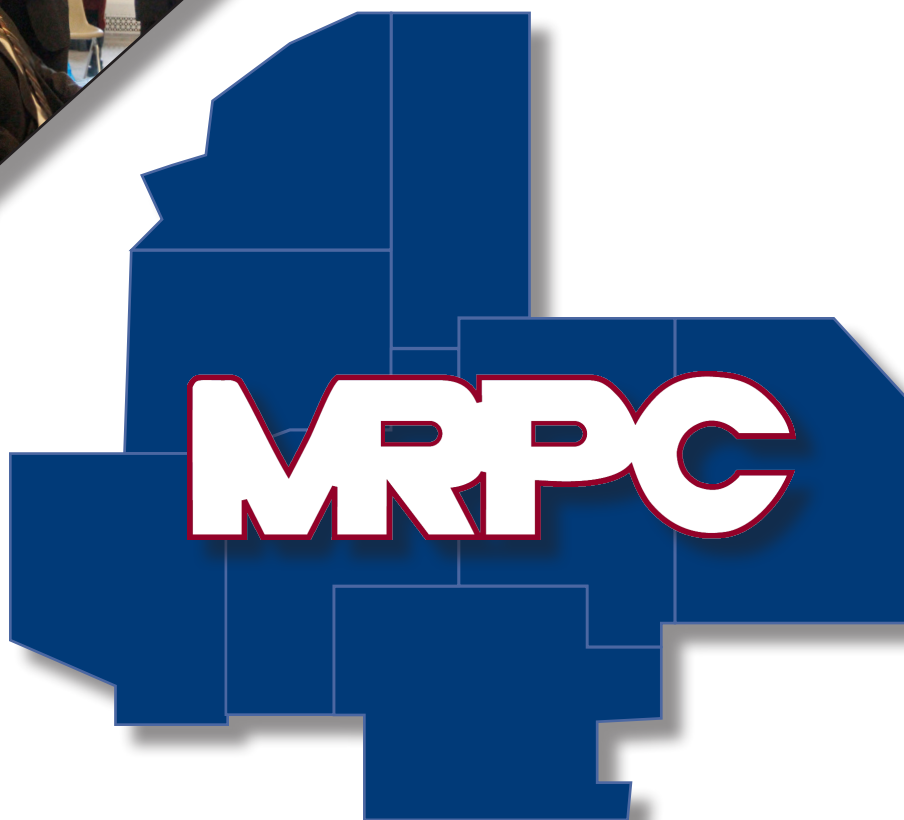


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## Empowering the Meramec Region

By MRPC Executive Director Bonnie Prigge

And so the email to the board begins... “At the June 14, 2018, meeting, the MRPC board will consider a recommendation for a dues increase, the first increase in 15 years.”

The process actually began nearly a year prior as the MRPC Operations Committee was wrangling with budget numbers and financial information. One board member asked why his city paid so little in dues, and expressed his willingness to pay more.

At that point in time, I did not know it had been almost 15 years since the last increase, and longer than that since the board had discussed the issue. The dues rate was 45¢ per capita for counties and cities with counties receiving 18 hours of service and cities receiving 12 hours of service as part of their membership.

In December 2017, we held a board retreat and after looking at budget figures, staffing, programs, services and opportunities, two things were evident: we needed another grant writer, and we needed an increase in dues.

In addition to inflation over the past 15 years, our EDA and MoDOT transportation planning grants have increased, which required more matching dollars (dues). Every five years, we update the region's transit plan, through a grant from MoDOT.

In 2017, the transit plan update

required a 20-percent match that had not been previously required.

Our dues also cover research and development....the time we spend looking for and applying for regional grants to implement the action items in our Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS) and to find solutions to other issues identified within the region.

Most of the time, these grants have a match requirement. Our last budget showed we were maxed out on matching dollars. Every dollar of dues was earmarked for a purpose. We were at a point where we didn't have the dues to cover the time required to write those grants nor did we have the dollars required to match them.

In March 2018, MRPC Chairman Ray Schwartz appointed a committee to focus on the dues question. Representation spanned all eight counties, and cities and counties were fairly represented. Staff gathered information on dues formulas from across the nation, and prepared different scenarios for discussion. After several meetings and gathering input after a draft proposal, the committee made the following recommendation that was approved by the full board:

- 50¢ per capita for counties with 18 hours of free service
- 65¢ per capita for cities with a \$275 minimum (\$25 increase) with 15 hours of free service (3-hour increase)
- 3 percent increase each year for the three years following the increase
- At the end of the four years, MRPC board will review and re-evaluate dues structure
- Per capita would be adjusted

annually, through census or published population estimates adjustments (as it is now)

- All local governments could buy up: For each 25¢ per capita increase, you get 6 more hours of free service, up to \$1.15 per capita
- No more than 18 free hours can be used on any given project. (Same as current policy).

If all member cities and counties participate at the basic level (without any buy-up), it would mean an additional \$20,000 per year. We regret that the city of Sullivan is opting out of membership. But we are excited that three cities—St. Robert, Potosi and Cuba—chose to buy-up and increase their participation in the organization.

As MRPC's executive director, I am very proud of my board, their commitment and dedication to their local governments and the region as a whole, and their ability and desire to work together, for the benefit of all. I say thank you to the members of this committee for their leadership, hard work and ability to compromise, and for thinking outside the box to add the buy-up option.

The committee included: Ray Schwartz, Larry Miskel, Leo Sanders, Darrell Skiles, Dave Dudenhoeffer, Gary Hicks, Ray Walden, Marvin Wright, Steve Vogt, George Lauritson, T.R. Dudley and John Kamler. I appreciate the support and commitment this group made to develop a proactive plan that considered the organization's need as well as the impact on local governments. Job well done!



# *A Region of Unlimited Possibilities*

*By MRPC Chairman Marvin Wright*



The beginning of a new year, a new season and a new governor bring new challenges to the cities, counties and MRPC. These challenges provide interesting opportunities for economic and cultural growth in our region.

First and foremost, I want to express that the executive director and her staff continue to amaze and perform high levels of proficiency that all organizations would and should be envious of. I wish to extend my thanks along with the full board's appreciation to them for all their hard work on the numerous projects that they work on throughout the year. They strive to uncover opportunities available for our cities and counties, and work hard to try and bring those opportunities into the region.

The Meramec Region is a strong stable area with unemployment reaching an all-time low — approximately 3.7 percent. The state unemployment average is 4.1 percent. This is a great time for the region showing economic growth to the Meramec Region's counties.

Economic growth is a primary goal of MRPC, and I believe the commissioners and mayors of our counties and cities will do everything they can to work with old and new businesses for future growth. This past year has seen several new businesses enter the region and in some areas entire developments. Competition is as strong as ever, but we can and will receive our share of opportunities. I'm sure of this because the region has many assets to offer businesses looking to locate in the region, including business loan financing, interstate highways, major roads, airports and rail lines — all to move people and materials to jobs and markets.

Aside from economic growth, which contributes to the wealth of what the region has to offer, the Meramec Region has an abundance of cultural and natural wonders to offer our own citizens and tourists who travel to the area. Our region is one of the most beautiful areas in the world. We offer an abundance of state parks, golf courses, rivers, universities and cities each offering any type of entertainment a person might want. Our region is alive with different cultural opportunities from entertainment to dining and from the best the great outdoors has to offer to amenities offered in urban cities. The Meramec Region strives to offer it all.

Follow along in our annual report, and you will be amazed at the interaction provided by MRPC between counties, cities and businesses all in the hope of making the Meramec Region a greater place through partnerships. Once again thank you for a successful year past and present.





# MRPC — Working Toward a Shared Mission

In the 1960s, communities recognized they needed to work together for a better future. It was then that local government officials requested Missouri Gov. Warren E. Hearnes to approve a regional planning commission, and MRPC was signed into creation in 1969.

Today, MRPC works with local governments in Crawford, Dent, Gasconade, Maries, Osage, Phelps, Pulaski and Washington counties to form one voluntary council of local governments.

While the commission's actions are diverse and far-reaching, they have one main goal: to strengthen our region by improving our cities, counties and the quality of life experienced in the Meramec Region.

For 49 years, MRPC has given community leaders a place to plan for future successes; to help our residents achieve cleaner, healthier and safer communities, greater socio-economic and cultural wealth through com-

munity development and a stronger, unified voice in the legislative process.

The eight-county region is home to 201,247 people in 36 communities, and bridging the gaps between the collective, independent and individual groups of people in our region has been a welcome challenge.

***The secret to MRPC's success:  
Regional partnerships  
working for the betterment of  
the region as a whole.***

While many are comfortable, newcomers seek services found in urban areas.

Our cities and counties constantly struggle to maintain the quality of life that sets the region apart from our urban neighbors yet provide services that people expect.

Compounded with the additional struggles to compete with state and federal mandates and limited finan-

cial resources, the task of improving the quality of life for the citizens of the Meramec Region is on-going. Yet MRPC has provided and maintained continuous, comprehensive and coordinated planning, grant writing and administration services for the region.

A board of 63 members, each of whom serve on one of three standing committees — operations, planning and external relations/membership — meets the second Thursday of each month.

The board determines the region's goals and objectives and employs a 25-member professional staff to carry them out.

Every fall, MRPC organizes an annual dinner and awards ceremony, hosted by a community in the region, to recognize and honor exceptional volunteerism in the Meramec Region.

The secret to MRPC's success is simple: Regional partnerships working for the betterment of the region as a whole.



In the 1960s, communities recognized they needed to work together for a better future. Local elected officials requested Missouri Gov. Warren E. Hearnes (seated) approve a regional planning commission, as allowed by the 1965 State and Regional Planning and Community Development Act. Hearnes signed the proclamation creating MRPC in 1969. Those present at the signing were Dent County Presiding Judge J.E. Bergman (left), Salem Mayor Jack Masters, Washington County Presiding Judge Jesse Essmyer, Potosi Mayor Leon Camillo and Dent County Clerk Don Prewitt.

# Growth Through Regional Partnerships

There is no road map to success, but working together for a common goal is half the journey. MRPC's mission unifies our cities and counties to work together and provide resources that would otherwise be difficult to obtain.

Through various programs, MRPC is able to help maintain cleaner, healthier and safer communities; greater socio-economic and cultural wealth through com-

munity and economic development; and a stronger, unified voice in the legislative process.

MRPC works within communities to help improve the quality of life by convening people and developing partnerships throughout the region. By convening stakeholders, MRPC creates and updates a variety of plans to guide the future. These plans work as the blueprint to help guide

MRPC's other pursuits including grant writing and administration, floodplain management and transportation planning. Through partnerships, MRPC helps to coordinate efforts to encourage recycling; assist our students to be work and career ready; and promote safe driving. In addition, MRPC provides other diverse services such as small business loans and housing rental assistance to meet needs.

## Working For Cleaner, Healthier and Safer Communities

### ORSWMD awarded \$197,585.75 in local grants

MRPC assists the Ozark Rivers Solid Waste Management District with day-to-day operations and project implementation. With funding from the Missouri Department of Natural Resources, the Ozark Rivers Solid Waste District awarded \$197,585.75 in grant funds to further recycling, reuse and education efforts. Those projects, with a January 2018 start date, included:

- MRPC- Rolla, St. Robert for Household Hazardous Waste Collections, \$20,623.90;
- MRPC-Special Waste Collections (appliance, ewaste, tires), \$26,509.15;
- MRPC-Community Outreach & Assistance Fund, \$2,319.85;
- MRPC-Illegal Dump Cleanup, \$43,952;
- MRPC-Education, Public Awareness & Business Outreach, \$27,347.15;
- Phelps County Tough on Trash XI, \$8,555;
- Dixon High School Key Club Recycling Program, \$6,486;
- Operation Clean Up Maries County, \$8,385.50;
- Dixon Area Caring Center Recycling Program, \$22,750;
- Tacony Manufacturing: Injection Molding Waste Recycling Project, \$15,960;
- The Community Partnership Textile Recycling, \$10,697.20;
- City of Hermann Recycling Center, \$4,000.

MRPC strives to help promote cleaner, healthier and safer communities by providing administrative and project implementation services for Meramec Regional Emergency Planning Committee (MREPC), Ozark Rivers Solid Waste Management District; Region I Homeland Security Committee; and also provides hazard mitigation planning services for local governments.

Hazard mitigation planning was completed for Crawford, Gasconade, Osage and Washington counties and is nearly done for Dent County. The plan includes an assessment of natural hazards and establishes goals and action items to reduce the impact of these hazards in the future. Counties must have a hazard mitigation plan in order to access certain hazard mitigation grant funds.



Above: MRPC works with Ozark Rivers Solid Waste Management District as part of its mission for cleaner, healthier and safer communities. Each year Ozark Rivers honors awardees who are making environmental improvements in the district. Honored in 2017 were (left to right): Missouri S&T Residential Life accepted by Stephen Tupper, Tony Brady with Bipacco Coatings accepted by Phil Burke, Nadine Albrecht, and Dixon Area Caring Center Recycling Services accepted by Troy Porter. Rep. Steve Lynch and ORSWMD Chairman Brady Wilson (right) presented the awards.



Left: Luce Myers and the Butterfly Band performed for students at Lucy Wortham Elementary School in December 2017 as part of MRPC's efforts to educate school-aged children on the importance of recycling and diverting waste from landfills. Students were asked to participate during this song by holding up each letter as everyone in attendance spelled the word "litter."



## Ozark Rivers Solid Waste Management District

Ozark Rivers Solid Waste Management District (ORSWMD) offers programs and grants with the goal of reducing waste land-filled by 40 percent in the region. This is accomplished through community grants, reuse and recycling programs, educational programs for district schools and media awareness.

Four special collections were held during fiscal year 2017-18 (Dixon, Rolla, Salem and St. Robert). A total of 31.22 tons of recyclable material was collected and diverted from landfills. An additional 6.84 tons of tires were collected to be recycled as well.

In partnership with Ozark Rivers, MRPC and the cities of Rolla and St. Robert provide the opportunity for residents to properly dispose of household hazardous wastes (HHW). MRPC staff also provide community HHW presentations, and HHW brochures have been widely distributed to encourage participation. The HHW brochure is available online at [ozarkrivers.org](http://ozarkrivers.org).

Through MRPC, nearly 3,000 school-aged children learned about food waste this year. Through song and demonstrations, youth learned about reducing food waste and the value of feeding the Earth through the composting of food waste. Dixon R-I, Crawford County R-I and Waynesville R-VI are diverting food waste from landfills by composting lunchroom food scraps and, with the use of tumblers, are making compost.

Materials for these projects have been provided through the Ozark Rivers grant program.

## Phelps County Public Housing Agency

Maintaining safe and affordable housing is key to quality of life. This fiscal year, the Phelps County Public Housing Agency, which is administered by MRPC, provided \$3 million in housing assistance to an average of 720 households each month, through the HUD Housing Choice program. Program participants choose their own home. MRPC staff, through inspection, ensures that it is safe and affordable and pays the landlord directly. Staff performed over 1,325 housing inspections and 13 housing briefings for eligible applicants.

The PHA also offers the Family Self-Sufficiency program (FSS) to help families improve their quality of life. The FSS program is a voluntary program offered to families who want to be self-supporting without the aid of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) from family services. Currently, PHA has 76 families enrolled on the program.

Families set goals and enter into a five-year contract to become self-sufficient. As a family's income increases, then housing assistance decreases and the difference in assistance payments is escrowed into an account.

When a family completes its contract and graduates off the program, they receive the escrow in full. The main goal is to support and encourage those who wish to meet their full potential and become independent of government assistance.

In addition to the financial help, families on the FSS program are given the opportunity to attend free life skills classes.

## Meramec Regional Emergency Planning Committee

Meramec Regional Emergency Planning Committee (MREPC) is a local emergency planning committee that works on behalf of local governments in Crawford, Dent, Gasconade, Osage, Phelps and Washington counties to maintain a federally required plan to deal with hazardous material emergencies in the region. The committee coordinates and offers training opportunities for emergency responders in the region.

### Hazardous Materials Traveling in the Meramec Region:

*Estimated figures are trucks carrying hazardous material compared to total trucks based on traffic during the period of one day.*

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|---------------------|---------------------|
| • Hwy 19 — 76/1,678 | • US 63 — 118/1,679 |
| • Hwy 21 — 70/1,001 | • I-44 — 524/7,479  |
| • US 50 — 74/1,060  |                     |

*Source: MRPC Independent Research*

With approximately 13,000 miles of roadway, it is important to understand what is being transported through our region. This year, MREPC conducted commodity flow studies on Highways 19, 21, I-44, US 63, and US 50. The study looked at hazardous material being transported along the corridors with the main focus being the trucks transporting hazardous materials. MREPC also conducted studies of the hazardous material being transported through pipelines and by railways in the region. There are 344.57 miles of pipeline carrying primarily hazard class two and three commodities and 267 miles of railway in the region.

Kraig Bone of Washington County is chairman of MREPC, while Andrea Rice of Osage County serves as vice chair. The group meets quarterly.



Phelps County PHA Family Self-Sufficiency/Home Ownership Coordinator Savannah Vandegriffe presented a \$17,538.77 check to Diana Mattison for completing the Family Self-Sufficiency (FSS) program. This is the largest payment that the Phelps County Housing Authority has had to date. As a single mother of two, Mattison started the FSS program in November of 2012. After her payout in November 2017, Mattison enrolled in the Homeownership Program and purchased a home in March of 2018.

## *Region I Homeland Security Oversight Committee*

MRPC serves as the fiscal agent and grantee for homeland security dollars for a six-county Region I area that includes Crawford, Dent, Maries, Phelps, Pulaski and Laclede counties. Planning efforts to keep the region prepared are ongoing with Region I Homeland Security Oversight Committee (HSOC). Leadership for the HSOC this year was Ron Smith of Rolla City Fire and Rescue, as chairman, and Tabitha Stanfast of Salem Memorial District Hospital, as vice chairman. The committee continues to make tough funding decisions to ensure first responders in Region I have the necessary tools to deal with natural and manmade emergencies. Grants totaling \$92,286.15 were awarded in 2018. The committee voted to fund: MRPC for Region I Work Plan, \$25,000, Region I M & A, \$3,347.16, and Region I Planning

& Training, \$8,000; Rolla Fire & Rescue Homeland Security "All Hazard" Response Team, \$26,000; Rolla Fire & Rescue Search and Rescue, \$4,780; Rolla Fire & Rescue Command Post & Communications, \$6,720; and Waynesville Police Department for MOSWIN radios and microphones, \$25,335. Final funds have yet to be released by the Office of Homeland Security for the 2018-19 grant cycle.



**Region I Homeland Security Oversight Committee meets quarterly at Meramec Regional Planning Commission.**

## *Greater Socio-economic and Cultural Wealth through Community and Economic Development*

### *Planning for the Future*



**The Transportation Advisory Committee (above) meets at MRPC on the second Thursday of every other month to discuss transportation issues within the region. Ray Walden (right) of Dent County serves as the current chairman of the TAC committee. Preston Kramer (center) is the MoDOT Meramec Area Engineer for the region.**

MRPC works within the eight-county region to plan for a better future. The planning department works in the areas of transportation planning, economic development planning and strategic planning. Current projects include coordinating the Transportation Advisory Committee (TAC); Naturally Meramec; and Mo Rides-Meramec the mobility management program; updating the Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS); updating the Public Transit Human Service Transportation Coordination Plan and the regional transportation plan.

The Meramec Region consists of 13,000, mostly rural, state road miles that consistently need maintenance and repair. Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT) Area Engineer Preston Kramer and Executive Director Bonnie Prigge met with all eight county commissions in fall 2017 to discuss transportation needs.

The Transportation Advisory Committee (TAC) reviewed

the updated regional needs and prioritized them in December 2017. With MRPC's concurrence, those recommendations were shared with MoDOT for consideration for the Statewide Transportation Improvement Plan. The board continues to discuss transportation funding options.

MRPC staff also continued to work to keep drivers and passengers safe on regional roadways through MRPC's partnership with the Central District Coalition for Roadway Safety. Through safety days and back-to-school fairs, MRPC discouraged distracted driving, texting while driving and encouraged the use of seatbelts.

In addition to the fairs, MRPC provides hands-on docudrama training to schools and emergency responders interested in doing docudramas and safety days.

Staff also used Buckle Buddy, a booster safety-seat promoter, to teach pre-kindergarten through second grade students how to ride safely in cars. Buddy was present during Fort Leonard Wood's safety day, back-to-school fairs and one-on-one events.

### *Meramec Regional Community Foundation*

The Meramec Regional Community Foundation (MRCF) saw tremendous growth this year to its charitable giving fund. In eight short years the fund has grown to \$1.4 million in funds to be used throughout the region for scholarships and grants. MRCF is an outgrowth of MRPC and is an affiliate of the Community Foundation of the Ozarks (CFO). The foundation is committed to developing a legacy for the Meramec Region. Its mission is to enhance the quality of life for current and future generations in the Meramec Region by establishing community foundations and perpetual, sustainable funds.



As of July 2018, MRCF has 53 funds valued at \$1.4 million. Of the 53 funds, 17 funds provide scholarships to graduating seniors in the Meramec Region, and every county in the region has a disaster relief fund, under MRCF.

One of the highlights of the year for MRCF was the \$17,000 in scholarships that were awarded to graduating seniors throughout the region. One of the new scholarship funds to be established was the Ted and Edna Leffler Scholarship that provided a \$219,487 endowment to benefit Maries County R-2 graduating seniors.

This year MRCF awarded six grants totaling \$1,500 with a goal of enhancing and building stronger communities in the region.



After receiving 124 applications for 11 different scholarships, MRCF awarded \$17,000 in scholarships to graduating seniors throughout the Meramec Region. Above: MRPC Executive Director Bonnie Prigge (back row far right) assisted the Maries R-2 School Foundation award its scholarships, which are part of the MRCF portfolio. Jan Sassmann (back row far left) chairs the school foundation.

## Meramec Regional Development Corporation

### Business Loans: SBA, RLF, IRP

Meramec Regional Development Corporation (MRDC) is a certified small business development company, providing SBA 504 loans to area businesses and also serves as the loan review board for Revolving Loan Funds (RLF), owned by MRPC and loans made through the Intermediary Re-lending Program (IRP). The availability of capital is critical to a growing business, and MRPC and MRDC have seen increased interest in business development in FY 17-18. Five new loans were added to the MRPC/MRDC portfolio, accounting for \$376,319 in loans.

All loans provide gap financing, are made in partnership with local banks and offer long-term, fixed rates. Staff also serviced a portfolio of 14 RLF loans, 26 SBA 504 loans and six IRP loans.

The portfolio combined totaled more than \$13.1 million, leveraged over \$53 million in bank and private investments and created and/or retained approximately 2,372 jobs. Staff continues to package SBA 7 loans for banks and coordinate loan and business development training for businesses and bankers.

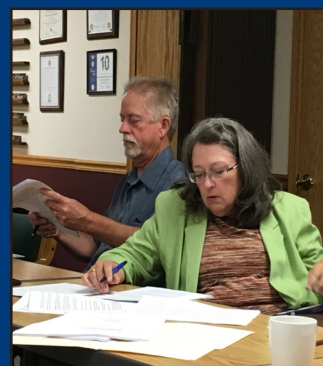
## MRCF awarded six community project grants

Meramec Regional Community Foundation (MRCF) grantees include:

- Crawford County - University Extension received \$250 for the artists and farmers rendezvous project;
- CASA of South Central Missouri in Phelps County received \$250 for a volunteer recruitment event.
- Dent County Community Foundation received \$250 for its city-wide clean up and beautification project;
- Art Works on MAIN Gallery in Gasconade County received \$250 for art classroom renovations;
- Ya Yas of Belle, Inc. in Maries County received \$250 for improvements on the community park and arena; and
- Caledonia Community Foundation in Washington County received \$250 for village park renovations.



RPS Manufacturing, LLC, doing business as M2.Shocks, has been in business since 2003, creating custom performance shocks for the power sports market worldwide. Recently, with the help of MRPC's small business loans program, owner Marcus McBain decided to expand his operation to include three new production lines – to better serve the Harley Davidson, Metric Sport Bikes and road racing markets.



Meramec Regional Development Corporation (MRDC) Chairman Darlene Weber (left) and Phelps County Commission Gary Hicks (back) review loan policies. This past year, MRDC performed a thorough review of its policies and operating procedures to stay in compliance with SBA requirements.

## Project Development, Grant Writing and Administration

Project development at MRPC means taking a need and finding a solution or taking an idea and turning it into a project. This is accomplished largely through planning and project development, grant-writing and grant administration.

All projects start with planning. The Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS) advisory committee continued work on the 2018 update to address the needs of the Meramec Region. The CEDS is an important document for those requesting grant funds as a requirement for many grants is that the project be previously identified through an economic development plan. The updated plan will be finalized in December 2018. Once a need is identified then a solution is sought along with funding.

MRPC staff offer local governments and non-profits a wealth of grant writing experience, expertise and success. Grants are typically used for community improvements, such as water and sewer systems, bridges, fire stations, senior centers and side walks as well as drainage improvements and housing demolition. A grant application can be complicated and time consuming. Grant writing is one of the many services MRPC offers member communities as part of their membership at a reduced rate.

This year, MRPC's community development grant writing staff prepared 14 grant applications and one Neighborhood Assistance Program that were funded. These grants will bring over \$3.6 million to our region and state. Staff wrote and submitted an additional 22 grant proposals in FY 2017-18. Of those, another \$7.1 million were funded since July 1, 2018, the start of our new fiscal year. These projects ranged from senior apartment renovations, agri-tourism expansion, safety improvements for local law enforcement agencies, demolition of vacant structures and more. This also includes the largest grant in MRPC's history — a \$3.5 million CDBG to the city of St. Robert to match FEMA dollars to construct a new waste water treatment plant to replace the old one, which has flooded several times.

MRPC's 'bread and butter' is grant administration, whereby staff ensures that the grantee meets grant requirements in order to receive future grant funds.

In fiscal year 2017-18, MRPC's project development department closed four grants and continued to administer 12 projects.

Grant projects administered in fiscal year 2017-18 included: Chamois wastewater treatment facility upgrades (CDBG), Phelps County Regional Medical Center parking lot (EDA), Naturally Meramec (DRA-closed), Phelps County outer road 2000/I-44 outer road (EDA, CDBG/MACOG); Phelps County sheltered workshop (CDBG-closed), Richland Demolition (CDBG-closed), Washington County Tiff Bridge (CDBG), St. James Wilson Drive extension (DRA-closed), Steelville City Hall ADA renovations (CDBG), Bland water improvements (MDNR/USDA), Potosi Mill Street Bridge (CDBG), and Haven Manor senior housing renovations (FHLB).

One of the larger projects in the region this year was a system upgrade to the Chamois Wastewater Treatment facility.

The project included the addition of an ultraviolet disinfection system to bring the discharge from the wastewater treatment facility up to the Missouri Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) requirements. The project also removed accumulated sludge from the existing lagoons, stabilized the interior berm slopes of the lagoon and moved the outfall to the edge of the Missouri River. Some of the sewer lines had their interiors lined with plastic to increase their useful life, as well.



**Right: Crews from Mid-State Pipeline Maintenance of Belle work on digging and setting forms for the new UV disinfectant treatment system near the lagoons at the Chamois waste water treatment facility on Jan. 30, 2018. The project cost approximately \$1.9 million.**

The total cost of the project was approximately \$1.9 million dollars. CDBG funds paid \$460,258 in construction and administration of the project. A Missouri Department of Natural Resources (DNR) grant provided \$1,064,066, and a DNR loan covered the rest of the project costs.

MRPC prepared the CDBG grant application for the city and provided the grant administration for the project, working closely with Chamois City Clerk Dorcas Ruff.

In some situations, MRPC implements projects. Naturally Meramec, a consortium of agri-tourism businesses administered by MRPC, continued to work with agri-tourism businesses throughout the region providing trainings to its members during meetings and continuing to promote events and businesses in the Meramec Region through the website, [www.naturallymeramec.org](http://www.naturallymeramec.org) and its Facebook page. The goal is to make the Meramec Region a destination, bringing in more visitors to spend their dollars.

Additionally, MRPC provides floodplain management services for Maries County, Phelps County and the city of Meta. Staff continues to work on recovery efforts after the flood of April 2017 that affected properties along the Gasconade River in Maries and Phelps counties and in Hermann.



## ***MRPC secures over \$11 million in grants for cities and counties in Meramec Region***

In 2017-18, MRPC's planning staff wrote 14 successful grants, totaling \$3,616,285.55. Approved grants included:

- City of St. Robert to connect the city and army installation water systems insuring continuity in service - \$500,000
- City of Bourbon to help purchase new playground equipment at the city park - \$500
- Edgar Springs Police Department to purchase a used police cruiser - \$7,000
- Steelville Police Department to purchase equipment for officers and patrol cars to improve officer safety - \$4,115.55
- Liberty Garden Apartments to renovate a 20-unit senior apartment complex in Wright City - \$350,480
- Greenway Village to renovate 12 senior/accessible apartments - \$160,800
- Council for a Healthy Dent County for new gymnasium at Salem Community Center @ the Armory (NAP) - \$500,000
- Dent County Fire Protection District to make significant upgrades to the fire station and parking lot - \$350,000
- City of Bourbon for reconstruction of E. Pine Street through the downtown business district - \$500,000
- Pulaski County Sheltered Workshop to upgrade the sheltered workshop for efficiency, safety and ADA function - \$350,000
- St. James Caring Center to purchase a new commercial walk-in freezer to serve the food pantry and senior center - \$19,000
- City of Pacific to acquire and demolish properties in the floodplain - \$656,909
- City of Pacific to repair waste water treatment plant damaged by flood - \$215,481

- Caledonia Community Foundation to add playground and picnic equipment to Village Park - \$2,000

Additional grants that have been funded since June 2018, totaling \$7,125,575 include:

- MRPC to assemble a consortium of health and social service providers who will improve prevention, treatment, and recovery from opioid addiction - \$738,500
- City of Newburg to replace an old non-function siren with a new emergency warning siren - \$12,750
- MRPC to support new, regionally-focused innovative, non-duplicated marketing efforts to assist producers to further expand their market base through Naturally Meramec - \$425,000
- MRPC to continue development of Naturally Meramec and marketing events - \$45,800
- City of St. James to hire a consultant for the St. James Commercial Corridor Improvement Plan - \$43,000
- City of St. Robert to allow the city to construct a new waste water treatment plant - \$3,500,000
- MRPC to conduct a flood detour study in Hermann - \$20,000
- Doolittle Rural Fire Protection District to install a new storm siren at Jerome fire station - \$18,000
- City of Belle to demolish seven vacant and dilapidated residential structures - \$60,975
- City of Hermann for the acquisition and demolition of Hermann Area District Hospital clinic in floodplain - \$608,300
- City of Potosi for new natural gas main from Desloge to Potosi border station - \$1,653,250



Above: In October 2017, crews work on the paving of Wilson Drive in the St. James Industrial Park. The project was funded by the Delta Regional Authority and opens up undeveloped land.



Above: Crews work on ADA upgrades to the Steelville City Hall. Modifications will be made so that the structure better serves the needs of the city and police station.

## A Unified Voice in the Legislative Process

Cities and counties in the Meramec Region have many commonalities, and what effects one, will most likely impact the majority. That is especially true of legislation. MRPC helps communities keep track of, and be aware of proposed legislation so they can determine the impact on their jurisdictions.

It is critical that a town of 200 people have the same voice as a city of 200,000. In order to keep track of so much, MRPC's External Relations committee monitors legislation throughout the year and keeps the membership apprised through various legislative updates from a variety of sources. MRPC also serves as an advocate for its local governments, 36 cities and more than 200,000 residents.

MRPC has an excellent rapport with its three state senators, 10 state representatives, two U.S. senators and three U.S. representatives that serve various parts of the region. In any given legislative session, MRPC provides ideas and makes input to ensure the rural perspective is considered.

Each year, the MRPC board develops state and federal priority reports. State legislators were invited to discuss issues with MRPC board and staff members at the December 2017 meeting, and the Meramec congressional delegation was invited to the January 2018 MRPC meeting to discuss federal issues.

In January 2018, the MRPC board visited with legislators at the state capital in Jefferson City to present them with MRPC's state priorities report.

In March 2018, Chairman Ray Schwartze, Executive Director Bonnie Prigge and Assistant Director Tammy Snodgrass attended the National Association of Developmental Organizations (NADO) Washington Policy conference in D.C., where they visited with the region's congressional leadership and hand-delivered MRPC's Federal Priorities report.



Above: The National Association of Developmental Organizations (NADO), of whom MRPC is a member, honored Sen. Roy Blunt with an award. The Missouri RPC delegation presented it to Blunt while in Washington D.C., in March. Pictured: MRPC Chairman Ray Schwartze, MRPC Executive Director Bonnie Prigge, Sen. Blunt, Cindy Hultz of Mark Twain Regional Planning Commission, Perry, and Chad Eggen of Boonslick Regional Planning Commission, Warrenton.



Above: MRPC staff and board members met with state legislators during MRPC's Day at the Capitol to discuss state priorities for the Meramec Region. Pictured Back (L-R): Rep. Steve Lynch, Shane Anselm, Jan Haviland, Ron Kraettli, Janey Radford, Debby Bust, Rep. Robert Ross, Gary Heldt, Darrell Skiles, John Casey, and T.R. Dudley. Front: Steve Vogt, Tammy Snodgrass, Bonnie Prigge, Ray Schwartze, and Larry Miskel.



Above: Then Senator Mike Kehoe (center), now lieutenant governor, discusses issues with board members during their visit to the state capitol.



Above: U.S. Rep. Blaine Luetkemeyer (center) discusses federal issues with MRPC Chairman Ray Schwartze (left) and MRPC Executive Director Bonnie Prigge (right) while in Washington D.C.



# *Preliminary Revenue & Expenditure Report*

## *For the year ending June 30, 2018*

### REVENUE SUMMARY

Agency Revenues	FY17-18 Revised Budget	Year to Date
Planning/Project Development Department	\$573,502	\$544,511
Loans Department	\$124,553	\$99,383
Environmental Department	\$475,723	\$475,934
Housing Department	\$480,428	\$462,678
Services to MRB	\$105,517	\$94,642
Other Income	\$19,449	\$20,514
<b>Total Agency Revenues</b>	<b>\$1,779,172</b>	<b>\$1,697,662</b>

### EXPENSE SUMMARY

Agency Expenses	FY17-18 Revised Budget	Year to Date
Advertising	\$6,486	\$6,956
Annual Audit	\$5,000	\$5,000
Annual Dinner	\$4,200	\$3,603
Automobile Lease	\$46,728	\$32,848
Building Lease	\$97,771	\$86,404
Computer Lease	\$38,195	\$32,124
Contract Services	\$55,443	\$47,267
Copy Lease	\$31,827	\$33,183
Furniture & Equipment Lease	\$103,205	\$109,524
Graphics & Outside Print	\$4,975	\$2,858
Grant Expense	\$10,510	\$13,380
In-kind Match	\$10,352	\$7,819
Indirect Costs	\$185,308	\$210,659
Insurance and Legal fees	\$2,772	\$2,077
License and Miscellaneous Fees	\$8,453	\$13,828
Meeting Registrations and Memberships	\$9,284	\$9,469
Personnel - Salaries	\$830,249	\$784,723
Personnel - Fringe	\$264,427	\$236,608
Phone, Postage & Supplies	\$15,757	\$13,024
Staff & Board Development	\$10,767	\$6,783
Subscriptions & Publications	\$925	\$700
Travel	\$21,930	\$13,915
<b>Total Agency Expenses</b>	<b>\$1,764,564</b>	<b>\$1,672,752</b>

**TOTAL AGENCY REVENUES OVER EXPENSES                    \$24,910**

## Making an Impact

Counties, cities and constituents in the Meramec Region benefit day-after-day by Meramec Regional Planning Commission's dedication to ensuring taxpayer dollars are spent to benefit residents as funding agencies intended. MRPC administers many of these dollars, which are spent to improve the lives of residents in the region.

Pass-through dollars are funds that go through MRPC directly into the region as local government grants, business loans and housing assistance, among other things. These dollars are tracked annually.

Pass-through dollars in FY2017-18 were \$7.13 million. The impact of these dollars go much farther than the initial investment. Using a conservative multiplier of 2.5, MRPC had an economic impact valued at \$20.05 million in FY2017-18.

For every dollar MRPC spent (\$1,672,752) in FY2017-18, \$4.26 was brought into the Meramec Region for the benefit of its residents. While not all of MRPC's operating dollars were spent in the region, a large portion of them were. Personnel and fringe is MRPC's largest

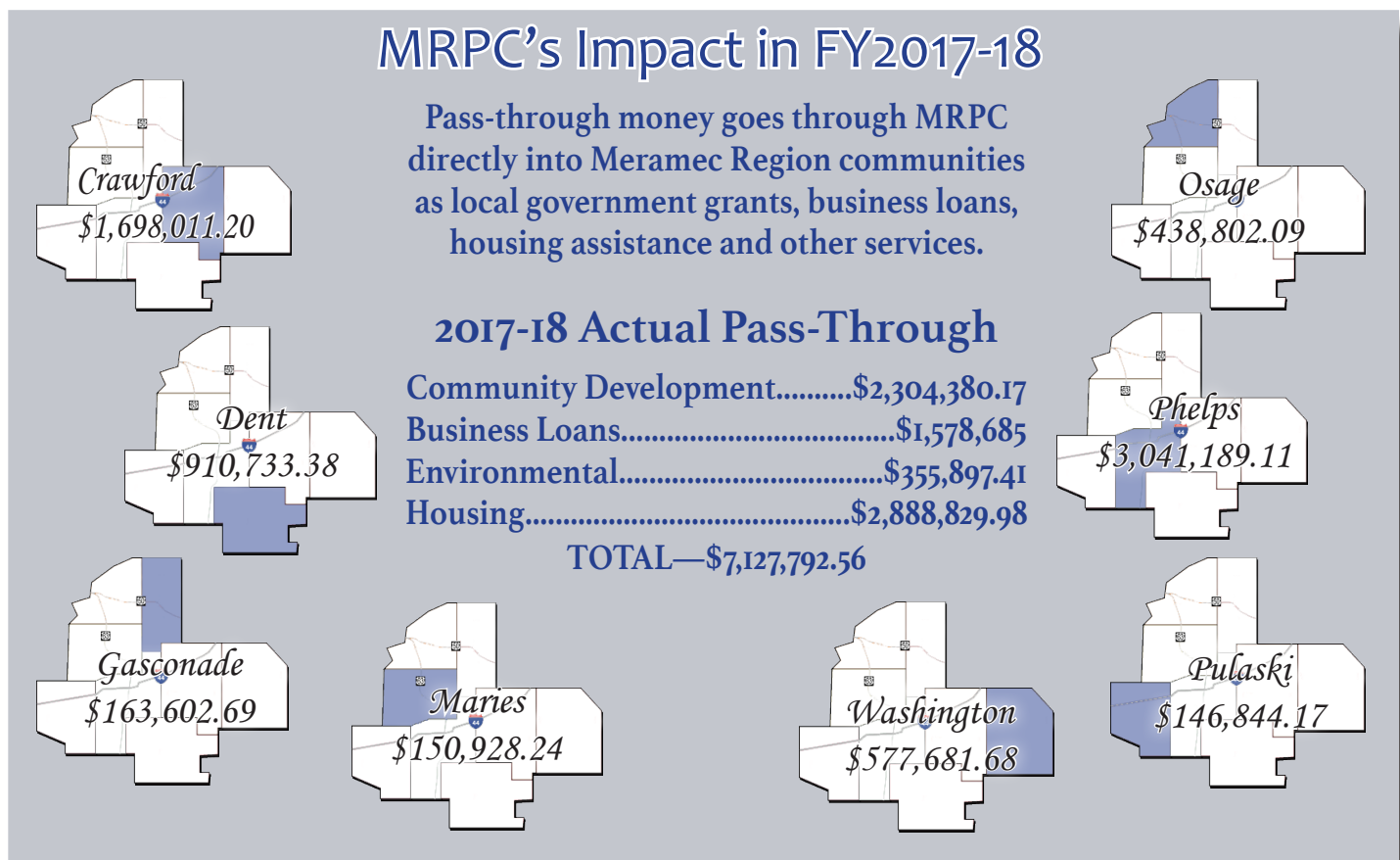
single expense at \$1,021,331, and all of MRPC's employees live in the region.

When you factor in MRPC's expenditures of \$1.67 million, the additional economic impact was \$4.18 million, for a total impact valued at \$21.98 million.

MRPC staff continually look for ways to bring more resources into the region. To do that, MRPC must know what a community's needs are and that is why so much time and energy is spent on planning processes and community visits. That is the start of a successful project.

The cities and counties that comprise MRPC can be proud of their ability to work together. Such results make MRPC a valuable development tool.

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# List of Services

## — July 1, 2017 - June 30, 2018 —

Meramec Regional Planning Commission has compiled a list of major services, provided for communities and local governments within the region for fiscal year 2017/2018. MRPC is truly committed to making a difference.

### REGION

- Provided \$2,977,576 in housing assistance to an average of 721 very low-income households per month in the Meramec Region through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Housing Choice Voucher Program. This also includes the participants who have utilized their portability rights and have transferred out of our area and are still being assisted with our agency's funds. MRPC also performed 1,325 unit inspections for the rental assistance programs and conducted 12 group housing briefing sessions at MRPC.
- Submitted and was awarded Family Self-Sufficiency (FSS) grant of \$53,932.
- Provided information on Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) competition and grant alerts for the: National Trust for Historic Preservation Fund, Emergency Solutions Grant, National Science Foundation Grant, Missouri Department of Economic Development Disaster Recovery Program, Missouri Department of Natural Resources Outdoor Recreation Grant Programs, Missouri Department of Agriculture Spay and Neuter Grant Program, Louis J. Appell Jr. Fund, National Fund for Sacred Places, The Hart Family Fund for Small Towns Grant, United States Department of Agriculture Community Connect grant, Energy Loan Program, Missouri Main Street Affiliate Grant Program, U.S. Department of Justice 2018 School Violence Prevention Program, Ozark Rivers 2019 Waste Reduction Project grants, Delta Regional Authority 2019 Grant Round, United Way Community Support Grant (only applicable to Osage County), Ozark Rivers 2018 Grant Round and Meramec Regional Community Foundation Grants.
- Provided information on dam failure chapter in the Washington County hazard mitigation plan to an Associate Press reporter from Jefferson City.
- Provided information on the National Recreation and Park Association 'Meet Me at the Park' competition.
- Attended three NEXUS meetings and presented at a Central Workforce Development Board NEXUS meeting on March 13, 2018 at MRPC.
- Registered Meramec Regional Planning Commission on Missouri SourceLink.
- MRPC and Region I Homeland Security Oversight Committee sponsored a Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Training on Aug. 26-27, 2017.
- Applied and received various Ozark Rivers Solid Waste Management District (ORSWMD) grants to assist with Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) satellite collections in Rolla and St. Robert, special waste collections, and education, public awareness and business outreach.
- Updated and redesigned MRPC's website.
- Provided staff services for the Meramec Regional Emergency Planning Committee (MREPC) and updated the region's hazardous materials emergency management plan for the Missouri Emergency Response Commission (MERC).
- Conducted training needs survey for MREPC.
- Worked with MERC to promote and coordinate hazardous materials classes.
- Applied for hazardous materials training courses on behalf of MREPC through MERC.
- Held Annual Dinner at Salem Community Center @ The Armory in Salem on Oct. 26, 2017. Outstanding volunteers were recognized at the annual dinner and later in the region's news media and MRPC publications.
- Provided photos to Annual Dinner volunteer award winners.
- Prepared Federal Priorities report and made annual trip to Washington, D.C. to carry regional concerns to our U.S. representatives and senators. Chair Ray Schwartze accompanied staff members Tammy Snodgrass and Bonnie Prigge on March 18-21, 2018.
- Prepared State Priorities report and made annual trip to Jefferson City on Jan. 23, 2018 to carry regional concerns to our state representatives and senators. Board members and staff participated.
- Attended a meeting in Washington, DC, with Delta Regional Authority Federal Chairman Chris Caldwell.
- Executive Director served on the boards of the Missouri Association of Councils of Governments (MACOG), Missouri Local Technical Assistance Program (LTAP), Missouri Federal Land Access Program Decision Committee (FLAP), Community Partnership Audit Committee, Community Partnership and Early Childhood Educare Advisory Committee, Sustainable Ozarks Partnership Board, SBTDC Statewide Advisory Board, Fort Leonard Wood Community Partnership Leadership Committee and Meramec Regional Community Foundation. Served as chair of the MACOG from July 2017 to Jan. 2018 and chairs the MACOG transportation committee.
- Served as administrator for the Gasconade Valley Enterprise Zone (GVEZ) that coordinates the Enhanced Enterprise Zones in Maries, Gasconade and Osage counties, and assisted with fundraising.

- Continued to work with the Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT) to gather local input on transportation needs and issues and provide staff support to the Transportation Advisory Committee (TAC), an advisory group serving as a liaison between local citizens and MRPC, including the coordination of six meetings.
- Maintained a multi-modal transportation stakeholder's email list.
- Provided traffic counter, which may be used by member communities and organizations.
- Invited the Meramec Region's state legislators to MRPC's December board meeting for an idea exchange. One state legislator participated.
- Invited the Meramec Region's federal congressional leadership to MRPC's January board meeting for an idea exchange. Staff from three of the region's congressional offices participated.
- Coordinated and provided meeting room for four MREPC meetings and seven ORSWMD meetings.
- Adopted one needy family, one elderly gentleman, one veteran from the Missouri Veteran's Home in St. James and two teenage boys from the Great Circle in St. James (six total individuals in the Meramec Region) for Christmas. Gifts and food were purchased from funds collected from staff and board. Donations were also collected for the local animal shelter.
- Participated in 11 statewide MACOG meetings.
- Participated in quarterly statewide meetings of RPC transportation planners.
- Coordinated four meetings of Region I Homeland Security Oversight Committee (HSOC).
- Continued to work with Dr. Joan Schuman from MS&T, Dept. of Engineering Management and Systems Engineering, to make board members aware of the University's program to have engineering management student's work with local governments to address their needs and identify solutions. Served as a liaison between the cities of Owensville and St. Robert, the communities that hosted the class this fiscal year.
- Entered into a contract with MoDOT and Coalition for Roadway Safety to assist with awareness of a "Buckle Up/ Phone Down/Arrive Alive" message at schools and community events and provide docudrama/safety day training.
- Staff continued to provide administrative services for the Naturally Meramec Consortium by working with agriculture, tourism and culinary businesses across the region. Staff facilitated bi-monthly meetings, hosted training events, visited businesses, gathered data, set up day-trip trails and marketed the businesses through the Show-Me Local: Naturally Meramec website and Facebook page.
- Submitted a grant application to USDA for funds to support new, regionally-focused marketing efforts for Naturally Meramec to assist producers in further expanding the market base and creating food promotion jobs.
- Submitted a grant application to MACOG for funds to conduct a feasibility study for shared operational responsibility between two or more small wastewater systems.
- Submitted a grant application to Federal Home Loan Bank's Affordable Housing Program for funds to make repairs to 20 owner-occupied homes throughout the region.
- Shared Missouri Partnership leads with economic developers and community leaders, as requested.
- Submitted and was awarded a grant in the amount of \$738,500 from the Health Resources & Services Administration's Rural Health Opioid Program.
- Submitted grant application to Community Foundation of the Ozarks for funds to allow MRCF to convene a substance abuse workshop of area health and social service agencies and make community grants. Was not funded.
- Submitted a Coover Charitable Foundation grant application for MCEC for funds to continue collective marketing efforts of Show-Me Local: Naturally Meramec. Was not funded.
- Submitted a grant application to MO Agricultural & Small Business Development Authority for funds for the Naturally Meramec Consortium to conduct a food hub feasibility study for local producers. Was not funded.
- Submitted a grant application to the Reiman Foundation, Inc. for Meramec Community Enhancement Corporation (MCEC) for funds to continue the Mobility Management Program.
- Applied and was awarded the Office of Administration grant, which allows Regional Planning Commissions to receive state financial assistance.
- Maintained portfolio of 14 Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) projects, totaling \$859,530 leveraging more than \$20,638,296 million in private investment and creating/retaining more than 978 jobs in our region with the entire program.
- Maintained portfolio of 26 Small Business Administration (SBA) 504 loans, totaling \$5,545,897, leveraging more than \$6,189,203 million in private investment and creating/retaining more than 1,287 jobs in our region with the entire program.
- Maintained portfolio of six Intermediary Relending Projects (IRP), totaling \$185,146, leveraging more than \$5,019,006 million in private investment and creating/retaining more than 172 jobs in our region.
- Coordinated and provided meeting facilities for 10 Meramec Regional Development Corporation (MRDC) meetings.
- Continued to offer associate memberships to businesses and organizations in the region. As of June 30, 2018, 18 businesses and organizations held associate memberships.
- Hosted a Resident Advisory board Meeting (RAB) to review the five year/one year Public Housing Authority (PHA) plan.
- Coordinated Ozark Rivers Grant program that awarded 12 grants, which benefited Ozark Rivers counties. The total award was \$197,585.75, which is being administered by



MRPC on behalf of ORSWMD.

- Participated and assisted in coordination of quarterly meetings in Jefferson City for MACOG RPC fiscal officers.
- Coordinated, set agenda and facilitated eight meetings for solid waste planners meetings at the state level.
- Coordinated and administered Region I HSOC grant program, which benefited Region I. FY16 projects have been selected, totaling \$88,935.82 and were awarded in October 2016. FY17 projects have been selected totaling \$91,943.11 and were awarded in October 2017.
- Facilitated and provided technical assistance to the Meramec Regional Community Foundation (MRCF). MRCF ended the fiscal year with 54 funds with a fund balance of \$1,388,682. Four new funds were established, totaling \$223,987. Hosted and attended over 14 meetings to promote the foundation concept. Assisted the foundation in awarding six community grants totaling \$1,500 and 18 scholarships in the region, totaling \$17,000.
- Coordinated and provided meeting space five Mobility Management advisory meetings.
- Provided meeting space for South Central Correctional facility personnel, as needed.
- Coordinated and provided meeting facilities for nine Meramec Regional Community Foundation (MRCF) meetings.
- Attended CDC Board Certification Guidelines training on Sept. 20, 2017.
- Attended Franchise SOP Updates Webinar on Nov. 1, 2017.
- Attended Loan Analysis Webinar – CDC Ventures on Nov. 16, 2017.
- Attended Customizing Documents Webinar - CDC Ventures on Nov. 27, 2017.
- Attended Financial Analysis Webinar – CDC Ventures on Nov. 30, 2017.
- Participated in a SBA Connect Conference Call – Program Updates on Jan. 9, 2018.
- Attended a NADCO Live Webinar Training – Writing SBA-Friendly Credit Memorandums on Jan. 11, 2018.
- Participated in a SBTDC Women's Business Group Meeting on Jan. 18, 2018.
- Attended EDA-Revolving Loan Fund Webinar on Jan. 23, 2018.
- Attended Tickler System Webinar – Ventures Plus on March 19, 2018.
- Participated in SBA Small Business Week SBA Virtual Conference May 1 to May 3, 2018.
- The Meramec Region Coalition for Roadway Safety Subcommittee awarded 10 mini grants, totaling \$3,900 to assist with eight Project Graduations and one docudrama project. Project Graduation grants were awarded to: Fatima High School, Linn High School, Owensville High School, Belle High School, Kiwanis of Cuba for Cuba High School, St. James High School, Hermann Families in Action for Hermann High School, Salem High School and Bourbon High School. One docudrama grant was awarded to St. James High School.
- Completed and submitted an Economic Development Administration (EDA) planning grant for the region.
- Completed and submitted Region I HSOC progress reports to Office of Homeland Security in December.
- Represented Region I HSOC at State HSOC Chair meetings and at State Homeland Security Advisory Committee (HSAC) meetings on a quarterly basis.
- Facilitated four Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS) Advisory Committee meetings.
- Submitted DRA planning grant reports.
- Provided technical assistance for Meramec Community Enhancement Corporation (MCEC) and coordinated four meetings.
- Provided a forum for local review for federal funded programs and projects in the region through the State Clearinghouse Review process.
- Prepared, submitted and administered Chemical Emergency Preparedness Fund (CEPF) Tier II and Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness (HMEP) grants for the MREPC.
- Conducted a commodity flow study of Highways 19, 44, 50, 63 and 21 and all pipelines and railroads in the region for MREPC.
- Fielded numerous calls for assistance for SBA, RLF, IRP and micro loans throughout the region for small businesses.
- Maintained memberships and/or provided representation in the Missouri Association of Councils of Government, Missouri Economic Development Council, National Association of Housing Redevelopment Officials, National Association of Development Organizations, Missouri Municipal League, Delta Regional Authority, Missouri Press Association, Missouri Recycling Association, Rolla Area Chamber of Commerce, Hermann Area Chamber of Commerce, Sullivan Area Chamber of Commerce, Waynesville-St. Robert Chamber of Commerce, Owensville Area Chamber of Commerce, Salem Area Chamber of Commerce, St. James Chamber of Commerce, Steelville Area Chamber of Commerce, Missouri Transportation and Development Council, National Association of Development Companies, NADO Economic Development Finance Services, Missouri Employment Committee, Missouri Coalition for Roadway Safety Central District Committee, State Solid Waste Advisory Board, Office of Homeland Security RPC Leadership Committee, Sustainable Ozarks Partnership, FLW Partnership, Missouri Association Public Housing Agencies, Missouri Recycling Association, National Recycling Association, and Missouri Conservation Federation.
- Provided meeting space for Meramec Arts Council, as needed.
- Coordinated an Active Shooter Training for staff. Was conducted by St. James Police Department.
- Coordinated a board retreat that focused on services and financing in Dec. 2017.

- Responded to numerous requests for information via MRPC's website and Facebook.
- Prepared 140+ press releases for media in the region, keeping them informed about the projects and activities of MRPC and its member governments.
- Coordinated a presentation by Dr. Christopher G. Maples, interim chancellor, Missouri University of Science and Technology, for the August 2017 MRPC meeting.
- Coordinated a presentation by Janie Dunning, consultant with Farm Bureau, on the Status of Broadband in Missouri for the September 2017 MRPC meeting.
- Coordinated a presentation by Angela Rolufs, a contractor with Missouri University of Science and Technology, and Pete Karnowski of Burns and McDonald, on a wood waste study they are conducting on behalf of the Missouri Forest Products Association for the November 2017 MRPC meeting.
- Coordinated a presentation by Tammy Alsop, Hochschild, Bloom & Company, who presented the finalized MRPC audit report for MRPC and its component units for year ending June 30, 2017 for the December 2017 MRPC meeting.
- Coordinated a presentation by Anne Freand and Ryan Dunwoody, MRPC, on GIS Services through MRPC for the February 2018 MRPC meeting.
- Coordinated a presentation by Kelly Sink-Blair and Tammy Snodgrass, MRPC, on Grant Writing Services through MRPC and a presentation by Bonnie Prigge, MRPC, who gave an overview of the President's Infrastructure Plan for the March 2018 MRPC meeting.
- Coordinated a presentation by Chuck Cantrell, MRPC, on environmental services he provides through MRPC for the April 2018 MRPC meeting.
- Coordinated a presentation by Linda Loughridge, MRPC, on proposed dues restructuring for the May 2018 MRPC meeting.
- Coordinated a presentation by Linda Loughridge, MRPC, on fiscal operations and shared services that are available to MRPC cities and counties for the June 14, 2018 MRPC meeting.
- Coordinated Central District Coalition for Roadway Safety sub-committee meetings for Meramec counties in Sept. 2017 and April 2018.
- Attended annual meeting of Sustainable Ozarks Partnership in Waynesville.
- Continued a Mobility Management program with funding from MoDOT for Federal Transit Administration 5310 and Missouri Developmental Disabilities Council.
- Helped coordinate agenda for MACOG retreat at Echo Bluff State Park in October 2017.
- Submitted a DRA grant to continue Naturally Meramec.
- Continued administration of an EDA grant to construct parking facilities on the medical campus that will facilitate the location of Delbert Day Cancer Institute in the amount of \$1,407,980.
- Provided information monthly to local lenders and business professionals on MRPC's loan programs, SBA 504 rates and announcements.
- Continued to update Ozark Rivers Solid Waste Management District plan.
- Collected and organized Tier II reports for the region.
- Coordinated an MML Elected Officials training to be held in August.
- Updated and received board approval for the Meramec Region Public Transit Human Services Transportation Coordination Plan.
- Coordinated stakeholders meeting to rewrite the Meramec Region CEDS.
- Coordinated information gathering for the 2018 Solid Waste Advisory Board annual report to the Missouri Department of Natural Resources.
- Held a grant writing workshop for ORSWMD in July 2017.
- Held a grant administration workshop for ORSWMD subgrantees, Dec. 2017.
- Attended Fort Leonard Wood Leadership Partnership meeting in Waynesville on July 27, 2017, Oct. 26, 2017 and May 9, 2018.
- Participated in the Nov. 8, 2017 and April 5, 2018 LTAP meetings in Rolla.
- Procured for and solicited member communities participation in bulk paper purchase and coordinated delivery of purchases to the respective communities.
- Attended a training in Washington, DC on CEDS.
- Developed a report on best floodplain management practices, using funding from CDBG and MACOG.
- Conducted a survey of Emergency Notification Systems used in the region and prepared a report, with funding from CDBG and MACOG.
- Prepared Fair Market Rents in 2017 for Crawford, Dent, Gasconade, Maries, Phelps and Washington counties.
- Conducted a utility rate study in May 2018 for Crawford, Dent, Gasconade, Maries, Phelps and Washington counties.
- Prepared Income Limits for Fiscal Year 2018 in Crawford, Dent, Gasconade, Maries, Phelps and Washington counties.
- Attended GIS Training provided by MoDOT.
- Attended Salamander Training on behalf of Region I HSOC.
- Attended SAM Trailer Training in Jefferson City with MO State Highway Patrol.
- Attended 2017 Annual Missouri Emergency Management Conference.
- Prepared and submitted a USDA Solid Waste Grant to conduct an illegal dump survey of the ORSWMD.

#### OUTSIDE THE MERAMEC REGION

- Provided ordinance codification services to city of Rockaway Beach, at request of another RPC.
- Provided website development specifications and floodplain coordinator job description to MACOG.



- Met with Lake Ozark development group.
- Provided information on contracts, advertising and bidding requirements to Region M Solid Waste Management District.
- Provided information on solid waste education programs to Bootheel Solid Waste Management District.
- Provided information to Lake Ozark Council of Governments on our work with MREPC – type of work, amount of time spent, type of projects, etc.
- Provided copies of plan implementation grant documents to Bootheel Regional Planning Commission.
- Provided list of solid waste planners and their email contacts to the solid waste planner at Bootheel Regional Planning Commission.
- Provided employer and employee numbers for Osage County to the Jefferson City Chamber of Commerce.
- Provided bylaws information to solid waste District B.
- Disseminated recycling information from solid waste District F to all other solid waste districts in the state.
- Provided a copy of MREPC bylaws to the Warrenton Fire Protection District.
- Provided information on solid waste district structure to Bootheel SWMD.
- Provided information on MREPC structure to Mark Twain RPC and Lake Ozarks COG.
- Provided copies of floodplain contracts to Lake Ozark Council of Governments.
- Provided Earth Day, America Recycles Day and edutainment information to 12 outreach contacts.
- Answered two questions regarding grant alerts.
- Responded to calls regarding where to recycle.
- Provided one household hazardous waste brochure.
- Explained Meramec Regional Development Corporation programs and eligibility and suggested SBA 7a loan program to a small business in Union, MO.
- Responded to an inquiry about opening a multifaceted small business and referred the individual to the Missouri Small Business and Technology Development Center to create a business plan.
- Provided MOKAN RPC with community development and environmental specialist job descriptions.
- Provided MTRCOG with a sample technical assistance contract for an environmental review.
- Provided East-West Gateway COG with MRPC's last salary comparison.
- Provided OFRPC with MRPC's job descriptions for fiscal officer, community development specialist, senior community development specialist and senior grant administrator.
- Met with LOCOLG to discuss setting up a local emergency planning committee in its region and shared MRPC's county resolutions and contract for services.
- Shared a super circular PowerPoint, MRPC's Conflict of Interest and Anti-Fraud policies with all RPC's/COGs in the state of Missouri.
- Shared Department of Labor FLSA information with SCOCOG regarding exempt and non-exempt modified work week of 35 hours per week and how compensatory time and leave is impacted when more than 35 hours per week are worked.
- Shared information with MOKAN RPC on how and where to submit MACOG's salary/benefit survey.
- Shared with Boonslick RPC MRPC's indirect supportive documentation submitted to MoDOT for release of grant funds.
- Shared EDA's new indirect rate negotiation process through Department of Interior with MTRCOG.
- Shared MRPC's Title VI plan document and compliance requirements with MTRCOG and PTRPC.
- Provided information on MoDOT's allowance of CDBG Disaster Resiliency Grant as match to MoDOT Transportation Planning Grant and criteria to meet requirements with HSTRCOG.
- Shared EDA and MODED contact information with HSTRCOG regarding EDA's allowance of CDBG Disaster Resiliency Grant as match to planning grant.
- Provided EDA/RLF guidance information to SEMORPC regarding what loan proceeds received from a previously written off loan can be used for.
- Provided PTRPC with acceptable supportive documentation for in kind match to MoDOT Transit Plan Update.
- Shared MRPC's internal control policies, loan classification system and independent loan review guidelines with MOKAN RPC.
- Provided sample schedule of indirect and fringe expenses and process to negotiate an indirect rate through Department of Interior with NWMOCOG.
- Provided MOBuys information to NWMOCOG for state cooperative agreements and bulk purchasing.
- Shared MRPC's request for bids/proposal of audit services with a RPC in southern Texas, NADD member that included new CFR language.
- Shared MoDOT transportation planning grant allocation information with MOKAN RPC.
- Provided NWMORCOG with IRS guidelines on RPC cafeteria plan eligibility and explained reporting exemption.
- Partnered with the Missouri Coalition for Roadway Safety to provide docudrama planning and implementation assistance outside the region. Staff planned and completed docudramas in Mansfield (300 students), Tuscumbia/St. Elizabeth (250 students) and Willow Springs (350 students). Staff also met with Blair Oaks to discuss docudramas.
- Prepared a CDBG Emergency Grant in the amount of \$656,909 for the City of Pacific to acquire and demolish properties in the flood plain, which was funded.
- Prepared a CDBG Emergency Grant in the amount of \$215,481 for the City of Pacific to repair wastewater treatment plant damaged by the flood, which was funded.
- Prepared and currently administering a Federal Home

Loan Bank grant through the Affordable Housing Program to Liberty Garden Apartments, Inc. for funds to renovate 20 senior apartments.

- Prepared and currently administering a Federal Home Loan Bank grant through the Affordable Housing Program to Greenway Village, Inc. for funds to renovate 12 senior/disabled apartments.
- Provided servicing for one SBA loan for a business in Linn Creek, MO.
- Provided servicing for one SBA loan for a business in Monett, MO.
- Provided servicing for one SBA loan for a business in Springfield, MO.
- Provided servicing for one SBA loan for a business in St. Louis, MO.
- Provided servicing for one SBA loan for a business in Mountain Grove, MO.
- Provided servicing for one SBA loan for a business in Lebanon, MO.
- Provided servicing for one SBA loan for a business in Buffalo, MO.
- Served on the MO Recycling Association board representing solid waste districts.
- Attended meeting of Missouri Rural Transportation Alliance.
- Prepared and submitted a proposal to conduct a commodity flow study to Laclede County and assisted in writing a grant application to MERC to fund the project.

#### CRAWFORD COUNTY

- Provided \$1,146,477 in rental assistance through the HUD Housing Choice Voucher Program to an average of 265 households. This includes the cities of Bourbon, Cuba, Leasburg, Steelville and Sullivan and communities of Cherryville and Cook Station.
- Met with Crawford County Commission, city leadership and Transportation Advisory Council members on Oct. 3, 2017 to discuss transportation needs in the county.
- Provided information on the Delta Regional Authority States' Economic Development Assistance Program (SEDAP).
- Provided information on electronics recycling, illegal dumping, recycling resources, household hazardous waste, tire disposal and trash services to citizens in the county.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Collected illegally dumped tires from Crawford County.
- Provided signage for illegal dumping in the county.
- Provided for disposal of household hazardous waste for county residents.
- Provided Earth Day, America Recycles Day and edutainment information to 30 contacts in the county.
- Provided information on Ozark Rivers activities to 14 contacts.

- Submitted grant application to Delta Regional Authority for SEDAP 2018 for funds to replace Brickey Bridge over Huzzah Creek.
- Submitted a FY19 Matching Grant application to the Missouri Division of Tourism for the Cuba Tourism Commission for funds to promote tourism in the county in print and on TV.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation on Jan. 24, 2018 with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Responded to seven requests for assistance with administration, reports and reimbursement of Ozark Rivers grants.
- Responded to six questions on grant alerts.
- Organized two school field trips to tour recycling facilities.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Mailed two notices on special collections.
- Coordinated one tire disposal and transport for the county.
- E-mailed 20 grant alert notifications.
- Coordinated two planning meetings to review and update the Crawford County hazard mitigation plan.
- Submitted and received approval on Crawford County Hazard Mitigation plan update.
- Provided information to Crawford County high schools on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Closed out DRA grant for implementation of ACT Certified Work Ready Communities in Phelps, Crawford, Dent and Washington counties in the amount of \$128,460. Crawford County received its Community Work Ready Community designation through this effort.



**Crawford County received its Certified Work Ready Community Designation after several entities in the county banded together to ensure the requirements were met.**

- Provided fiscal agent services to Cuba Development Group for the MoDED tax credits projects to raise funds to complete the Osage Trail Legacy Project monument.
- Met with county emergency management staff and provided acceptable state of MO volunteer rate and relative state of MO job descriptions and salary ranges.
- Coordinated a mini-grant program and awarded Central District Coalition for Roadway Safety grants to Kiwanis of



Cuba and Bourbon High Schools.

- Provided an MRCF grant to the Crawford County Extension for a farmers/artists market event.

#### BOURBON

- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements and awarded prizes to students in Bourbon High School for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided bus transportation to Bourbon High School for waste reduction related field trips.
- Assisted in purchase of hydration station at a Bourbon School.
- Met with the mayor and a resident to go over grants and tax credits to assist in acquiring/renovating a building for use as a visitor center/museum in Bourbon that would play off Route 66. Also discussed ways to increase competitiveness.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation on Jan. 24, 2018 with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Submitted a CDBG grant in the amount of \$500,000 for the reconstruction of E. Pine Street through the downtown business district. Grant was funded and now administering grant.



Bourbon leadership announced the funding of a \$500,000 CDBG grant to reconstruct Pine Street through the downtown district. Stakeholders and those who assisted (above) were invited to a special announcement celebration.

- Submitted a grant from the BNSF Railway Foundation in the amount of \$500 to purchase new playground equipment at the city park, which was funded.
- Presented a "Health and Wellness within a Senior Apartment Complex" program on June 13, 2018.
- Submitted and received approval on Crawford County Hazard Mitigation plan update.
- Awarded a Project Graduation grant on behalf of Central District Coalition for Roadway Safety to Bourbon High School.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided information on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving

competition to Bourbon High School.

#### CUBA

- Conducted a hazmat commodity flow study on Hwy. 19 in Cuba.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided information on USDA, DRA, CDBG and EDA programs to assist in building a facility to lease to National Medical.
- Provided information on USDA Rural Development for funding to build a new EOC.
- Outlined needs for engineering, loans and discussed process/requirements to request grants to assist with water and sewer line replacements.
- Provided information on foundations and state grants to assist with tourism activities: moving the old jail and locating a military aircraft.
- Provided information on MRCF and foundation grants to the city to help fund a memorial.
- Provided surveillance camera services to the city to monitor for illegal dumping.
- Submitted a FY19 Matching Grant application to the Missouri Division of Tourism for the Cuba Tourism Commission for funds to promote tourism in the county in print and on TV.
- Presented a "Health and Wellness within a Senior Apartment Complex" program on May 10, 2018.
- Provided servicing for an RLF loan.
- Submitted and received approval on Crawford County Hazard Mitigation plan update.
- Awarded a Project Graduation grant in partnership with the Central District Coalition for Roadway Safety to Kiwanis Club of Cuba for Cuba High School.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided information on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition to Cuba High School.

#### LEASBURG

- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Submitted and received approval on Crawford County Hazard Mitigation plan update.

#### STEELVILLE

- Conducted hazmat commodity flow study on Hwy. 19 in Steelville.

- Prepared and submitted a HMEP application for Ignitable Liquids - Ethanol Blended Fuels for Steelville Fire.
- Prepared and submitted a HMEP application for Hazmat Victim Decon for Steelville Ambulance District.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements and awarded prizes to students in Steelville's Elementary Schools for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided information on DRA, USDA and CDBG programs for funding for street repair due to erosion.
- Provided information on LWCF and USDA for assistance to install ADA parking lot at the park.
- Provided an Earth Day display in Steelville.
- Provided loan programs information for a new screen printing business in Steelville.
- Provided loan programs information for the purchase of an existing feed business in Steelville.
- Submitted Department of Public Service grant in the amount of \$4,115 for Steelville Police Department to purchase equipment for officers and patrol cars to improve officer safety. Grant was funded.
- Continued to administer CDBG grant for Steelville ADA project (ADA improvements to city hall).
- Provided servicing for one SBA loan.
- Presented MRCF Community Grant award in the amount of \$500 to the City of Steelville.
- Submitted and received approval on Crawford County Hazard Mitigation plan update.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided information on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition to Steelville High School.
- Provided GIS mapping services for infrastructure and zoning through a disaster planning grant from CDBG and MACOG.

#### SULLIVAN

- Completed and submitted a HMEP grant application for hazmat rollover training for the Sullivan Fire Department.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided contact information for SHPO and Missouri Route 66 Association and information on state and federal tax credits and NPS preservation grant to two parties interested in resources to renovate/preserve the historic Shamrock Motel on Route 66 outside of Sullivan.
- Provided surveillance camera services to the city to monitor for illegal dumping.
- Assisted a small business owner with refinancing of its bank loan.

- Provided information, checklist and brochure on RLF Program to existing business seeking business loan.
- Provided servicing for two RLF loans and one SBA loan.
- Submitted and received approval on Crawford County Hazard Mitigation plan update.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided information on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition to Sullivan High School.

#### DENT COUNTY

- Deployed SAM Trailer to Dent County on Hwy. H and County Road 2400.
- Prepared and submitted a HMEP application for Propane Emergencies training for Jadwin Fire Department.
- Prepared and submitted a HMEP application for ignitable liquids - ethanol blended fuels for Montauk Fire Department.
- Met with Dent County Commission, city leadership and Transportation Advisory Council members on Oct. 30, 2017 to discuss transportation needs in the county.
- Provided information on USDA, DRA and foundations to assist Dent County commons in making improvements and purchasing new equipment.
- Provided information on the Delta Regional Authority States' Economic Development Assistance Program (SEDAP).
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided information on grant writing hourly rates and estimated times to complete grants to Salem Memorial Hospital.
- Coordinated a special electronics and tire collection that collected 6.62 tons of recyclable waste, including 76 televisions and 29 microwaves.
- Collected illegally dumped tires from Dent County.
- Provided signage for illegal dumping in the county.
- Provided for disposal of household hazardous waste for county residents.
- Provided Earth Day, America Recycle Day and Edutainment information to 21 contacts in the county.
- Responded to requests for information regarding disposal of latex paint, Ozark Rivers activities, electronics recycling, recycling resources, household hazardous waste, food waste reduction, appliance recycling and tire recycling.
- Provided SBA Veterans Financing Program information to individuals seeking to turn purchased acreage into a campground with a gas station.
- Submitted a CDBG grant request in the amount of \$350,000 for the Dent County Fire Protection District to make significant upgrades to the fire station and parking lot. Grant was funded.



- Submitted a grant request in the amount of \$500,000 to the Department of Economic Development's Neighborhood Assistance Program for tax credits to raise funds for the new gymnasium at the Salem Community Center @ the Armory. Grant was funded.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation on Feb. 28, 2018, with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Responded to five Ozark Rivers grant alert questions from citizens in the county.
- Provided loan programs information for the purchase of an existing restaurant business in Bunker.
- Attended a meeting with Healthy Dent County to discuss transit needs.
- Provided a \$250 MRCF grant to the Dent County Community Foundation for a cleanup project.
- Attended and participated in City of Salem, Salem/Dent County GRO Steering Committee meetings.
- Distributed 104 household hazardous waste brochures in the county.
- Mailed two notices on special collections.
- E-mailed 10 grant alert notifications.
- Worked with local jurisdictions to develop a hazard mitigation plan for Dent County and Salem.
- Held two planning meetings on the Dent County Hazard Mitigation plan in Salem.
- Provided \$376,680 in rental assistance through the HUD Housing Choice Voucher Program to an average of 106 households. This includes the communities Boss, Jadwin, Lenox and the city of Salem.
- Provided information to Dent County high schools on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Coordinated MRPC Annual Dinner in Salem, Dent County, on Oct. 26, 2017. Approximately 170 people attended.

#### SALEM

- Conducted a hazmat commodity flow study on Hwy. 19 in Salem.
- Completed and submitted a HMEP grant application on behalf of Salem Memorial District Hospital for Hazmat Decon Training.
- Prepared a proposal to SMTS to conduct a deviated fixed route study for Salem.
- Hosted MRPC's board retreat at the Salem Community Center @ The Armory.
- Coordinated MRPC Annual Dinner in Salem, Dent County on Oct. 26, 2017. Approximately 170 people attended.
- Honored Dr. Ted Ziske as the Eugene E. Northern award recipient.
- Traveled to Salem after the Annual Dinner to take a photo

- of Dr. Ziske and Presiding Commissioner Darrell Skiles.
- Provided information on zoning and livable streets to the city.
- Provided information on grant writing hourly rates and estimated times to complete grants to Salem District Memorial Hospital.
- Provided information on the hazard mitigation planning process to a reporter from the Salem News.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements and awarded prizes to students in the Salem High School and Middle School for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided environmental education programs to two assemblies in Salem schools.
- Collected illegally dumped tires from the City of Salem.
- Met with a group to discuss grants and tax credit to help renovate the old city hall into a community theatre.
- Organized an electronics recycling event in Salem.
- Provided loan information to a local bank to share with an interested small business owner.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation on Feb. 28, 2018 with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Provided loan programs information for the purchase of existing glass business in Salem.
- Provided servicing for one IRP loan and three SBA loans.
- Provided docudrama planning and implementation assistance to approximately 400 students in Salem high schools.
- Worked with local jurisdictions to develop a hazard mitigation plan for Dent County and Salem.
- Held two hazard mitigation meetings in Salem.
- Met with city of Salem leadership and others to discuss feasibility studies for the old Salem Middle School and partnered with Hellmuth and Bicknese on a proposal.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided information to Salem High Schools on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Prepared a proposal to the city to develop job descriptions for the city's personnel.

#### GASCONADE COUNTY

- Conducted a hazmat commodity flow study in Drake on Hwy. 19.
- Prepared and submitted a HMEP grant for Hazmat awareness and operations training.
- On behalf of GVEZ, helped Gasconade County become a Certified Work Ready Community.
- Met with Gasconade County Commission, city leadership and Transportation Advisory Council members on Nov. 16, 2017, to discuss transportation needs in the county.

- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided signage for illegal dumping in the county.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation in Owensville on March 28, 2018, with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Distributed Household Hazardous Waste, America Recycles Day materials and handed out a flier on plastic recycling at a Women in AG event.
- Provided for disposal of household hazardous waste for county residents.
- Provided Earth Day, America Recycle Day and Edutainment information to 26 contacts in the county.
- Coordinated one tire disposal and transport for the county.
- Responded to questions regarding disposal of latex paint, food waste reduction, and appliance and electronics recycling.
- Responded to 13 requests for assistance with administration, reports and reimbursement of Ozark Rivers grants.
- Provided information on Ozark Rivers activities to 14 contacts.
- Responded to eight Ozark Rivers grant alert questions from citizens in the county.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Distributed 35 household hazardous waste brochures in the county and mailed two notices on special collections.
- E-mailed 20 grant alert notifications.
- Provided \$134,931 in rental assistance through the HUD Housing Choice Voucher Program to an average of 36 households. This includes the cities of Bland, Hermann, Owensville and Rosebud.
- Provided technical support for the Gasconade County IDA.
- Provided information to Gasconade County high schools on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Coordinated with MS&T and City of Owensville to have engineering management class study needed city projects.
- Submitted a grant application to Federal Home Loan Bank's Affordable Housing Program for funds to make renovations to the Whispering Oaks Estates, Inc. apartment complex near Bland.
- Coordinated Gasconade County EEZ annual meeting at White Mule Winery on Nov. 30, 2017.
- Coordinated GVEZ annual meeting Nov. 30, 2017, at White Mule Winery.

#### **BLAND**

- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted

trash/dump prevention strategies.

- Provided announcements and awarded prizes to students in the Bland Middle School for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Prepared ordinance codification proposal for the city.
- Provided grant information to the Bland Police Department.
- Assisted individual with locating RMA Industry Standard ratios to use as a comparison for an existing restaurant.
- Continued to administer a CDBG grant for water system upgrades.
- Provided servicing for one IRP loan.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Submitted a grant application to Federal Home Loan Bank's Affordable Housing Program for funds to make renovations to the Whispering Oaks Estates, Inc. apartment complex near Bland.

#### **GASCONADE**

- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.

#### **HERMANN**

- Prepared and submitted a HMEP application for Propane Emergencies training for Hermann Fire Department.
- Prepared and submitted a HMEP application for Railroad Emergency Response Training for Hermann Fire Department.
- Conducted a hazmat commodity flow study on Hwy. 19 in Hermann.
- Deployed SAM Trailer to Hermann on Hwy. 19.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided loans information for a new restaurant in Hermann.
- Submitted a grant application to FEMA for the City of Hermann to acquire and demolish a HADH clinic that is a Repetitive Loss Property.
- Provided servicing for one IRP loan and two SBA loans.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided information to Hermann High School on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Provided Project Graduation grant to Hermann Families in Action for Hermann High School on behalf of the Central District Coalition for Roadway Safety. Grant was for \$200 and \$100 of educational incentives.
- Prepared a proposal for MACOG to develop a flood detour plan.



### **MORRISON**

- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.

### **OWENSVILLE**

- Prepared and submitted a HMEP application for Chemical Suicide training for Owensville Ambulance District.
- Conducted a hazmat commodity flow study in Owensville on Hwy. 19.
- Prepared a proposal to the city to develop job descriptions and salary comparison.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements and awarded prizes to students in the Owensville Middle School for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided information on foundations, MRCF and local fundraising suggestion to a group in Owensville wanting to construct a veterans memorial.
- Provided Arrive Alive display and school supplies at the Owensville Back to School Fair held Aug. 3, 2017.
- Provided an environmental education program to an assembly in an Owensville school.
- Provided Arrive Alive display and school supplies at the Health and Wellness Fair held April 7, 2018.
- Provided an Earth Day display in Owensville.
- Sent information on project structures and examples to an individual looking to open a watersports camp and pre-school Montessori.
- Responded to an inquiry from a former loan client seeking to apply for debt refinancing.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation in Owensville on March 28, 2018, with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Entered information for an Owensville building and site into Missouri Location One.
- Presented a "Health and Wellness within a Senior Apartment Complex" program on May 9, 2018.
- Hosted a Community Awareness and Resource Exchange meetings on Jan. 11 and April 12, 2018 where attendees were presented with the progress and escrow status of participants on the Family Self-Sufficiency Program.
- Provided loan servicing for one RLF loan, one IRP loan and one SBA loan.
- Presented MRCF Community Grant to Art Works on Main.
- Met with Owensville High School on docudrama planning.
- Provided loan programs information to a new client for an existing small business in Owensville for a working capital loan.
- Provided loan programs information for a potential new business in Owensville.

- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided speed awareness monitor and traffic analysis.
- Provided information to Owensville High School on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Coordinated GVEZ meeting on Owensville on April 20, 2018.

### **ROSEBUD**

- Deployed SAM Trailer to Rosebud on Hwy. 50 and Hwy. T.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.

### **MARIES COUNTY**

- Provided floodplain management services.
- Met with Maries County Commission, city leadership and Transportation Advisory Council members on Oct. 16, 2017, to discuss transportation needs in the county.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided a compliance letter to a Maries County resident for their Increased Cost of Compliance grant to elevate their home in the floodplain.
- Prepared Maries County license office renewal bid, which was approved.
- Provided signage for illegal dumping in the county.
- Assisted GVEZ and a local realtor in submitting a Vienna Industrial Build to Missouri Partnership for a company looking for available buildings.
- Provided for disposal of household hazardous waste for county residents.
- Provided Earth Day, America Recycle Day and Edutainment information to 33 contacts in the county.
- Responded to requests for information about Ozark Rivers activities, electronic and appliance recycling, illegal dumping, tire recycling and general questions on where to recycle.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation on May 30, 2018, with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Coordinated Maries County EEZ meeting on Nov. 30, 2017.
- Coordinated GVEZ meeting in Maries County (Vienna) on Jan. 18, 2018.
- Began organizing and advertising an electronics collection event, to be held Oct. 6, 2018, in Vichy.
- Distributed three press releases on floodplain management.

- Answered questions on floodplain requirements and provided information on floodplain construction requirements.
- Responded to six Ozark Rivers grant alert questions from citizens in the county.
- Responded to 15 requests for assistance with administration, reports and reimbursement of Ozark Rivers grants.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Distributed five household hazardous waste brochures in the county and mailed two notices on special collections.
- E-mailed 10 grant alert notifications.
- Provided \$121,481 in rental assistance through the HUD Housing Choice Voucher Program to an average of 34 households. This includes the communities of Brinktown and Vichy and the cities of Belle and Vienna.
- Provided information to Maries County high schools on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Completed the Maries County CWRC grant application for student Work Keys testing, which was funded. Coordinated proctors for testing and provided NCRC certificates at Vienna and Belle schools with 81 students tested.
- Provided MRCF grant to CASA for volunteer recruitment, focused in Maries County.

#### BELLE



Teachers from the Belle School district participated in a poverty simulation in September 2017. The teachers (above) were "students" riding the "bus" home.

- Coordinated a Poverty Simulation for Belle teachers on Sept. 11, 2017. Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements and awarded prizes to students in the Belle Elementary School for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided information on foundations and possible grants to help with Flag Park.
- Responded to inquiry on financing options available for purchase of residential care facility, senior center housing/assisted living facility.
- Responded to inquiry about Department of Natural Resources On-Site Wastewater Grant/Loan Program.
- Provided brochures and information on loans to a compa-

- ny seeking funds for cash flow and operating capital.
- Submitted a CDBG Demolition grant application to the Missouri Department of Economic Development for funds to demolish seven vacant and dilapidated residential structures.
- Awarded an MRCF grant to the Ya Ya's for park arena lighting.
- Met with local volunteer on new flag park initiative.
- Observed docudramas and provided safe driving incentives to students in Belle high schools.
- Provided information on new dues structure to Belle City Council on June 12, 2018.
- Provided Work Keys testing and proctoring for 51 Belle High School students and provided NCRC certificates to Belle High School students.
- Awarded a Project Graduation grant in partnership with the Central District Coalition for Roadway Safety to Belle High School.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided information to Belle High School on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Assisted Maries County R-2 scholarship committee with scholarship selection and reporting.
- Worked with scholarship donor family on criteria to set up scholarship fund for Maries R-2. Work ongoing.
- Met with potential Belle High School scholarship donor to answer questions.
- Entered information on a Belle building into Missouri Location One.

#### VICHY

- Prepared and submitted a HMEP grant application for MC306/406 Cargo Tank Speciality training, pipeline emergency training and Hazmat Awareness training for Vichy Fire Department.
- Conducted a Hazmat Commodity Flow Study on Hwy. 63 in Vichy.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Began organizing and advertising an appliance collection event, to be held Oct. 6, 2018.

#### VIENNA

- Conducted a Hazmat Commodity Flow Study on Hwy. 63 in Vienna.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements and awarded prizes to students in the Vienna Elementary School for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided information on foundations and LWCF to the city to assist in finding grants to help build a new concession stand at the park.



- Assisted GVEZ and a local realtor in submitting a Vienna Industrial Build to Missouri Partnership for a company looking for available buildings.
- Presented a “Health and Wellness within a Senior Apartment Complex” program on April 11, 2018.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation in Vienna on May 30, 2018, with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Completed code update for the City of Vienna.
- Provided Work Keys testing and proctoring for 30 Vienna High School students and provided NCRC certificates to Vienna High School.
- Coordinated a GVEZ meeting in Vienna on Jan. 18, 2018.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided information to Vienna High School on ‘It Only Takes One’ safe driving competition.
- Provided information to a Vienna realtor to list commercial properties on Missouri Location One.

#### OSAGE COUNTY

- Prepared and submitted a HMEP grant application for Hazmat Victim Decon training for Osage Ambulance District.
- Prepared and submitted a HMEP grant application for Chemical Suicide for Osage County Emergency Management.
- Through GVEZ, helped Osage County become a Certified Work Ready Community in May 2018.
- Met with Osage County Commission, city leadership and Transportation Advisory Council members on Oct. 24, 2017 to discuss transportation needs in the county.
- Provided information on foundations to assist in seeking grants to make improvements at Frankenstein ballpark.
- Met with the commission and citizens of Loose Creek and discussed state and federal grants, loans, tax credits and special taxing district as options for funding upgrades to the county road in this community.
- Provided a link to MFA Foundation as a source for possible funding for new sidewalk in front of a school in Loose Creek.
- Assisted Linn Volunteer Firefighter Association in preparing a 501(c)3 application. Application was submitted June 2018.
- Researched grants and sent UP Foundation link to assist Osage County in its search for grants to help fund a new CAD system for 911.
- Provided for disposal of household hazardous waste for county residents.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation in Chamois on Nov. 29, 2017, with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Completed and received SEMA and FEMA approval on an updated hazard mitigation plan.

#### ARGYLE

- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Completed and received SEMA and FEMA approval on an updated hazard mitigation plan.

#### CHAMOIS

- Completed a sidewalk survey map for Chamois.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Shared auditor list to send RFB for services.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation on Nov. 29, 2017 with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Coordinated a Central District Coalition grant presentation to Chamois Elementary to assist with a bicycle safety event.



Assisted the Chamois Elementary secure a grant from the Central District Coalition for Roadway Safety for a bicycle safety event.

- Provided administration service for a CDBG grant to the City of Chamois in the amount of \$500,000 to make upgrades to their wastewater treatment plant.
- Completed and received SEMA and FEMA approval on an updated hazard mitigation plan.
- Provided information on to Chamois High School on ‘It Only Takes One’ safe driving competition.
- On behalf of GVEZ, secured a Work Keys testing grant and coordinated proctoring for 17 Chamois High School students to do work keys testing and provided NCRC certificates for those who passed test.
- Worked with local leader to revamp Chamois EEZ board.

### **FREEBURG**

- Conducted a hazmat commodity flow study on Hwy. 63 in Freeburg.
- Provided a copy of the Alert Messaging Study plus a link to messaging systems to the city to assist them in its search for alert messaging systems.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Completed and received SEMA and FEMA approval on an updated hazard mitigation plan.

### **LINN**

- Provided Arrive Alive display and school supplies at the Linn Elementary Annual Wellness Fair held Aug. 8, 2017.
- Prepared comprehensive plan proposal for the city and presented proposal to city council on Aug. 29, 2017.
- Completed a 501©3 application for the Linn Volunteer Firefighters Association, which was approved by IRS.
- Provided servicing for one SBA loan.
- Provided docudrama planning and implementation assistance to approximately 350 students at Linn High School.
- Completed and received SEMA and FEMA approval on an updated hazard mitigation plan.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Shared auditor list with city clerk to send RFB for services.
- Provided information on ordinance codification to city clerk.
- On behalf of GVEZ, secured a Work Keys Testing grant and coordinated proctoring for 65 Linn High School students to do work keys testing and provided NCRC certificates for those passing test.
- Worked with scholarship donor family on criteria for a scholarship at State Technical College. Work still in progress.

### **META**

- Provided floodplain management assistance to the City of Meta.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Coordinated a meeting between MS&T and City of Meta for the MS&T Engineering Management class to study needs in Meta. Visit with leadership and toured city.
- Completed and received SEMA and FEMA approval on an updated hazard mitigation plan.

### **WESTPHALIA**

- Participated in a \$500 Central District Coalition for Roadway Safety grant presentation to Fatima High School. The high school completed a number of projects during the “It Only Takes One” campaign that earned them this grant.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.

- Provided information to Fatima High School on ‘It Only Takes One’ safe driving competition.
- Provided Project Graduation grant to Fatima High School on behalf of the Central District Coalition for Roadway Safety Subcommittee. Grant was for \$200 and \$100 of educational incentives.
- Completed and received SEMA and FEMA approval on an updated hazard mitigation plan.

### **PHELPS COUNTY**

- Prepared and submitted a HMEP grant application for Railroad Emergency Response Training for Rolla Rural Fire Department.
- Met with Phelps County Commission, city leadership and Transportation Advisory Council members on Oct. 31, 2017 to discuss transportation needs in the county.
- Provided contact information for SB40, sheltered workshop, career center and Central Region Workforce Investment Board to Phelps County Bank to assist a client who is seeking assistance in hiring disabled persons.
- Provided information on the Delta Regional Authority States’ Economic Development Assistance Program (SEDAP).
- Provided information on Route 66 associations and the tourism division to a county resident looking for grants to help focus on Route 66 in the paper.
- Provided a presentation to the Central Region Workforce Development Board on comprehensive economic development strategies.
- Hosted Missouri Ozark Community Action Homeownership training on Budgeting on Oct. 11, 2017, at MRPC’s office in St. James.
- Hosted Missouri Ozark Community Action (MOCA) Homeownership training on Attitude on Dec. 8, 2017, at MRPC’s office in St. James.
- Hosted Missouri Ozark Community Action Homeownership training on Responsibilities on Jan. 12, 2018 at MRPC’s office in St. James.
- Hosted Missouri Ozark Community Action (MOCA) Homeownership training on Communication on Feb. 16, 2018 at MRPC’s office in St. James.
- Hosted Missouri Ozark Community Action (MOCA) Homeownership training on Problem Solving on March 16, 2018, at MRPC’s office in St. James.
- Provided information on MRPC’s special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Presented a program to the Phelps County Republican Women on Aug. 14, 2017, on MRPC services.
- Collected illegally dumped tires from Phelps County.
- Provided signage for illegal dumping in the county.
- Provided for disposal of household hazardous waste for county residents.
- Provided Earth Day, America Recycle Day and Edutainment.



ment information to 72 contacts in the county.

- Provided information on Ozark Rivers activities, recycling resources, household hazardous waste, illegal dumping, trash services, appliance, electronics and tire recycling resources to citizens in the county.
- Provided information to an individual wanting to start a new business and needing financing.
- Prepared and submitted two CDBG grant applications for matching funds for a floodplain buyout project.
- Prepared and submitted a flood mitigation assistance (FMA) grant for a floodplain buyout project.
- Prepared and submitted a hazard mitigation program grant (HMPG) for a floodplain buyout project.
- Submitted a grant application to the Missouri Department of Public Safety for funds for the Phelps County Prosecutor's Office to hire an assistant prosecutor and victim advocate for domestic violence and sexual assault crimes.
- Administered a CDBG grant to construct an extension of the outer road, near Northwye.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation on Aug. 23, 2017, with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Responded to 14 Ozark Rivers grant alert questions from citizens in the county.
- Responded to 16 requests for assistance with administration, reports and reimbursement of Ozark Rivers grants.
- Organized one illegal dump site cleanup in the county.
- Organized school field trip and provided bus transportation for Edgar Springs students to Rolla Recycling Center in conjunction with America Recycles Day.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Organized appliance, electronics and tire collection event in the county for district residents.
- Responded to two contacts for requests for recycling bins at schools.
- Organized Earth Day display at Missouri S&T.
- Distributed 14 household hazardous waste brochures in the county and mailed two notices on special collections.
- Provided three educational contacts with curriculum and newsletters related to recycling.
- E-mailed 20 grant alert notifications.
- Provided \$460,396 in rental assistance through the HUD Housing Choice Voucher Program to an average of 113 households. This includes the cities of Doolittle, Edgar Springs, Newburg and St. James and the community of Jerome.
- Served as floodplain coordinator for Phelps County.
- Distributed three press releases on floodplain management.
- Provided information to Phelps County area high schools on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Closed out DRA grant for implementation of ACT Certi-

fied Work Ready Communities in Phelps, Crawford, Dent and Washington counties in the amount of \$128,460.

- Conducted a road safety audit on a portion of I-44 in Phelps County.

#### **DOOLITTLE**

- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided information on government grants and foundations to assist city with the park improvements.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation on Aug. 23, 2017 with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Submitted a grant application to FEMA for funds for a new storm siren at the Jerome fire station to serve the unincorporated community.
- Conducted a road safety audit on a portion of I-44 within Doolittle.

#### **EDGAR SPRINGS**

- Conducted a Hazmat Commodity Flow Study on Hwy. 63 in Edgar Springs.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements and awarded prizes to students in the Edgar Springs Middle School for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Organized school field trip and provided bus transportation for Edgar Springs students to Rolla Recycling Center in conjunction with America Recycles Day.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Submitted and was awarded a grant in the amount of \$7,000 from the Department of Public Safety for Edgar Springs Police Department to purchase a used police cruiser to replace its current vehicle. Grant was awarded.
- Submitted a grant to the Department of Public Safety for funds for the police department to purchase three mobile laptop units for patrol vehicles.
- Provided servicing for one IRP loan.

#### **NEWBURG**

- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements and awarded prizes to students in the Newburg Middle School and High School for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided environmental education programs to two assemblies in Newburg schools.
- Provided information on Community Development Block

grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.

### ROLLA

- Prepared and submitted a HMEP grant application for Hazmat Victim Decon for Rolla Fire and Rescue.
- Conducted a Hazmat Commodity Flow Study on Hwy. 63 in Rolla.
- Provided codification service for the City of Rolla. Two updates were completed.
- Submitted a grant application to the Missouri Department of Natural Resources for funds to improve Buehler Park with restrooms, new playground, ADA walkway and pavilion upgrades.
- Submitted a grant application to the Environmental Protection Agency requesting a two-day technical assistance workshop for the Rolla Downtown Farmers' Market to help promote the downtown and farmers' market to all parts of the community.
- Provided servicing for three RLF loans and five SBA loans.
- Presented MRCF Community Grant award in the amount of \$250 to the CASA of South Central Missouri.
- Administered an HSOC grant in the amount of \$25,435 for the Rolla Homeland Security Team.
- Provided information on education grants, Missouri Department of Natural Resources and other foundations to the city to assist them in their search for grants to help with outdoor education equipment/programs.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided NFIP community number to Rolla insurance agent.
- Organized electronics and tire recycling collection event at



Volunteers from Brewer Science help unload tires at the June 2018 Special Collection held in Rolla. Some 3.99 tons of tires were recycled at the event.

Brewer Science in Rolla for residents of the district.

- Provided household hazardous waste services for district residents through a satellite location in Rolla.
- Provided information and fliers on special collections and the ORSWMD Earth Day Trash Art and Poster Contest to

the Kaleidoscope Discovery Center in Rolla.

- Provided environmental education programs to 10 assemblies in Rolla schools.
- Provided bus transportation for waste reduction related field trips to a middle school in Rolla.
- Provided Arrive Alive display and school supplies at the Phelps County Back to School Fair held Aug. 2, 2017, in Rolla.
- Provided Arrive Alive display and school supplies at the Rolla Kids Safety Day held May. 19, 2018.
- Provided surveillance camera services to the city to monitor for illegal dumping.
- Provided a list of foundations and government grants to an individual who is seeking funds to upgrade ballfields and playground equipment at Lions Club Park.
- Provided MRDC loan information to individual looking for small business financing on two new ventures.
- Provided new fund form and instructions to an individual wanting to set up a capacity fund to use for the Rolla Dog Park campaign.
- Provided financing options for the sale of a local business to the current manager.
- Prepared a proposal to SMTS for a deviated fixed route study for Rolla.
- Attended and participated in the Rolla Area Chamber of Commerce monthly luncheons.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Continued administration on an EDA grant for funds to construct parking facilities on the medical campus that will provide parking for the Delbert Day Cancer Institute, which was funded at \$1.4 million.
- Provided information to Rolla High School on the 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Coordinated and administered an Ozark Rivers grant award to Rolla for HHW Satellite Collection Center.
- Procured and administered FY16 Region I Homeland Security grant for \$24,568 for sustainment of Rolla's Homeland Security Response Team.
- Assisted in purchase of hydration station at Rolla Junior High.

### ST. JAMES

- Prepared and submitted a HMEP grant application for ignitable liquids - Class B Foam training for the St. James Fire District.
- Deployed SAM Trailer to St. James on Hwy. 68, W. Washington St., and S. Seymour St.
- Assisted St. James School District with information for HMGP Notice of Intent on July 12, 2017.
- Provided links to foundations and Pepsi fundraiser to assist St. James High School in funding for AED and water bottles at the high school.
- Provided information on foundations, tax credits and USDA to the St. James Arts Council which is seeking to

establish a new location.

- Provide information to the Caring Center on foundations to help fund the completion of the senior center.
- Provided information on foundations and humanities grants to St. James, to assist with literature and photography.
- Hosted Missouri Ozark Community Action Homeownership class on Energy Savings on Aug. 9, 2017 at MRPC's office in St. James.
- Hosted a Family Self-Sufficiency workshop on "Your Money, Your Goals" on Oct. 11, 2017.
- Hosted a five-part Family Self-Sufficiency program on "Tackling the Tough Skills." Classes were held Dec. 8, 2017 on Attitude; Jan. 12, 2018, on Responsibility; Feb. 16, 2018 on Communications; March 16, 2018, on Problem Solving; and April 13, 2018, on Preparing for the Workplace.
- Hosted a Parenting workshop, "Building Strong Families", on May 11, 2018, with a presentation by Missouri Ozark Community Action (MOCA).
- Hosted a Family Self-Sufficiency program on "Food and Fitness" on June 8, 2018, with a presentation by Missouri Ozark Community Action (MOCA).
- Provided docudrama planning and implementation assistance to approximately 500 students in St. James high schools.
- Conducted a case study of vulnerable, at-risk populations within the city of St. James, with funding from CDBG and MACOG.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements and awarded prizes to students in the St. James Elementary School for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided an environmental education program to an assembly in a St. James school.
- Provided bus transportation to the St. James Middle School for waste reduction related field trip.
- Provided surveillance camera services to the city to monitor for illegal dumping.
- Met with a resident and went over government and foundation resources to help continue progress with new senior center and renovations to the Caring Center.
- Provided information on RLF Program to two local businesses.
- Provided loan programs information to purchase an existing business in St. James.
- Submitted a grant application to MoDED's Neighborhood Assistance Program for tax credits to provide the new senior center with three years of operation budget.
- Submitted a grant application to USDA Rural Development for funds to hire a consultant to develop a St. James Commercial Corridor Improvement Plan.
- Submitted a Coover Charitable Foundation grant request in the amount of \$19,000 for the St. James Caring Center

to purchase a new commercial walk-in freezer to serve the food pantry and senior center. Grant was awarded.

- Provided servicing for five RLF loans, one IRP loan and one SBA loan.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided information to St. James High School on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Provided Project Graduation grant to St. James High School on behalf of the Central District Coalition for Roadway Safety. Grant was for \$200 and \$100 of educational incentives.

#### PULASKI COUNTY

- Assisted the county with administrative issues with its FEMA grants. Participated in a meeting with SEMA, Pulaski County and Rep. Steve Lynch.
- Met with Pulaski County Commission, city leadership and Transportation Advisory Council members on Nov. 13, 2017 to discuss transportation needs in the county.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Assisted with the 2018-2019 STOP VAWA application by reviewing and editing the online application and contacting the assistant prosecutor to relay items and information needed.
- Provided information and foundations and discussed lease options with county officials who are seeking grant resources for vehicles.
- Collected illegally dumped tires from Pulaski County.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation in Crocker on April 25, 2018, with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Provided for disposal of household hazardous waste for county residents.
- Provided Earth Day, America Recycle Day and Edutainment information to 15 contacts in the county.
- Coordinated two appliance, electronics and tire collection events in the county for district residents.
- Responded to request for information on trash services, Ozark Rivers Activities, electronics recycling, household hazardous waste, illegal dumping, tire recycling and general questions on where to recycle from citizens in the county.
- Provided MRCF/CFO scholarship search information for a local student in Pulaski County.
- Administered a CDBG grant in the amount of \$350,000 for the Pulaski County Sheltered Workshop to upgrade the workshop for efficiency, safety and ADA function.
- Responded to eight Ozark Rivers grant alert questions from citizens in the county.



- Responded to five requests for assistance with administration, reports and reimbursement of Ozark Rivers grants.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Distributed 10 household hazardous waste brochures in the county and mailed two notices on special collections.
- E-mailed 10 grant alert notifications.
- Participated in Sustainable Ozark Partnership meetings and attended Sustainable Ozarks Annual meeting.
- Provided information to Pulaski County area high schools on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.

#### CROCKER

- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided information to the police department on the Energy Loan Program and Lowes grant for possible assistance in renovating a building into a new police department.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation on April 25, 2018, in Crocker with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Provided Arrive Alive display and school supplies at the Crocker Back to School Fair held Aug. 10, 2017.
- Provided Arrive Alive display and school supplies at the Pulaski County Health Fest held April 21, 2018 in Crocker.
- Submitted a CDBG Demolition grant application to the Missouri Department of Economic Development for funds to demolish 22 run-down structures.
- Provided docudrama planning and implementation assistance to approximately 250 students in Crocker high schools.



Students from the Crocker High School participated in a docudrama showing the dangers of driving while intoxicated or distracted. Meramec Regional Planning Commission's Mag Roberts helped coordinate eight docudramas during fiscal year 2017-18.

- Administered an HSOC grant in the amount of \$4,653.50 for radios for Crocker police.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.

- Provided information to Crocker High School on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Provided information on ordinance codification services to mayor.

#### DIXON

- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Organized an appliance and electronics collection for district residents.
- Presented a "Health and Wellness within a Senior Apartment Complex" program on April 11, 2018.
- Provided servicing for one RLF loan.
- Provided docudrama planning and implementation assistance to approximately 250 students in Dixon high schools.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided information to Dixon High School on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.

#### FORT LEONARD WOOD

- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Served as a board member on Sustainable Ozarks Partnership.
- Participated in meetings of the FLW Community Partnership Leadership Committee.
- Participated in a tour of FLW with Bryan Parker and discussed opportunities to collaborate on projects.

#### RICHLAND

- Provided information on ordinance codification services to city clerk.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided Arrive Alive exhibit and school supplies at the MOCA Health Fair held Aug. 3, 2017.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Administered and HSOC grant in the amount of \$4,917.08 for radios for the Richland Police Department.
- Closed out a CDBG demolition project for the city.
- Preparing USDA RBDG request for Richland Community Development.

### ST. ROBERT

- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Hosted a special electronics and appliance collection at the St. Robert Community Center on Aug. 26, 2017, and gathered 4.6 tons of electronics and appliances.
- Provided household hazardous waste services for district residents through a satellite location in St. Robert.
- Submitted a grant request to MoDED's CDBG Emergency program for St. Robert in the amount of \$500,000 to connect the city and army installation water systems insuring continuity in service.
- Provided servicing for two SBA loans and one RLF loan.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.

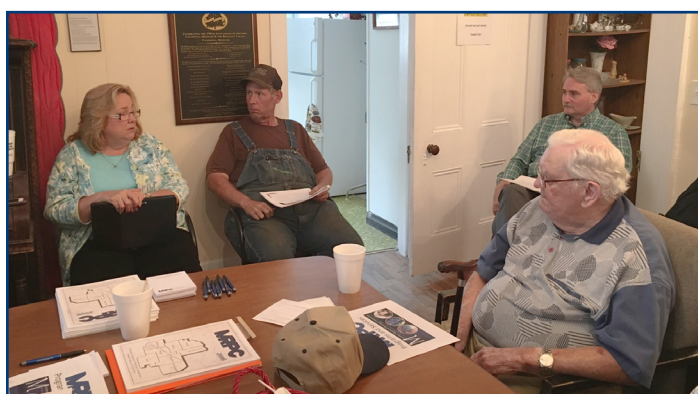
### WAYNESVILLE

- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided an environmental education program to an assembly in a Waynesville school.
- Provided program information on the DNR state wastewater funding program to a homeowner located in Waynesville.
- Administered an HSOC grant in the amount of \$20,924.65 for radios for the Waynesville Police Department.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided information to Waynesville High School on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Provided information to Waynesville Tech Academy on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Assisted the city with administrative issues with a FEMA grant.

### WASHINGTON COUNTY

- Prepared and submitted a HMEP grant application for Hazmat Operations and Hazmat Technician training for Richwoods Fire Department.
- Prepared and submitted a HMEP grant application for Hazmat Awareness for Washington County Ambulance District.
- Answered questions and provided information on grants for storm sirens to the Executive Director of 9-1-1 in Washington County.
- Met with Washington County Commission, city leadership and Transportation Advisory Council members on Nov. 6, 2017, to discuss transportation needs in the county.
- Provided information on USDA Rural Development,

- homeland security and EMS grant help website as possible funding sources for radios for the ambulance district.
- Provided information on government grants, tax credits and loans to the county as possible sources of funding to renovate and expand the county jail.
- Provided information on the Delta Regional Authority States' Economic Development Assistance Program (SEDAP).
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided for disposal of household hazardous waste for county residents.
- Provided Earth Day, America Recycles Day and edutainment information to two contacts in the county.
- Provided information on Ozark Rivers activities to eight contacts.
- Administered a CDBG grant in the amount of \$500,000 to replace the Tiff Road low water crossing with a larger bridge to avoid flooding. Secured additional funding through CDBG when bids came in over budget.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation on Sept. 27,



Members of MRPC staff traveled to Caledonia for a Meramec Morning, which allowed local stakeholders a chance to learn what MRPC could offer and gave MRPC a chance to learn of problems plaguing the communities.

- 2017, with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Provided Arrive Alive exhibit and school supplies at the Washington County Partnership Health Fair held Sept. 9, 2017.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Distributed one household hazardous waste brochures in the county and mailed five notices on special collections.
- Finalized and submitted the Washington County Hazard Mitigation Plan update to FEMA and SEMA. Approved June 2018.
- Provided information to county economic developer on

various grant opportunities specific to projects.

- Submitted grant requests to EDA and DRA for natural gas pipeline expansion.
- Provided \$535,699 in rental assistance through the HUD Housing Choice Voucher Program to an average of 141 households. This includes the cities of Caledonia, Irondale, Mineral Point and Potosi and the communities of Belgrade and Cadet.
- Provided information to Washington County schools on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.
- Closed out DRA grant for implementation of ACT Certified Work Ready Communities in Phelps, Crawford, Dent and Washington counties.

#### CALEDONIA

- Deployed SAM Trailer in Caledonia on Hwy. 21.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided the city with information on government grants and foundations to assist with park improvements.
- Assisted Valley R-5 in preparing Notice of Interest for FEMA storm shelter by providing a link to NOI forms and providing hazard mitigation plan information.
- Researched grants and sent links to several foundations and the State Historic Preservation Office to the city who is seeking grants to help renovate two historic properties.
- Hosted a Meramec Morning presentation on Sept. 27, 2017 with community leaders, non-profits, businesses and interested citizens to discuss services and learn about community needs.
- Submitted a grant application to Ameren Corporation's Charitable Giving program for the Caledonia Community Foundation for funds to make improvements to Village Park.
- Submitted a MFA Oil Foundation grant request in the amount of \$2,000 to add playground and picnic equipment to Village Park. Grant was funded.
- Submitted a grant to MRCF for funds to add playground and picnic equipment to Village Park.
- Presented MRCF Community Grant award in the amount of \$250 to the Caledonia Community Foundation.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided information to Valley High School on 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.

#### IRONDALE

- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.

#### MINERAL POINT

- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided servicing for one SBA loan.

#### POTOSI

- Conducted a Hazmat Commodity Flow Study on Hwy. 21 in Potosi.
- Provided information on MRPC's special collections, household hazardous waste collections and promoted trash/dump prevention strategies.
- Provided announcements for the 2018 Earth Day Poster and Trash Art Contest.
- Presented a Family Self-Sufficiency workshop on "Market Yourself: Landing the Job You Want" to participants on Aug. 15, 2017. Attendees learned how to create a cover letter and resume and the importance of a cover letter and resume and they learned about proper interview attire and behavior.
- Provided Arrive Alive exhibit and school supplies at the Washington County Back to School Fair held July 29, 2017 in Potosi.
- Discussed eligibility of a new small business with a resident.
- Provided loan programs information for the purchase of an existing family farm in Potosi.
- Provided loan programs information to a lender for expansion of an existing antique store located in Potosi.
- Submitted a grant application to the Economic Development Administration for a proposed new natural gas distribution line going from Desloge to the Potosi border, which was funded in September 2018.
- Submitted a grant application to Delta Regional Authority for a new natural gas distribution line from Desloge to Potosi.
- Completed code update for the City of Potosi.
- Submitted a grant application to MoDED's Neighborhood Assistance Program for funds for the Life Church of Potosi to acquire blighted lots and demolish structures for development of transitional housing.
- Administered a CDBG grant for the replacement of the bridge on Mill Street.
- Observed docudramas and provided safe driving incentives to students in Potosi high schools.
- Provided information on Community Development Block grants and 18 grant alerts, which are listed under Regional Services.
- Provided information Potosi High School on the 'It Only Takes One' safe driving competition.



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Rep. Keith Frederick—District 121  
Rep. Ben Harris—District 118  
Rep. Nate Tate—District 119  
Rep. Tom Hurst—District 62  
Rep. Steve Lynch—District 122  
Rep. Jeffrey Pogue—District 143  
Rep. Robert Ross—District 142  
Vacant—District 61  
Rep. Jason Chipman—District 120



Marvin Wright, left, presents Ray Schwartze with a plaque honoring his service as MRPC Chairman at Schwartze's final meeting as chairman of MRPC. Wright took over as the new chair.

## MRPC Committees



### MRPC officers (from left):

- Marvin Wright, chairman;
- Larry Miskel, vice chair;
- Steve Vogt, secretary; and
- George Lauritson, treasurer.

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

George Lauritson; Marcus Maggard; Larry Miskel; Ray Schwartze; Steve Vogt; Janet Walker and Marvin Wright.

### HOUSING ADVISORY BOARD

Larry Miskel, chairman; Marvin Wright, vice chairman; Randy Verkamp, secretary; Ashley Cooper; Leo Sanders; Ray Schwartze; and Darrell Skiles.

### EXTERNAL RELATIONS/MEMBERSHIP

Darrell Skiles, chairman; Don Brackhahn, vice chair; Shane Anselm, Kraig Bone; Earl Brown; Gary Brown; Chris Brundick; Luge Hardman; Jan Haviland; Mary Heywood; T.C. James; Doris Keim; Ron Kraettli; Tammy Massman; Larry Miskel; James Poucher; Leo Sanders; Ray Schwartze; Danny Skaggs; Janet Walker; and Marvin Wright.

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Steve Vogt, chairman; George Lauritson, vice chair; Mycal Brown; Matt Dittman; Debbie Green; Shannon Grus; Darryl Haller; Eldon Haun; John Kamler; Billy Martin; Dwight Massey; Jeff Medows; Gene Newkirk; Darrell Schulte; John W. Taylor; Ray Walden; and Dennis Watz.

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## MRB Board

MRB Corporation is the nonprofit holding company that owns the assets (building, cars, computers, furniture, etc.) used by the Meramec Regional Planning Commission and its related organizations. MRB Corp. is composed of the cities and counties that make up MRPC. City and county representatives who sit on MRPC's board also sit on the MRB board.

MRB officers are:

President Leo Sanders • Vice President Darrell Skiles • Secretary-Treasurer Larry Miskel

## Associate Members

MRPC's Associate Membership program is an opportunity for business and industry to partner with MRPC to enhance and compliment economic development efforts in the region.

### PLATINUM MEMBERS

CM Archer Group  
Legends Bank  
Pulaski County Sewer District #1

### GOLD MEMBERS

Town & Country Bank - Salem

### SILVER MEMBERS

Argyle Catering  
Central Federal Savings & Loans  
Gascosage Electric Cooperative  
Investment Reality  
Kenagy Law Office  
Maries County Bank  
State Technical College of Missouri  
Unico Bank

### EXCHANGE MEMBERS

Hermann Area Chamber of Commerce  
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Owensville Area Chamber of Commerce  
Salem Area Chamber of Commerce  
Steelville Area Chamber of Commerce  
Waynesville-St. Robert Chamber of Commerce

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Maria Bancroft .....	Business Loan Specialist III	Samantha Maddison.....	Senior Community Development Specialist
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Jodie Branson .....	Accountant II	Gary O'Day .....	Community Development Specialist
Chuck Cantrell .....	Housing Inspector/Grant Administrator	Bonnie Prigge .....	Executive Director
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Bethany Ferrell .....	Bookkeeper	Rebecca Stinson.....	Senior Community Development Specialist
Anne Freand .....	Senior Community Development Specialist	Savannah Vandegriffe .....	FSS/Home Ownership Coordinator
Linda Hollandsworth .....	Housing Program Manager	Connie Willman .....	Senior Community Development Specialist
Jill Hollowell.....	Environmental Programs Specialist		
Caitlin Jones .....	Communications/Marketing Coordinator		
Linda Loughridge .....	Fiscal Officer		



## Organizations & Boards

### COMMUNITY CHILD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (3CDC)

3CDC's mission is to develop and operate child care centers, consistent with progressive industry guidelines, to care for and educate children, and all other legal powers permitted a nonprofit.

Steve Bowles	Kathy Edwards, Treasurer	Loretta Wallis, Vice President
Richard Cavender	John Petersen	
Ted Day, President	Elizabeth Shockley, Secretary	

### GASCONADE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (GCIDA)

This non-profit group's goal is to assist Gasconade County businesses by promoting economic development.

Roberta Berger, Chairman	Jerry Lairmore - Ex-Officio	David Hartman
John Kamler	Dale Ridder - Vice Chairman	

### GASCONADE VALLEY ENTERPRISE ZONE (GVEZ)

GVEZ is a 501(c)3 not-for-profit corporation that oversees the four enhanced enterprise zones located in Gasconade, Maries and Osage counties. The board is made up of three volunteers from each county.

#### GASCONADE COUNTY

Randy Blaske  
Jerry Lairmore, President  
Mark Wallace, Treasurer

#### MARIES COUNTY

Mark Hayes  
Lloyd Honse  
Ray Schwartz

#### OSAGE COUNTY

John Deeken, Vice President  
David Dudenhoeffer, Secretary  
John Hawkins



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## MERAMEC COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT CORPORATION (MCEC)

This 501(c)3 not-for-profit corporation serves as a related organization to the MRPC to assist in its mission by providing services that increase the social, economic, educational, health-related and recreational opportunities to the residents of the region.

Marvin Wright  
Gary Hicks, Chairman  
Dave Dudenhoeffer, Treasurer  
Marcus Maggard

Gene Newkirk  
Leo Sanders  
Jerry Lairmore, Secretary  
Darrell Skiles

Wayne Langston, Vice Chairman  
Randy Verkamp  
Ray Schwartz

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### MERAMEC REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (MRDC)

In April 1994, MRDC became a Certified Development Company, which allows it to package SBA loans in Missouri. This nonprofit group offers gap financing loan programs to new and expanding businesses and industries in a six-county area. Financing products include the Meramec Region's Revolving Loan Fund loans, the USDA Intermediary Relending Program, CDBG's microloan program and the Small Business Administration's 504 program.

#### Crawford County

Tim Lorraine  
Matt Raby  
Catie Ringeisen, Treasurer

#### Phelps County

Tim Comerford  
Gary Hicks  
James Marcellus

#### Dent County

Mike Homeyer, Secretary  
Gary Larson  
Ray Walden

#### Pulaski County

Carol Carson

#### Gasconade County

James Holland  
Kathy Schlottach

#### Washington County

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#### Maries County

Tim Seams, Vice President  
Wanda Williams

#### MRDC At-Large Member

Marla Stevenson

#### Osage County

Mark Baker  
Thomas Klebba  
Larry Kleithermes

### OZARK RIVERS SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT (ORSWMD)

This organization is charged with reducing the amount of waste generated in the district. Two officers from each county and one officer from each city with a population of 500 plus make up the board. The district includes Crawford, Dent, Gasconade, Maries, Phelps, Pulaski and Washington counties and their cities.

#### Crawford County

Bill Bennett  
Arthur Cook  
Ray Mortimeyer  
Maria Potter  
Danny Skaggs  
Dennis Waltz

Steve Vogt, Treasurer

#### Phelps County

Shane Anselm  
Gary Hicks  
Billy Martin  
Anne McClay  
Brady Wilson, Chairman

#### Dent County

Gary Larson  
Brad Nash  
Darrell Skiles, vice chairman

#### Pulaski County

Craig French  
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Zachary Shepherd  
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Mycal Brown  
Jay Whittaker, Secretary

#### Gasconade County

Jim Holland  
John Kamler  
Rodney Lexa  
Larry Miskel  
Mark Wallace

#### Maries County

Doug Drewel  
T.C. James  
Ray Schwartz

#### Washington County

Cody Brinley  
Gary Gilliam  
Marvin Wright

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### MERAMEC REGIONAL COMMUNITY FOUNDATION (MRCF)

Meramec Regional Community Foundation is an affiliate of Community Foundation of the Ozarks with the mission to enhance the quality of life for the Meramec Region through asset development, grant-making opportunities and public leadership and collaboration and philanthropy awareness.

#### Crawford County

Catie Ringeisen, Secretary/Treasurer

#### Osage County

Vicki Lange, Chairman

#### MRCF At-Large

Joanne Zap, Vice Chairman

#### Dent County

Gary Brown

#### Phelps County

Wendy Young

#### MRPC Representatives

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Bonnie Prigge  
Steve Vogt

#### Gasconade County

Roberta Berger

#### Pulaski County

Randy Becht

#### Maries County

Barbara Schaller

#### Washington County

Cindy Merx

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## MRPC Special Interest Committees

### MRPC TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE (TAC)

The MRPC TAC is a volunteer advisory committee that encompasses all modes of transportation. This group identifies and prioritizes transportation issues as they impact the Meramec Region and advises the MRPC board, who in turn provides information to the Missouri Department of Transportation. Each county has three representatives. MoDOT Meramec Area Engineer is Preston Kramer.

#### Crawford County

Jared Boast  
Rob Cummings  
Leo Sanders

#### Dent County

Gary Brown  
Darrell Skiles  
Ray Walden, Chairman

#### Gasconade County

John Kamler  
Jerry Lairmore  
Robert Koerber

#### Maries County

Vicki Bade  
Mark James  
Ray Schwartz

#### Osage County

David Dudenhoeffer  
Deb Mehmert  
Larry Kliethermes

#### Phelps County

Darin Pryor, Secretary  
Larry Stratman  
Jim White

#### Pulaski County

Mitch McDonald  
George Lauritson, Vice  
Chairman  
Gene Newkirk

#### Washington County

John Casey  
T.R. Dudley  
Marvin Wright

#### Ex-Officio Members

Jack Heusted, OATS  
Preston Kramer, MoDOT  
Kim Tipton, MoDOT  
Steve Engelbrecht, MoDOT  
Oscar Powers, FLW Safety  
Denny Ward, SMTS

### FAMILY SELF-SUFFICIENCY ADVISORY COMMITTEE (FSS)

This council serves in an advisory capacity, providing updates of community resources available to participants in the Family Self-Sufficiency (FSS) program. FSS is a self-help program through the Phelps County PHA, designed to help welfare families become self-sufficient.

#### Crawford County

Kathy Carr

#### Dent County

Vacant

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Jackie Mathany  
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Joyce Duncan  
Jessica Vandegriffe  
Kim Zweifel  
LaRayna Pirrie  
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Sean Davis  
Shelley Troncin  
Stephanie Jost  
Susan Deimeke  
Susan Steinbeck

#### Maries County

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#### Phelps County

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Robert Morris

#### MRPC Staff

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Savannah Vandegriffe

### MERAMEC REGIONAL EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE (MREPC)

The MREPC is an MRPC advisory committee charged with developing and updating the regional Hazardous Materials Emergency Response Plan and maintaining Community Right-to-Know records of hazardous materials in the region.

#### Crawford County

Larry Flesher  
Les Murdock

#### Dent County

Kendra Mobray  
Brad Nash  
Darrell Skiles

#### Gasconade County

Kris Bayless

#### Maries County

Steve Brown

Doug Drewel  
Roger Wilt

#### Osage County

Richard Bray  
Susan Long  
Andrea Rice, Vice Chairman

#### Phelps County

Margaret Biolsi  
Jeff Breen  
Ron Smith  
Wendy Squires

#### Washington County

Kraig J. Bone, Chairman  
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Chuck Fisher  
Bill Goad  
Nick Hughey  
John Lucas  
Jim Vandivort  
Marvin Wright

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## REGION I HOMELAND SECURITY OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (HSOC)

This advisory committee carries out regional homeland security planning and recommends the allocation of grants to the MRPC board. Region I includes Crawford, Dent, Laclede, Maries, Phelps and Pulaski counties. (Committee as of 10/1/18)

**COUNTY COMMISSIONERS** – Gary Hicks of Phelps County; Darrell Skiles of Dent County; Alt.

**POLICE CHIEFS** – Dan Cordova of Waynesville; Nicholas Pappas of Crocker, Alt.;

**EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DIRECTORS** – Randy Rowe of Laclede County; Scott Cason of Crawford Co., Alt.

**SHERIFFS** – Sam Allen, Laclede Co.; Vacant, Alt.

**FIRE CHIEFS** – Donald Good of Lenox Fire; Doug Yurecko of Waynesville Rural Fire Alt.

**COUNTY HEALTH** – Deborah Baker, Pulaski County Health Dept.; Israel Doba, Pulaski County Health, Alt.

### HOMELAND SECURITY RESPONSE

**TEAMS** – Ron Smith, of Rolla Fire and Rescue; Adam Birdsong of Rolla Fire & Rescue; Alt

**PUBLIC WORKS** – Lyle Thomas, St. James; Vacant, Alt.

**MAYOR/CITY OFFICIALS** – Mayor Glen Smith of Crocker; Vacant, Alt.

**PRIVATE INDUSTRY/UTILITY** – Tony Floyd of Intercounty Electric Cooperative; Vacant, Alt.

**EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES** – Bryan Lambeth, St. James Ambulance Dist.; Linda Kerr, PCRMC, Alt.

**911 DISPATCH** – Michael J. “Tiny” Keen, Crawford County; Stacey Smith, Rolla 911, Alt.

**VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATIONS** – David Sewell of American Red Cross.; D. L. Miller of American Red Cross; Alt.

**SCHOOLS** – Brad Armstrong of Lebanon R-III; Merlyn Johnson of St. James R-I, Alt.

**HOSPITALS** – Debbie Halinar of PCRMC; Tabitha Stanfast of Salem Memorial District Hospital, Alt.

**EX-OFFICIO** – Roger Windle, Missouri Div. of Fire Safety; Alan Cortvriant, Dept. of Natural Resources; Dr. Joseph Baker, Missouri Dept. of Agriculture; Chris Engelbrecht, Missouri Dept. of Transportation; James Remillard, Missouri State Highway Patrol; Brett Hendrix, SEMA; Oscar Powers, Fort Leonard Wood; Rick Walls, Missouri Science & Technology; Russ Caton, U.S. Geological Survey; Julie Stolling, American Red Cross; Joni McCarter, Dept. of Public Safety; Bonnie Prigge, Meramec Regional Planning Commission.

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## COMPREHENSIVE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY (CEDS) ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The CEDS committee is a volunteer group of public-private business leaders, representing government, private enterprise, workforce development, chambers and higher education. The committee is charged with providing input and oversight on MRPC's Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy, a planning document that qualifies Meramec counties and cities for EDA funding.

### CRAWFORD COUNTY

Bob Baldwin  
Michael Keen  
Kelly Long  
Robert Schaffer  
Dr. Sean Seibert

### DENT COUNTY

Tony Floyd  
Marcus Maggard  
Tabitha Stanfast  
Ray Walden

### GASCONADE COUNTY

Chuck Garner  
Eli McDonald  
Mark Wallace

### MARIES COUNTY

Richard Huse

### OSAGE COUNTY

Mark Boyer  
Dr. Lenice Basham  
Dr. Donald Claycomb  
Dave Dudenhoeffer  
Jan Haviland  
Susan Long

### PHELPS COUNTY

Jeff Day  
Ted Day  
Linda Hollandsworth  
Pat Leaders  
Cyndra Lorey  
Kelly Miller  
Jason Shenefield  
Marla Stevenson  
Brenda Story  
Keith Strassner  
Lyle Thomas  
Butch Tucker  
Janet Walker

Jim White  
Randy Verkamp

### PULASKI COUNTY

Randy Becht  
Carol Carson  
Duane Doyle  
Bryan Parker  
Rosalind Pride  
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### WASHINGTON COUNTY

John Casey  
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Phone: 573-729-6117  
Fax: 573-729-7337  
ksmoradio.com  
info@ksmoradio.com

### Salem News

500 N. Washington,  
P.O. Box 798  
Salem, MO 65560  
Phone: 573-729-4126  
Fax: 573-729-4920  
thesalemnewsline.com  
salemnews@thesalemnewsline.com

## Gasconade County

### Gasconade County Republican

106 E. Washington St.  
P.O. Box 540  
Owensville, MO 65066  
Phone: 573-437-2323  
Fax: 573-437-3033

gasconadecountyrepublican.com  
news@wardpub.com

### Hermann Advertiser Courier

136 E. Fourth St., P.O. Box 350  
Hermann, MO 65041  
Phone: 573-486-5418  
Fax: 573-486-5422  
hermannadvertisercourier.com  
monews@lcs.net

### The Bland Courier

217 S. Alvarado St., P.O. Box 711  
Belle, MO 65013  
Phone: 573-859-3328  
Fax: 573-859-6274  
tcnpub3@gmail.com

## Maries County

### Belle Banner

217 S. Alvarado St., P.O. Box 711  
Belle, MO 65013  
Phone: 573-859-3328  
Fax: 573-859-6274  
tcnpub3@gmail.com

### Maries County Advocate

1110 Highway 28, Suite B  
Belle, MO 65013  
Phone: 573-859-3323  
301 Hwy 63 S.  
Vienna, MO 65582  
Phone: 573-422-6323  
Fax: 573-437-3033  
news@wardpub.com

### Maries County Gazette

217 S. Alvarado St., P.O. Box 711  
Belle, MO 65013  
Phone: 573-859-3328  
Fax: 573-859-6274  
tcnpub3@gmail.com

## Osage County

### Unterrified Democrat

300 E. Main St., P.O. Box 109  
Linn, MO 65051  
Phone: 573-897-3150  
Fax: 573-897-0076  
news@wardpub.com

## Phelps County

### 92.9FM KKID Radio

1413 B Forum Drive  
Rolla, MO 65401  
Phone: 573-364-4433  
kkid929fm.com  
kkid@kkid929fm.com

## Bott Radio Network

700 S. Bishop, Suite A  
Rolla, MO 65401  
Phone: 573-647-6285  
Fax: 573-426-4450  
bottradionetWORK.com  
sstoltz@bottradionetWORK.com

## The Kaleidoscope

P.O. Box 562  
St. James, Mo 65559  
Phone: 573-263-1427  
www.k-weekly.com  
content@k-weekly.com

## KMNR-Radio

218 Havener Center  
1346 N. Bishop  
Rolla, MO 65401  
Phone: 573-341-4273  
kmnr.org  
stationmanager@kmnr.org

## Phelps County Focus

514 B Fort Wyman Rd.  
P.O. Box 1128  
Rolla, MO 65402  
Phone: 573-426-3700  
Fax: 573-426-3701  
phelpscountyfocus.com  
contact@phelpscountyfocus.com

## Results Radio - KZNN, KTTR, KDAA, KXMO, Shine 104.9

P.O. Box 727  
Rolla, MO 65402  
Phone: 573-364-2525  
Fax: 573-364-5161  
resultsradioonline.com  
kznnpsa@yahoo.com

## Rolla Daily News

101 W. Seventh Street  
P.O. Box 808  
Rolla, MO 65402  
Phone: 573-364-2468  
Fax: 573-364-6107  
therolladailynews.com  
rdnnews@gmail.com

## Saint James Press

120 S. Jefferson, Suite 107  
P.O. Box 428  
St. James, MO 65559  
Phone: 573-899-2345  
Fax: 573-899-2346  
saintjamespress.com  
news@saintjamespress.com

## Sunny 104.5

1051 Kingshighway, Suite 6  
Rolla, MO 65401  
Phone: 573-308-1045  
Fax: 573-341-3443  
mysunny1045.com  
christie@midmomediam.com

## Pulaski County

### Dixon Pilot

P.O. Drawer V  
Dixon, MO 65459  
Phone: 573-759-2127  
Fax: 573-759-6226  
dixonpilot.com  
dixonpilotnews@yahoo.com

### Fort Leonard Wood Guidon

651 N. Boonville  
Springfield, MO 65806  
Phone: 417-836-1168 (ads)  
573-563-5014 (Fort public affairs Office)  
Fax: 417-836-1147  
myguidon.com  
guidoneditor@myguidon.com

## KFLW Radio - 98.9 FM

555 Marshall Drive  
St. Robert, MO 65584  
Phone: 573-336-5359  
Fax: 573-336-7619  
KFLW989.com  
manager@ozarkmedia.com

## KJPW-KFBD-KOZQ-KIHK Radio

P.O. Drawer D  
Waynesville, MO 65583  
Phone: 573-336-4913  
Fax: 573-336-2222  
myozarksonline.com  
news.kfbd@alphamediausa.com

## Washington County

### Independent Journal

119 E. High St.  
P.O. Box 340  
Potosi, MO 65664  
Phone: 573-438-5141  
Fax: 573-438-4472  
ijnews.com  
ijnews@centurytel.net



# Legislative Districts

## Missouri Governor

### Gov. Michael Parsons

State Capitol Building, Room 216  
Jefferson City, MO 65101  
Phone: (573) 751-3222 • [governor.missouri.gov](http://governor.missouri.gov)

## Missouri Lt. Governor

### Lt. Gov. Mike Kehoe

State Capitol Building, Room 224  
Jefferson City, MO 65101  
Phone: (573) 751-4727 • [ltgov.mo.gov](http://ltgov.mo.gov)

## State Senators

### Dan Brown

District 16

State Capitol Bldg., Room 422 • Jefferson City, MO 65101  
(573) 751-5713 (Capitol) • (573) 751-0733 (fax)  
<http://www.senate.mo.gov/13info/members/mem16.htm>  
[dan.brown@senate.mo.gov](mailto:dan.brown@senate.mo.gov)

### Vacant

District 06

### Gary Romine

District 03

State Capitol Bldg., Room 429 • Jefferson City, Mo 65101  
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[gary.romine@senate.mo.gov](mailto:gary.romine@senate.mo.gov)

## State Representatives

### Vacant

District 61

### Tom Hurst

District 62

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### Ben Harris

District 118

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(573) 751-2398 (Capitol) • (573) 526-1963 (fax)  
<http://house.mo.gov/member.aspx?&district=118>  
[Ben.Harris@house.mo.gov](mailto:Ben.Harris@house.mo.gov)

### Nate Tate

District 119

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District 120

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### Dr. Keith Frederick

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201 W. Capitol Ave., Room 116-3 • Jefferson City, MO 65101  
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## U.S. Senators

### Sen. Roy Blunt

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1123 Wilkes Blvd., Ste. 320 • Columbia, MO 65201  
(573) 442-8151 (MO office)  
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### Sen. Claire McCaskill

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(573) 442-7130 (MO office) • (573) 442-7140 (fax)  
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## U.S. Representatives

### Jason Smith

8th District

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1118 Longworth House Office Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20515  
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### Blaine Luetkemeyer

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2230 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515  
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### Vicky Hartzler

4th District

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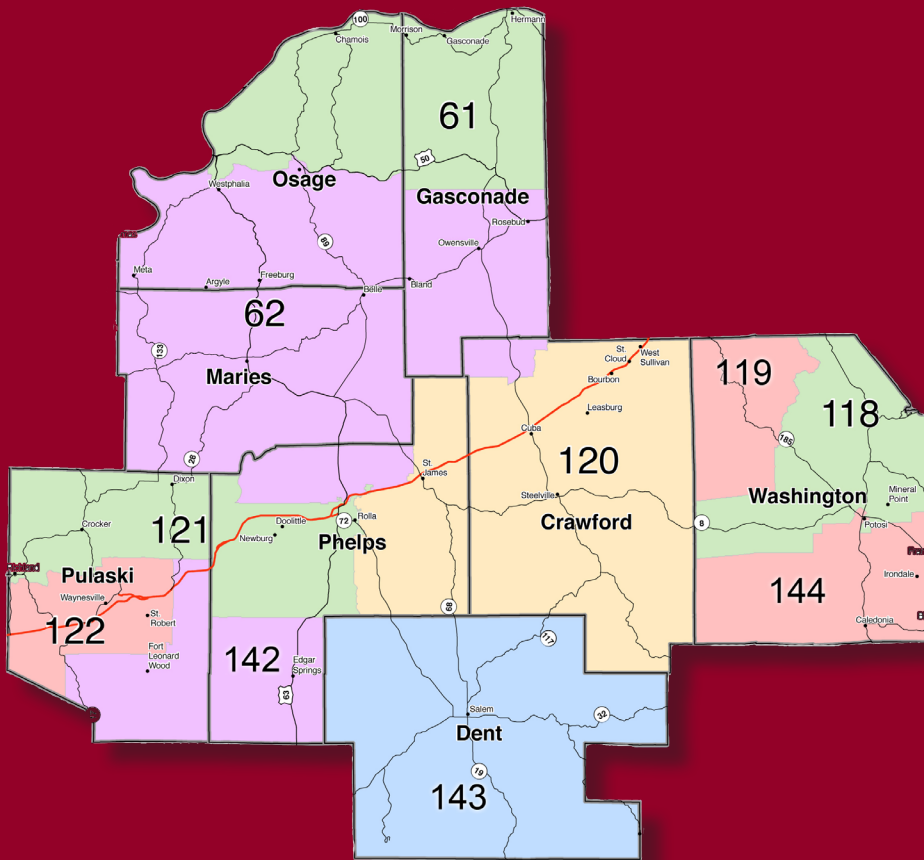
# Legislative District Maps

## House Districts

The Meramec Region is currently served by 10 representatives in the Missouri House of Representatives.

The map at the left, courtesy of the Missouri Office of Administration, shows the boundaries of those districts.

Please see page 42 of this directory for more information about the individuals serving these districts.



## Senate Districts

The Meramec Region is currently served by three senators in the Missouri State Senate.

The map to the right, courtesy of the Missouri Office of Administration, shows the boundaries of the senate districts within the region.

Please see page 42 of this directory for more information about the individuals serving these districts.



## Public Schools

### CRAWFORD COUNTY

#### Crawford County R-I

1444 Old Hwy. 66  
Bourbon, MO 65441  
(573) 732-4426 (f) 732-4545  
Patricia Thompson, Supt.  
thompson@warhawks.k12.mo.us  
www.warhawks.k12.mo.us

#### Crawford County R-II

1 Wildcat Pride Dr.  
Cuba, MO 65453  
(573) 885-2534 (f) 885-3900  
Jon Earnhart, Supt.  
jearnhart@cuba.k12.mo.us  
www.cuba.k12.mo.us

#### Steelville R-III

817 W. Main St., P.O. Box 339  
Steelville, MO 65565  
(573) 775-2175 (f) 775-2179  
Michael Whittaker, Supt.  
mwhittaker@steelville.k12.mo.us  
www.steelville.k12.mo.us

#### Sullivan School District

138 Taylor St.  
Sullivan, MO 63080  
(573) 468-5171 (f) 468-7720  
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### DENT COUNTY

#### Salem R-80

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Salem, MO 65560  
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John McColloch, Supt.  
john.mccolloch@salemr80.org  
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#### Oak Hill R-I

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Salem, MO 65560  
(573) 729-5618 (f) 729-6982  
Douglas Dunn, Supt.  
ddun@oakhillr1.k12.mo.us  
office@oakhillr1.k12.mo.us

#### Green Forest R-II

6111 Highway F  
Salem, MO 65560  
(573) 729-3902 (f) 729-4842  
Kevin Prugh, Supt.  
kprugh@gfr2.k12.mo.us  
www.gfr2.k12.mo.us

#### Dent-Phelps R-III

27870 Highway C  
Salem, MO 65560  
(573) 729-4680 (f) 729-8644  
Victoria Brooker, Supt.

vbrooker@dentphelps.k12.mo.us

www.dentphelps.k12.mo.us

#### North Wood R-IV

3734 N Highway 19  
Salem, MO 65560  
(573) 729-4607 (f) 729-8714  
Dr. Jeff Dodson, Supt.  
dodson@northwood.k12.mo.us

www.northwood.k12.mo.us

### GASCONADE COUNTY

#### Gasconade County R-I

170 Blue Pride Drive  
Hermann, MO 65041  
(573) 486-2116 (f) 486-3032  
Dr. Scott Smith, Supt.  
ssmith@hermann.k12.mo.us  
www.hermann.k12.mo.us

#### Gasconade County R-II

402 E. Lincoln • P.O. Box 536  
Owensville, MO 65066  
(573) 437-2177 (f) 437-5808  
Dr. Chuck Garner, Supt.  
cgarner@dutchmen.us  
www.dutchmen.us

### MARIES COUNTY

#### Maries County R-I

300 4th St. • P.O. Box 218  
Vienna, MO 65582  
(573) 422-3304 (f) 422-3185  
Mark Parker, Supt.  
mparker@viennaeagles.org  
www.mariesr1.k12.mo.us

#### Maries County R-II

503 W. Third St. • P.O. Box 819  
Belle, MO 65013  
(573) 859-3800 (f) 859-3883  
Dr. Patrick J. Call, Supt.  
pcall@mariesr2.org  
www.mariesr2.org

### OSAGE COUNTY

#### Osage Co. R-I

614 S. Poplar St.,  
Chamois, MO 65024  
(573) 763-5666 (f) 763-5686  
Lyle Best, Supt.  
bestl@osager1.com  
www.chamois.k12.mo.us

#### Osage Co. R-II

141 Wildcat Drive  
Linn, MO 65051  
(573) 897-4200 (f) 897-3768  
Dr. Lenice Basham, Supt.  
bashaml@linn.k12.mo.us  
www.linn.k12.mo.us

### Osage Co. R-III

143 E. Main • P.O. Box 37  
Westphalia, MO 65085  
(573) 455-2375 (f) 455-9884  
Chuck Woody, Supt.  
woodyc@fatimacomets.org  
www.fatimacomets.org

### PHELPS COUNTY

#### St. James R-I

122 East Scioto Street  
St. James, MO 65559  
(573) 265-2300 (f) 265-6126  
Merlyn Johnson, Supt.  
mj@stjschools.org  
www.stjschools.org

#### Newburg R-II

701 Wolf Pride • P.O. Box C  
Newburg, MO 65550  
(573) 762-9653 (f) 762-3040  
Dr. Lynne Reed, Supt.  
lreed@newburg.k12.mo.us  
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#### Phelps County R-III

17790 State Route M  
Edgar Springs, MO 65462  
(573) 435-6293 (f) 435-9489  
John Fluhrer, Supt.  
jfluhrer@pcr3.k12.mo.us  
www.pcr3.k12.mo.us

#### Rolla 31

500A Forum Dr.  
Rolla, MO 65401  
(573) 458-0100 (f) 458-0105  
Dr. Aaron Zalis, Supt.  
azalis@rolla.k12.mo.us  
www.rolla.k12.mo.us

### PULASKI COUNTY

#### Swedeborg R-III

17507 Hwy T  
Richland, MO 65556  
(573) 736-2735 (f) 736-5926  
Doug Jacobson, Supt.  
doug2313@windstream.net  
www.swedeborgpanthers.com

#### Richland R-IV

714 E Jefferson  
Richland, MO 65556  
(573) 765-3241 (f) 765-5552  
Doug Smith, Supt.  
dsmith@richlandbears.us  
www.richlandbears.us

#### Laquey R-V

27600 Hwy AA • P.O. Box 130  
Laquey, MO 65534  
(573) 765-3716 (f) 765-4052  
Dr. Randy Caffey, Supt.  
rcaffey@laqueyhornets.us  
www.laquey.k12.mo.us

### Waynesville R-VI

200 Fleetwood Dr.  
Waynesville, MO 65583  
(573) 842-2097 (f) 433-2967  
Dr. Brian Henry, Supt.  
bhenry@waynesville.k12.mo.us  
www.waynesville.k12.mo.us

#### Dixon R-I

106 W Fourth St  
Dixon, MO 65459  
(573) 759-7163 (f) 759-2506  
Duane Doyle, Supt.  
ddoyle@dixonr1.com  
dixonr1.com

#### Crocker R-II

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PO Box 488  
Crocker, MO 65452  
(573) 736-5000 (f) 736-5924  
Gary Doerhoff, Supt.  
gdoerhoff@mail.crockerschools.org  
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### WASHINGTON COUNTY

#### Kingston K-14

10047 Diamond Rd.  
Cadet, MO 63630  
(573) 438-4982 (f) 438-8813  
Alex McCaul, Supt.  
mccaul.alex@k-14.org  
www.kingston.k12.mo.us

#### Potosi R-III

400 N. Mine  
Potosi, MO 63664  
(573) 438-5485 (f) 438-5487  
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#### Richwoods R-VII

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Richwoods, MO 63071  
(573) 678-2257 (f) 678-5207  
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www.richwoods.wildcats.org

#### Valley R-VI

1 Viking Drive  
Caledonia, MO 63631  
(573) 779-3446 (f) 779-3505  
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msilvy@valley.k12.mo.us  
www.valleyschooldistrict.org



# Meramec Region Cities & Towns

County and city population figures are based on 2016 estimates, provided by the Missouri Census Data Center.

## Crawford County

Population (est.2016).....24,545

Founded.....January 23, 1829

Courthouse

302 W. Main • P.O. Box AS Steelville, MO 65565

www.crawfordcountymo.net

crawford@sos.mo.gov

Commission meets on 9 a.m. Tues.

Phone: (573) 775-2376

Fax: (573) 775-3066

Office Hours: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., M-F

Commissioners:

Presiding—Leo Sanders

Associates—Jared Boast and Rob Cummings

County Clerk: John Martin

Circuit Clerk: Karen Harlan

Collector: Pat Schwent

Treasurer: Catie Ringeisen

Prosecuting Attorney:

Kent Howald

Sheriff: Darin Layman

Associate Circuit Judge: Scott Bernstein

42nd Circuit Judge Div. 1:

Sid Pearson

Coroner: Paul Hutson

EMD: Leza Mizell

Assessor: Kelly Vestal

Public Admin.: Franky Todd

Surveyor: Mark A. Mueller

Recorder of Deeds: Kim Cook

911 Director: Michael Lockhart

Health Admin: Honor Evans

**Bourbon.....4th Class**

Population (est.2016).....1,700

Founded.....September 6, 1853

423 North Old Hwy. 66 • P.O. Box 164 Bourbon, MO 65441

www.bourbonmo.com

Council meets 3rd Tues., 7 p.m.

Phone: (573) 732-5550

Fax: (573) 732-5808

Office Hours: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., M-F

Mayor: Danny Skaggs

Clerk/Treasurer: Cathy Bremer

c.bremer@cityofbourbon.com

Aldermen:

David Lafferty

Mary D. Heywood

Thomas Jordan

Carl Hammock

Attorney: Robert L. Davis

Deputy City Clerk: Darci Dunn

Collector: Beverly Robb

City Engineer: Richard Ramstein

Police Chief: Paul Satterfield

Fire Chief/EMD: Daniel Whitley

Water/Street/Sewer Depts.:

Mark McEuen

Parks & Rec: Steve Pasch

**Cuba.....4th Class**

Population (est.2016).....3,348

Founded.....January 2, 1857

202 N. Smith • P.O. Box K Cuba, MO 65453

cityofcubamo.com

Council meets 1st & 3rd Tues., 6 p.m.

Phone: (573) 885-7432

Fax: (573) 885-3216

Office Hours: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., M-F

Mayor: Ray Mortimeyer

Clerk: Christine Nash

Email: canash@ci.cuba.mo.us

Treasurer: Jane Williams

Aldermen:

Jeff Boust

Kevin Copling

Don Mizell

Warren Graddy

Cody Leathers

Nancy Montgomery

EMD: Rodney Neff

Attorney: Lance Thurman

Collector: Kim Roedemeier

Police Chief: Doug Shelton

Fire Chief: Mike Plank

Public Works Director/Building Inspector/

Safety Officer: Bob Baldwin

Street Supt.: Dennis Chandler

Electric Supt.: Bob Bowen

Water Supt.: Glen Shockley

Sewer Supt.: AJ Harmon

Street Supt.: Dennis Chandler

Natural Gas Supt.: James Happel

Municipal Judge: Patrick

Horsefield

Court Clerk: Melissa Doehn

Prosecutor: Steve Paulus

Airport Manager: Travis Pritchett

**Leasburg Village**

Population (est. 2016).....431

Founded.....1859

2303 Highway H • P.O. Box 39

Leasburg, MO 65535

Hours: Tues. & Thurs.

9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Council meets 4th Mon., 5:30 p.m.

Phone: (573) 245-6565

Fax: (573) 245-6590

Chairman: Jared West

Clerk: Della Bishop

Village Attorney: Dave Smith

Trustees:

Sue Prince

Michael Lockhart

Shannon Sanders

Water Supervisor: Jared Boast

**Steelville.....4th Class**

Population (est.2016).....1,903

Founded.....December 18, 1835

895 Frisco St. • P.O. Box M Steelville, MO 65565

www.steelville.com

stv@misn.com

Council meets 1st & 3rd Mon. 7p.m.

Phone: (573) 775-2815

Fax: (573) 775-5914

Office Hours: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., M-F

Mayor: Michael (Tiny) Keen

Clerk/Collector: Sandra Richter

Office Manager/Comptroller/Treasurer: Roben Griggs

Aldermen:

Terry Beckham

Bill Bennett

Sharon Hubbard

Amanda Sherrill

Attorney: R. Brooks Kenagy

Prosecutor: James Broshot

City Marshall/Police Chief/EMD: Mike Sherman

Public Works Director/ Building Inspector:

Jason Evans

Sewer Supt.: Jim Chambers

Water Supt.: Robert Hicks

Electric Supt.: Matthew Simpson

**Sullivan.....4th Class**

Population (est. 2016).....6,838

Founded.....1856

**West Sullivan.....Village**

Population (est. 2016).....71

## Dent County

Population (est.2016).....15,578

Founded.....February 10, 1856

Courthouse

400 N. Main Salem, MO 65560

www.salemмо.com

dent@sos.mo.gov

Commission meets 9 a.m. Mon. & Thurs.

Phone: (573) 729-4144 or 729-3044

Fax: (573) 729-3350

Office Hours: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., M-F

Commissioners:

Presiding—Darrell Skiles

Associates—Gary Larson & Dennis Purcell

County Clerk: Angie Curley

Assessor: Tina Whitaker

Circuit Clerk: Becky Swiney

Recorder: Cindy Ard  
 Collector: Dennis Medlock  
 Treasurer: Denita Williams  
 Prosecuting Attorney: Andrew M. Curley  
 Sheriff: Bob Wells  
 Associate Circuit Judge: Brandi L. Baird  
 Coroner: Gina White  
 Public Administrator: Sherida Cook  
 EMD: Brad Nash  
 Surveyor: Craig Ruble  
**Salem.....4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016).....4,974**  
**Founded.....1860**  
 400 N. Iron St. Salem, MO 65560  
 salemmo.com  
 mayor@salemмо.com  
 cityadministrator@salemмо.com  
 cityclerk@salemмо.com  
 Council meets 1st & 3rd Mon., 7 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 729-4811 or 729-5211  
 Fax: (573) 729-5371  
 Office Hours: 8 a.m.-5 p.m., M-F  
 Mayor: Brad Nash  
 Clerk/Collector: Mary D. Happel  
 Aldermen:

Kim Shelton  
 Chad A. Heithold  
 Haydn Powell, Jr.  
 Molly C. Zettel

City Administrator: Ray Walden  
 Attorney: William Camm Seay  
 Chief of Police: Keith Steelman  
 Street Supt./Airport Manager: Gary Glenn  
 Water & Sewer Supt.: Jack Emory  
 Electric Superintendent: Bryon Johns  
 Parks and Recreation: Tye Lydon  
 Code Officer: Jarred Brown  
 Salem Community Center Executive  
 Director: Sherry Lea  
 EMD: Allen Kimrey  
 Building Inspectors: Jarred Brown &  
 Lloyd Sanderson

## **Gasconade County**

**Population (est. 2016).....14,875**  
**Founded.....November 25, 1920**

Courthouse  
 119 E. First St. Hermann, MO 65041  
 gasconade@sos.mo.gov  
 Commission meets on Thurs., 8:30 a.m. (1st  
 Thurs. in Owensville at City Hall)  
 Phone: (573) 486-5427  
 Fax: (573) 486-8893  
 Office Hours: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., M-F  
 Commissioners:

Presiding—Larry Miskel  
 Associates—Jerry Lairmore & James Holland

County Clerk: Lesa Lietzow  
 Assessor: Paul Schulte  
 Circuit Clerk/Recorder: Pamela Greunke  
 Collector: Shawn Schlottach

Treasurer: Mike Feagan  
 Prosecuting Attorney: Mary Weston  
 Sheriff: John Romanus  
 20th Judicial Court Judge, Dist. 1:  
 Craig Hellmann  
 20th Judicial Court Judge, Dist. 2: Ike Lamke  
 Associate Circuit Judge: Ada Brehe-Krueger  
 Coroner: Benjamin Grosse  
 Public Administrator: Fay Owsley  
 EMD: Kris Bayless  
 911 Director: Lisa Schlottach  
 Health Admin: Gregory Lara  
 Road/Bridge: Wayne Kottwitz  
 Surveyor: Vincent Klott

**Bland.....4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016).....505**  
**Founded.....1877**

209 W. Kansas City St. • P.O. Box 40  
 Bland, MO 65014  
 Council meets 2nd Mon., 6:00 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 646-3252  
 Fax: (573) 646-5210  
 Email: blandmo@centurylink.net  
 Office Hours: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., Mon. - Thurs. 8:00  
 a.m.-12:00 p.m., Friday  
 Mayor: Ron Shafferkoetter  
 City/Court Clerk: Rachel Anderson  
 Treasurer: Lyndsay Gray  
 Aldermen:

Tommy Thompson  
 Josh Jarvis  
 Gary Lee  
 Jim Carpenter

City Marshall: Tom Dodson  
 Fire Chief: Mark Davis  
 Municipal Judge: Kenneth M. Brison  
 Attorney: Keith Chung and Stephanie Carr  
 Prosecutor: Brett Hellmann  
 Public Works Director: Rodney Turner  
 City Engineer: Terris Cates  
 Parks & Rec: Mark Farran

**Gasconade.....4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016).....283**  
**Founded.....1926**

493 Oak St. Gasconade, MO 65061  
 Phone: (573) 294-7348  
 Mayor: Kelly Head  
 Clerk/Treasurer: Kim Steiner  
 Aldermen:

Bill Wolfe  
 Michael Owens  
 John Steiner  
 Daryl Miller

Collector: Lisa Breedan  
 Chief of Police: Riley Lewis

**Hermann.....4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016).....2,491**  
**Founded.....August 27, 1836**

1902 Jefferson St. Hermann, MO 65041  
 www.hermannmo.com

hermannmayor@centurytel.net  
 Council meets 2nd and 4th Mon., 7 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 486-5400  
 Fax: (573) 486-5432  
 Office Hours: 8 a.m.-5 p.m., M-F  
 Mayor: Dr. Robert C. Koerber  
 Clerk: Patricia Heaney  
 Aldermen:

Bruce Cox  
 David Faerber  
 Brian Chorley  
 Susan Lenger

City Administrator: Mark Wallace  
 Director/Economic Development and  
 Tourism: Tammy Bruckerhoff

Attorney: David D. Politte  
 Collector: Carol Schluss  
 Treasurer: Lois Puchta  
 Chief of Police: Marlon Walker  
 Fire Chief: Kevin Speckhals  
 Public Works Director: Wayne Bruckerhoff  
 Municipal Judge: David Baylard  
 Court Clerk: Anita Ruga

**Morrison.....4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016).....91**  
**Founded.....1899**

632 Hwy 100 Morrison, MO 65061  
 citymorrisonmo@yahoo.com  
 Mayor: Melissa Strobe  
 Clerk: Doris Rost  
 Aldermen:

Chuck Lamb  
 Jason Koenigsfeld  
 Clifford Wilson  
 Steve Nolte

Fire Chief: Rick Cramer  
 Attorney: Mary Weston  
 City & Water: Delmar Mitchen

**Owensville.....4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016).....2,630**  
**Founded.....1911**

107 W. Sears Owensville, MO 65066  
 www.cityofowensville.com  
 citygov@cityofowensville.com  
 Council meets 1st & 3rd Mon., 7:00 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 437-2812  
 Fax: (573) 437-5812

Office Hours: 9 a.m.-5 p.m., M-F  
 Mayor: John Kamler  
 City/Finance Administrator: Nathan Schauf  
 Clerk: Bobbi Limberg  
 Deputy City Clerk: Peggy Farrell  
 Aldermen:

Cathy Lahmeyer  
 Rob Borgmann  
 Denise Bohl  
 Kevin McFadden

Attorney: Lee Curtis, St. Louis, MO  
 Collector: Rhonda Cruse  
 Marshal: Robert Rickerd

Fire Chief : Curtis Aytes  
 Public Works Director: Jeff Kuhne  
 Building Inspector/Codes: Travis Hernandez  
 Municipal Judge: David Baylard  
 Prosecuting Attorney: Scott Fulford  
 Court Clerk: Ronda Newman  
 Safety Officer: Peggy Farrell  
 Park Supt.: Vernon Havelka  
**Rosebud ..... 4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016)..... 455**  
**Founded ..... June 14, 1911**  
 307 N. Cedar • P.O. Box 199 Rosebud, MO 63091  
 Council meets 2nd Tues., 7 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 764-7673 (City Hall)  
 Office Hours: 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. M-W  
 Mayor: Shannon Grus  
 shannon.grus@gmail.com  
 Clerk: Ann Parker  
 clerk@fidnet.com  
 Aldermen:  
     Jennifer Griffith  
     Kelly Kuhrts  
     Justin Haase  
     Doug Bauer  
 Attorney: Stephen Paulus, Cuba, MO  
 Collector: Melissa Alexander  
 Chief of Police: Mason Griffith  
 Street/Water/Sewer Supt.: Dennis Eilers  
 Code Officer: Elizabeth Broeker

## Maries County

**Population (est. 2016).....8,987**  
**Founded ..... March 2, 1855**  
**Courthouse**  
 211 4th St. • P.O. Box 205 Vienna, MO 65582  
 www.mariesco.org  
 maries@sos.mo.gov  
 Commission meets 9 a.m.-12 p.m., Mon. & Thurs.  
 Phone: (573) 422-3388  
 Fax: (573) 422-3269 (Clerk)  
 Office hours: 8 a.m.-4 p.m., M-F  
 Commissioners:  
     Presiding—Ray Schwartz  
     Associates—Doug Drewel & Ed Fagre  
 County Clerk: Rhonda Brewer-Rodgers  
 Assessor: Dana Simmons  
 Circuit Clerk/Recorder: Mark Buschmann  
 Collector: Jayne Williams  
 Treasurer: Rhonda Slone  
 Prosecuting Attorney: Terry Schwartze  
 Sheriff: Chris Heitman  
 Associate Circuit Judge: Kerry Rowden  
 25th Circuit Judge Div. 1: William Hickie  
 25th Circuit Judge Div. 2: John Beger  
 Public Administrator: Carol Jo Schulte  
 Coroner: David Martin  
 EMD/911 Director: Scott John  
**Belle ..... 4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016).....1,653**  
**Founded ..... 1901**  
 200 E. Third St. • P.O. Drawer 813

Belle, MO 65013  
 cityofbellemo.org  
 Council meets 2nd Tues., 6:30 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 859-3513  
 Fax: (573) 859-3821  
 Office Hours: 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. M-F  
 Mayor: Josh Seaver  
 Court Clerk: Barb Schaller  
 City Treasurer: Michelle Jones  
 City Clerk/Collector: Frankie Hicks  
 cityclerk@centurytel.net  
 Aldermen:  
     Jeanette Struempf  
     Ken Stanfield  
     Tony Gieck  
     Courtney Abel  
 Police Chief: Joseph Turnbough  
 Fire Chief/EMD: Dwight Francis  
 Municipal Court Judge: Anthony Skouby  
 City Attorney/Prosecutor: Mary Weston  
 Public Works: Daryl Jenkins/Nathan Abel  
 Building Inspector: Gary Gehlert  
**Vienna ..... 4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016)..... 711**  
**Founded .....April 9, 1884**  
 424 8th Street • P.O. Box 196 Vienna, MO 65582  
 sjames@viennamissouri.org  
 Council meets 1st Mon. following a Fri., 6 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 422-3549  
 Fax:(573) 422-6110  
 Office Hours: 8 a.m.-4 p.m., M-F  
 Mayor: T.C. James  
 Clerk: Sherry James  
 Aldermen:  
     Brenda Davis  
     Carol Miller  
     Reva Hutchison  
     Jeremy Smith  
 Attorney: Ross Bush  
 Chief of Police: Shannon Thompson  
 Public Works Supt.: Shon Westart  
 Fire Chief: Mike Smith

## Osage County

**Population (est. 2016).....13,705**  
**Founded .....January 29, 1841**  
**Courthouse**  
 106 E. Main St.  
 Administration Building  
 205 East Main St.  
 Linn, MO 65051  
 www.osagecountygov.com  
 osage@sos.mo.gov  
 Commission meets Tues. & Thurs.,  
     8:30-10:30 a.m.  
 Phone: (573) 897-2497  
 Fax: (573) 897-4741 (commission)  
 Office Hours: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., M-F  
 Commissioners:  
     Presiding—David Dudenhoefter  
     Associates—John Glavin & Larry Kleithermes

County Clerk: Patrick Steele  
 Assessor: Jerry Baker Jr.  
 Circuit Clerk: Charlene Eisterhold  
 Recorder of Deeds: Cindy Hoffman  
 Collector: Doris Keilholz  
 Treasurer: Tim Neuner  
 Prosecuting Attorney: Amanda Grellner  
 Sheriff: Michael Bonham  
 Associate Circuit Judge:  
     Robert D. Schollmeyer  
 Coroner: Lois Jaegers  
 Public Administrator: Paul Stratman  
 Surveyor: Tim Hamburg  
 EMD/911 Director: Andrea Rice  
 Health Administrator: Susan Long  
 Road & Bridge Foreman: Ron Kempker  
**Argyle ..... Village**  
**Population (est. 2016)..... 228**  
**Founded ..... February 3, 1908**  
 472 2nd St. • P.O. Box 22 Argyle, MO 65001  
 argyle.missouri@gmail.com  
 Council meets 3rd Tues., 7 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 728-9980  
 Fax: (573) 728-9980  
 Chairperson: Chris Brundick  
 Clerk/Treasurer: Kym Brunnert  
 Trustees:  
     Ryan Davis  
     Justin Haines  
     Todd Wildhaber  
 Attorney: Albert Crump  
 EMD: Derek Schwartz  
 Street Commissioner: Ed Brunnert  
**Chamois ..... 4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016)..... 396**  
**Founded .....1818**  
 200 S. Main St., Chamois, MO 65024  
 Phone: (573) 763-5541  
 Office Hours: Mon., Tues., Thurs., & Fri., 11 a.m.  
 - 4 p.m.  
 cityofchamois@centurytel.net  
 Mayor: Elise Brochu  
 Clerk: Dorcas Ruff  
 Aldermen:  
     Matt Shockley  
     Debbie Huff  
     Dema Schnauss  
     Jeffrey Brown  
 Attorney: Marshall Wilson  
 Fire Chief: James Mehmert  
 Public Works: Danny Kirsch  
**Freeburg ..... Village**  
**Population (est. 2016).....464**  
**Founded ..... 1886**  
 P. O. Box 121 • 304 Highway 63 South  
 Freeburg, MO 65035  
 www.villageoffreeburg.com  
 Council meets 1st Mon. 6:30 p.m.  
 villageoffreeburg@gmail.com  
 Chairperson: Darryl Haller



Clerk: Allen Gradel  
 Trustees:  
   Scott Knoll  
   Dale Struempf  
   Shane Zimmer  
   Glen Haller  
 Attorney: Albert Crump  
 Water/Sewer/Street Supt.: Todd Feeler  
 Fire Chief: George Iven  
**Linn..... 4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016)..... 1,485**  
**Founded .....February 15, 1883**  
 1200 E. Main St. • P.O. Box 498 Linn, MO 65051  
 carrie@cityoflinn.com  
 Council meets 3rd Mon., 5 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 897-2236  
 Fax: (573) 897-3009  
 Office Hours: 7:30 a.m. -12:30 p.m. - 1 - 4 p.m.  
 Mon.-Fri.  
 Mayor: Dwight Massey  
 Clerk: Carrie Grellner  
 Aldermen:  
   Mike Montgomery  
   K.P. Nilges  
   Rickey Niewald  
   Steven Boeckmann  
 Treasurer: Janelle Jaegers  
 Police Chief: Richard L. Bray Jr.  
 Water/Street/Utilities Supt.: Larry Fredrich  
 Fire Chief: Ron Hoffman  
 City Attorney: Kent L. Brown  
**Meta..... 4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016)..... 268**  
**Founded ..... November 14, 1904**  
 101 S. Locust St. • P.O. Box 65 Meta, MO 65058  
 Council meets 2nd Wed., 6:30 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 229-4439  
 Office Hours: Tues. & Thurs. 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.  
 cityofmeta@radiowire.net  
 Mayor: Harold Libbert  
 City Clerk: Linda Bode  
 Aldermen:  
   Idie Helton  
   Otto Wankum  
   Christine Peach  
   Lawrence Hoffman  
 City Attorney: David Bandre  
 Collector: Doris Keilholz  
 Water Supt: Harold Libbert  
 Water Clerk: Linda Bode  
**Westphalia ..... 4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016)..... 379**  
**Founded .....1836**  
 P. O. Box 36 • 116 East Main St.  
 Westphalia, MO 65085  
 Council meets last Tues. 6:30 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 455-2879 (Clerk)  
 Fax: (573) 455-2879  
 westphaliainmo@sbcglobal.net  
 Mayor: Tammy Massman

Clerk: Kerry Bax  
 kerrybax@sbcglobal.net  
 Aldermen:  
   Ron Patterson  
   Mike Kliethermes  
   Gerhard Schmitz  
   Danny Wilde  
 Attorney: David G. Bandre  
 Water Dist. Clerk: Sue Feltrop  
 Fire Chief: Jim Roark  
**Phelps County**  
**Population (est. 2016).....44,833**  
**Founded .....November 13, 1857**  
**Courthouse**  
 200 N. Main St. Rolla, MO 65401  
 www.phelpscounty.org  
 phelps.county@sos.mo.gov  
 Commission meets Tues. & Thurs., 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 458-6000  
 Fax: (573) 458-6119  
 Office Hours: 8 a.m.-5 p.m., M-F  
 Commissioners:  
   Presiding—Randy Verkamp  
   Associates—Larry Stratman & Gary Hicks  
 County Clerk: Pamela Grow  
 Assessor: William T. Stolz  
 Circuit Clerk: Sue Brown  
 Recorder: Robin Kordes  
 Collector: Davis Haas  
 Treasurer: Carol Green  
 Prosecuting Attorney: Brendon Fox  
 Sheriff: Rick Lisenbe  
 25th Circuit Judge Div. 1: William E. Hickie  
 25th Circuit Judge Div. 2: John D. Beger  
 Surveyor: Terris Cates  
 Public Administrator: Kathy Oliver  
 Coroner: D. Andrew “Andy” Davis  
 EMD: Corporal Mike Kirn, PCSD  
 Phelps-Maries Health Department Director:  
 Ashley Wann  
**Doolittle..... 4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016).....670**  
**Founded ..... 1944**  
 380 Eisenhower Doolittle, MO 65401  
 Council meets 2nd Mon., 6 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 762-2601  
 Office Hours: Mon., Wed., & Fri. 9a.m. - 4p.m.  
 Mayor/EMD: Billy Martin  
 Clerk/Treasurer/Collector: Della Bishop  
 Clerk Phone: 573-465-2523  
 cityofdoolittle@yahoo.com  
 Aldermen:  
   Doug Smith  
   Earl Link  
   Linda Newton  
   Sherry Pierce  
   Garry Duhadway Sr.  
 Attorney/Prosecutor: Lance Thurman  
 Police Chief: William S. Jones  
 Fire Chief: Matt Bramel

**Edgar Springs ..... 4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016).....252**  
**Founded .....1974**  
 555 Broadway St. • P.O. Box 13  
 Edgar Springs, MO 65462  
 Council meets 2nd Mon., 6 p.m.  
 Email: edgarspringsmo@yahoo.com  
 Phone: (573) 435-6334  
 Fax: (573) 435-0224  
 Office Hours: 8 a.m.-12 p.m., Mon.- Fri  
 Mayor: Kevin Melton  
 Clerk: Denise Walker  
 City Administrator: Paula James  
 Aldermen:  
   Caroline Dunham  
   Derrick Fitzgerald  
   Sam Newman  
   Amanda Melton  
 Attorney/Prosecutor: Lance Thurman  
 Police Chief: Kody Lucas  
 Fire Chief: Ernie Coverdale  
 Water Supt.: Everett Perkins  
 Street/Sewer Supt.: Jeff Jordan  
**Newburg..... 4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016)..... 515**  
**Founded .....June 28, 1883**  
 191 Main St. • P.O. Drawer K  
 Newburg, MO 65550  
 cityhall@fidnet.com  
 Council meets 2nd Tues., 6 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 762-2315  
 Fax: (573) 762-3704  
 Office Hours: 8 a.m.-5 p.m.. M-F  
 Mayor: James Poucher  
 Clerk: Phyllis Harris  
 Treasurer: Marilyn Miller  
 Aldermen:  
   Norman Ford  
   Robert Sharp  
   Scott Russell  
   Richard Elders  
 Attorney: Ed Hoertel, Rolla, MO  
 Police Judge: Anthony Skouby  
 Court Clerk: Phyllis Harris  
 Collector: Pam Grow  
 Police Chief: Chris Finch  
 Water/Sewer Supt.: David Simpson  
 Building Inspector: John Moncrief  
**Rolla..... 3rd Class**  
**Population (est. 2016).....19,904**  
**Founded ..... January 25, 1861**  
 901 N. Elm • P.O. Box 979 Rolla, MO 65402  
 www.rollacity.org  
 admin@rollacity.org  
 Council meets 1st & 3rd Mon., 6:30 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 426-6948  
 Fax: (573) 426-6947  
 Office Hours: 8 a.m.-5 p.m., M-F  
 Rolla Mayor: Louis J. Magdits, IV  
 Clerk: Carol L. Daniels

Council:

Brian Woolley  
Jonathan Hines  
Matthew Crowell  
Monty Jordan  
Walt Bowe  
John Meusch  
Don Morris  
Matthew Miller  
Steven Jung  
Jim Williams  
Jacob Rohter  
David Schott

City Administrator: John Butz

Planning Administrator: James Shields

Community Development Director:

Steve Flowers

Finance Director: Steffanie Rogers

Attorney: Lance Thurman

Prosecutor: Brad Neckermann

Chief of Police: Sean Fagan

Fire Chief: Ron Smith

Public Works Director: Steve Hargis

Utilities Manager: Rodney Bourne

Parks & Recreation Director: Floyd Jernigan

Municipal Judge: James Crump

Court Clerk: ReLauun Smith

Dir. of Environmental Services: Brady Wilson

EMD: Brad Woods

Airport Manager: Darrin Bacon

City Engineer: Darin Pryor

**St. James ..... 3rd Class**

**Population (est. 2016) ..... 4,156**

**Founded ..... 1892**

100 S. Jefferson St. James, MO 65559

Council meets 2nd Mon., 7 p.m.

Phone: (573) 265-7013

Fax: (573) 265-5585

Office Hours: 7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., M-F

Mayor: Jim W. White

Clerk: Sarah Wheeler

Council:

Rick Krawiecki  
Alan Sachs  
Richard Hockersmith  
Stephanie Swanson  
Shane Anselm  
Bob Smith  
Carol Weatherly

City Administrator: Harold Selby

Attorney: Joseph Bond

Police Chief: Ron Jones

Fire Chief/EMD: Bruce Parton

Public Works Director: Lyle Thomas

Utilities Engineer: Archer-Elgin Engineering

Street Supervisor: Danny Scheel

Police Judge: Tony Skouby

Parks & Recreation Director: John Cutsinger

Solid Waste Manager: Ron Fraser

## Pulaski County

**Population (est. 2016) ..... 53,302**

**Founded ..... 1833**

### Courthouse

301 Historic 66 East Waynesville, MO 65583

www.pulaskicountymo.org

pulaski@sos.mo.gov

Commission meets Mon. & Thurs.,

9 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Phone: (573) 774-4701

Fax: (573) 774-5601

Office Hours: 8 a.m.- 4:30 p.m., M-F

### Commissioners:

Presiding—Gene Newkirk

Associates—Lynn Sharp & Rick Zweerink

County Clerk: Brent Bassett

Assessor: Daniel Whittle

Circuit Clerk-Recorder: Rachelle Beasley

Collector: Terri Mitchell

Treasurer: Sue Rapone

Prosecuting Attorney: Kevin Hillman

25th Circuit Judge Div. 1: Bill Hickie

25th Circuit Judge Div. 2: John Beger

Assoc. Circuit Judge: Mike Headrick (Probate)

& Colin Long (Magistrate)

Sheriff: Jimmy Bench

Surveyor: Don Mayhew

Public Administrator: Loretta Rouse

Coroner: Nick Pappas

EMD: Lawson "Smitty" Smith

911 Director: Michelle Graves

Health Admin: Debra Baker

Road/Bridge: Kevin Davis (Eastern) & Steve

Street (Western)

**Crocker ..... 4th Class**

**Population (est. 2016) ..... 966**

**Founded ..... March 11, 1911**

108 S. Commercial • P.O. Box 116

Crocker, MO 65452

Council meets 2nd Mon., 6 p.m.

Phone: (573) 736-5327

Fax: (573) 736-5438

Email: mayor\_crocker@yahoo.com

Office Hours: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., M-F

Mayor: Glen Smith

City Clerk: Opal Gibbs

City Court Clerk: Kim Henson

### Aldermen:

Jeff Curry

Lori Layman

Michael Criswell

Ashley Burton

City Attorney: Mark Rector

Police Chief: Nick Pappas

Fire Chief: Mark Fancher

Chief of Public Works: Don Theberge

Municipal Judge: Ernest Tanner

**Dixon ..... 4th Class**

**Population (est. 2016) ..... 1,293**

**Founded ..... 1869**

303 S. Elm St. • P.O. Box 177 Dixon, MO 65459

Council meets 1st Mon., 6 p.m.

Phone: (573) 759-6115

Fax: (573) 759-7864

Email: dixclerk@gmail.com

Office Hours: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., M-F

Mayor: Mycal Brown

Clerk: Jessie Fleming

### Aldermen:

Betty Thilges

Paul Watson

Marilyn Timmons

Dawna Fleming

Barbara Thomas

Marlene Blackburn

City Attorney: Jeff Thomas

Municipal Judge: John Ward

Marshal: Gary Brinkel

Fire Chief/EMD: Dennis Lachowicz

Water/Sewer Supervisor: Josh Lachowicz

**Richland ..... 4th Class**

**Population (est. 2016) ..... 2,010**

**Founded ..... 1884**

204 E. Washington Ave. • P.O. Box 798

Richland, MO 65556

www.richlandmo.info

Council meets every 3rd Tues., 6 p.m.

Phone: (573) 765-4421

Fax: (573) 765-5750

Office Hours: 7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., M-F

Mayor: Eldon Haun

Clerk/City Collector: Susan Alexander

Email: salexander@richlandmo.info

### Aldermen:

Jacob Gormley

Deran John Durant

Ronda Workman-Massey

Kandy Murphy

David L. Bohannon

DawnElyn Schneider

City Attorney/Prosecutor: Cary Hansen

Finance Officer/Treasurer: Teri McDaniel

Municipal Judge: Ernest Tanner

Court Clerk: Joyce Henson

Police Chief/Marshal: Gary Bates

Fire Chief: Rick Hobbs

Public Works Director: Steve Alexander

**St. Robert ..... 4th Class**

**Population (est. 2016) ..... 5,396**

**Founded ..... October 15, 1851**

194 Eastlawn Ave. #A St. Robert, MO 65584

Council meets 1st, 3rd Tues., 5 p.m.

Phone: (573) 451-2000

Fax: (636) 216-6074

Email: asmith@saintrobert.com

www.saintrobert.com

Office Hours: 8 a.m.-5p.m., M-F

Mayor: Dr. George A. Lauritson

Clerk: Amy Smith

### Aldermen:

Dr. Charles V. Slides Jr.  
 Allan Johannsen  
 Reggie Hall  
 John Moore  
 Theresa Cook  
 Michael Myers  
 Todd Williams  
 Linda Daniels  
 Interim City Administrator: Anita Ivey  
 Interim City Attorney: Tyce Smith  
 Finance Officer: Edna Givins  
 Interim City Collector: Edna Givins  
 Mun. Judge: Ernest Tanner  
 Police Chief: Curtis Curenton  
 Fire Chief: Mike Shempert  
 Land Use Administrator: Jerome Gordon  
 Public Works Director: Steve Long  
 Transfer & Recycling: Jay Whittaker  
**Waynesville ..... 3rd Class**  
**Population (est. 2016)..... 5,297**  
**Founded .....1833**  
 100 Tremont Center Waynesville, MO 65583  
 www.waynesvillemo.org  
 Council meets 3rd Thur., 5:30 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 774-6171  
 Fax: (573) 774-5647  
 Email : cadmin@waynesvillemo.org  
 Office Hours: 8 a.m.-5 p.m., M-F  
 Mayor: Luge Hardman  
 Clerk: Michele Brown  
 mbrown@waynesvillemo.org  
 Treasurer/Finance Director/Collector:  
   Stephanie Leuthen  
 Councilmen:  
   Sheryl Folkert  
   Jerry Brown  
   Clarence Liberty  
   Cecil Davis  
   Ed Conley  
   Alan Clark  
   Mike Curtis  
   Mike France  
 City Admin./Safety Officer: Bruce Harrill  
 City Attorney/Prosecutor: Ralph Muxlow  
 Municipal Judge: David Lowe  
 City Court Administrator: Lesa Helm  
 Police Chief/Marshall: Dan Cordova  
 Fire Chief/EMD: Doug Yurecko  
 Public Works Director/Airport Manager:  
   Mitch McDonald  
 City Engineer: John Doyle  
 Street Supt.: Brian Adams  
 Water/Sewer Supt.: Jack Eldredge  
 Electric Supt.: Daniel Sheldon  
 Solid Waste Manager: Tracey York  
 Parks & Rec: Randy Brown  
 Code Admin./Land Use Admin./Building  
 Inspector: Nathan Carmon

## Washington County

**Population (est. 2016).....25,002**  
**Founded ..... August 21, 1813**  
 Courthouse  
 102 N. Missouri Potosi, MO 63664  
 www.washingtoncountymo.us  
 Commission: meets each Mon. 9 a.m.  
 Phone: (573) 438-6111 Ext. 7704 - Clerk  
 Fax: (573) 438-4038  
 Office Hours: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. M-F  
 Commissioners:  
   Presiding—Marvin Wright  
   Associates:—Doug Short & Cody Brinley  
 County Clerk: Jeanette Allen  
 Email: jallen@washcomo.us  
 Assessor: Debbie Summers  
 Circuit Clerk: Patti Boyer  
 Recorder: Pam Blair  
 Collector: Carla Zettler  
 Treasurer: Phyllis Long  
 Prosecuting Attorney: Josh Hedgecorth  
 Sheriff: Zach Jacobsen  
 Associate Circuit Judge: Troy Hyde  
 24th Circuit Judge Div. 1: Sandy Martinez  
 24th Circuit Judge Div. 2: Wendy Horn  
 Coroner: Brian Declue  
 Public Administrator: Beverly Boyer  
 County Surveyor: Tim Daugherty  
 EMD: Doris Coffman  
 911 Director: William Goad  
 Health Admin: Nicholas Hughey  
 Road/Bridge: Mike Eye & Greg Horton  
**Caledonia..... Village**  
**Population (est. 2016).....195**  
**Founded .....1819**  
 P. O. Box 100 • 218 S. State Hwy 21  
 Caledonia, MO 63631  
 caledoniainmo.org  
 Phone: (573) 779-3492  
 Fax: (573) 779-1213  
 email: city029@centurytel.net  
 Council meets 3rd Mon., 7 p.m.  
 Office Hours: Mon. 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Wed. &  
 Fri. 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
 Mayor: John Robinson III  
 Village Secretary/Clerk: Debra Bay  
 Trustees:  
   Debra Bay  
   Pat Sims  
   John Lucas  
   Nina Gilliam  
 Office Manager: Lillian Moses  
 Public Works Director: Michael Green  
 Attorney: Benjamin Campbell  
**Irondale..... 4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016).....420**  
**Founded .....1858**  
 P.O. Box 53 Irondale, MO 63648  
 Council meets 3rd Thurs., 7 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 749-3223

Fax: (573) 749-3340  
 Email: irondale@centurytel.net  
 Office Hours: Mon. - Thurs., 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
 Mayor: Doris Keim  
 Clerk: Amanda Shelton  
 Aldermen:  
   Fredrick Williams  
   Paula Forrester  
   Courtney Smith  
   Tommy Pulliam  
 City Attorney: Chris Wynes  
 Water/Street/Waste Supt.: Patrick Forrester  
 Fire Chief: Ryan Hardy  
**Mineral Point..... Village**  
**Population (est. 2016)..... 457**  
**Founded .....1858**  
 701 State St. • Box 127 Mineral Point, MO 63660  
 Phone: (573) 438-3487  
 Council meets 1st Wed., 4:30 p.m.  
 Chairperson: John W. Taylor  
 Clerk/Treasurer: Sharon Galore  
 Trustees:  
   Kenny Cook  
   Mary Taylor  
 Water/Sewer Manager: Paula Williams  
 Attorney/Prosecutor: Eric Harris  
 Building Inspector: Kenny Cook  
**Potosi ..... 4th Class**  
**Population (est. 2016).....2,661**  
**Founded .....1826**  
 121 East High Street Potosi, MO 63664  
 potosicity.com  
 Council meets 1st Mon., 7:00 p.m.  
 Phone: (573) 438-2767  
 Fax: (573) 438-7008  
 Office Hours: 7:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m., M-F  
 Mayor: T.R. Dudley  
 trdudley@potosicityhall.org  
 City Clerk/Collector: Roger P. Coleman  
 Aldermen:  
   Wayne Malugen  
   James Harvey  
   Mary Pat West  
   Elmer Akers  
 Attorney: Ric Harris  
 Prosecutor: Chris J. Wynes  
 Police Chief: Michael Gum  
 Fire Chief: Roger LaChance  
 Public Works Director/Safety Officer/Parks &  
 Rec: Jeff Benson  
 Water/Sewer Supt.: Dave Douglas  
 Street Supt.: William Heddy  
 Natural Gas Supt.: Sam Johnson  
 Building Inspector/Code Officer: Dennis Hill  
 Municipal Judge: Tony Dorsett  
 Court Clerk: Regena Zimmerman  
 EMD: Doris Coffman  
 Finance Director: Debbie Jacobsen  
 Airport Manager: Patrick Campbell



## Staff & Service Awards

The MRPC board has been presenting employees with service awards at the annual dinner since 1992.

### Five years:

- 1992 Barbara Bohley
- 1992 Betty Henry
- 1992 Behshid Marcellus
- 1992 Allan Satterfield
- 1993 Elaine Cloyd
- 1994 Jean Hentzel
- 1995 Tammy Rigsby
- 1996 Bonnie Prigge
- 1996 Barbara Durnin
- 1997 Angie Breeding
- 1997 Tammy Snodgrass
- 1999 Rick Bailey
- 1999 Connie Willman
- 2000 Sherry Wheeler
- 2000 Linda Loughridge
- 2003 Chuck Cantrell
- 2003 Donna Hanger
- 2003 Peggy John
- 2004 Janet Metzger
- 2004 Kelly Sink-Blair
- 2005 Linda Hollandsworth
- 2006 Nongluk Tunyavanich
- 2007 Candace Connell
- 2008 Lesley Bennish
- 2008 Larry Blevins
- 2008 Cheryl Dupes

- 2011 Maria Kardon
- 2011 Jodie Branson
- 2012 Amy McMillen
- 2012 Teri Smith
- 2012 Lisa Warnke
- 2012 Kris Copenhaver
- 2013 Tonya Price
- 2015 Jane Dolan

### Ten years:

- 1992 Richard Cavender
- 1992 Betty Riggs
- 1992 Teresa Tyler
- 1992 Ruth Whitaker
- 1994 Allan Satterfield
- 1997 Behshid Marcellus
- 1998 Elaine Cloyd
- 2000 Tammy Rigsby
- 2001 Bonnie Prigge
- 2002 Angie (Breeding) Kraft
- 2002 Tammy Snodgrass
- 2004 Connie Willman
- 2005 Linda Loughridge
- 2008 Chuck Cantrell
- 2010 Linda Hollandsworth
- 2010 Kelly Sink-Blair
- 2013 Cheryl Dupes

- 2013 Lesley Bennish
- 2013 Larry Blevins
- 2016 Jodie Branson
- 2016 Maria Bancroft

### Fifteen years:

- 1994 Richard Cavender
- 1994 Ruth Whitaker
- 1995 Betty Riggs
- 1996 Teresa Tyler
- 2003 Elaine Cloyd
- 2003 Behshid Marcellus
- 2005 Tammy Rigsby
- 2006 Bonnie Prigge
- 2007 Tammy Snodgrass
- 2009 Connie Willman
- 2010 Linda Loughridge
- 2013 Chuck Cantrell
- 2015 Linda Hollandsworth
- 2015 Kelly Sink-Blair
- 2018 Larry Blevins

### Twenty years:

- 1999 Richard Cavender
- 1999 Ruth Whitaker
- 2000 Betty (Riggs) Ransom
- 2001 Teresa (Tyler) Murdie

- 2008 Elaine Cloyd
- 2008 Behshid Marcellus
- 2010 Tammy Rigsby
- 2011 Bonnie Prigge
- 2012 Tammy Snodgrass
- 2014 Connie Willman
- 2015 Linda Loughridge
- 2018 Chuck Cantrell

### Twenty-five years:

- 2004 Richard Cavender
- 2004 Ruth Whitaker
- 2006 Teresa (Tyler) Murdie
- 2013 Elaine Cloyd
- 2015 Tammy Rigsby
- 2016 Bonnie Prigge
- 2017 Tammy Snodgrass

### Thirty years:

- 2009 Richard Cavender
- 2009 Ruth Whitaker
- 2011 Teresa (Tyler) Murdie
- 2018 Elaine Cloyd

### Thirty-Five years:

- 2016 Teresa (Tyler) Murdie

## Employee of the Year Award

In 1995, MRPC staff began honoring a fellow staff member for his or her overall performance, productivity, service and dedication to the organization with an Employee of the Year Award. Staff selects the recipient of the award, which is presented at the Annual Dinner in October.

- 1995 Bonnie J. Prigge
- 1996 Angela (Breeding) Kraft
- 1997 Linda (Michel) Loughridge
- 1998 Connie Willman
- 1999 Ruth Whitaker
- 2000 Janet Metzger
- 2001 Donna Hanger
- 2002 Linda Hollandsworth
- 2003 Kelly Sink-Blair
- 2004 Larry Blevins
- 2005 Teresa (Tyler) Murdie
- 2006 Richard Cavender
- 2007 Tammy Snodgrass
- 2008 Cheryl Dupes
- 2009 Lesley Bennish
- 2010 Jodie Branson
- 2011 Elaine Cloyd
- 2012 Tammy Rigsby
- 2013 Tammy Snodgrass
- 2014 Maria Bancroft
- 2015 Lyle Thomas
- 2016 Chuck Cantrell
- 2017 Ryan Dunwoody

## Lender of the Year Award

Each year, Meramec Regional Development Corp. selects a Lender of the Year, based on participation with MRDC loan programs, job creation and investments.

- 2007 - Town & Country Bank
- 2008 - Town & Country Bank
- 2009 - Phelps County Bank
- 2010 - First Community National Bank
- 2011 - First Community National Bank
- 2012 - Phelps County Bank
- 2013 - Maries County Bank
- 2014 - Maries County Bank
- 2015 - First State Community Bank
- 2016 - Maries County Bank
- 2017 - First State Community Bank

### 2017 Lender of the Year

First State Community Bank received the Community Lender of the Year Award at the 2017 MRPC Annual Dinner held in Salem. Donald Thompson, president of FSCB, accepted the award on behalf of the bank. Presenting the award was MRPC Chairman Ray Schwartz, left, and Darlene Weber, MRDC Chairman on right.



## 2017 Volunteer Award Winners

Dr. Ted Ziske of Salem was awarded Meramec Regional Planning Commission's (MRPC) Eugene E. Northern award, the highest award honor, for his dedication to his community during the 2017 Annual Dinner and Awards Program held at the Salem Community Center @ the Armory.

Each year, MRPC honors residents of the eight-county Meramec Region like Dr. Ziske who volunteer their time, talents and support to their communities and charitable causes.

Dr. Ziske was a World War II Navy Veteran, who served the Salem area since 1954 as a dentist - never retiring. Throughout his career, Dr. Ziske was instrumental in establishing dental care to Dent County and surrounding areas. He was active in the Ozark Dental Society, served 15 years on the Salem R-80 School Board, served three terms

on the Board of Salem Memorial Hospital and was an active member in the Salem Rotary Club. In the early 1960s, Dr. Ziske was inspired to build a dam on Spring Creek, which helped create the Shawnee Mac Lake area east of Salem. After decades of service to the Salem community, Dr. Ziske passed in February of 2018.

Others honored include: Henry and Mary Wansing of Vienna, Sean Wilson of Waynesville, Neil Richards (Posthumously) of Potosi, and Bill Reynolds of Loose Creek.

One organizations honored for their contributions to its communities was the Ya Ya's of Belle and Harold Selby of St. James was honored as an outstanding local agency representative.

Youth volunteers honored were: Maxwell Butler of Vichy, Tyler Roberds of Meta and Baylee Bilyeu of Salem.

## Eugene E. Northern Award Recipients

Eugene E. Northern was a judge in the 25th Circuit Court of Missouri. He practiced law in Rolla and served as Rolla city attorney for 20 years. Prior to becoming a judge, Northern served as mayor of Rolla in the 1960s and was a candidate for Congress in 1968. Judge Northern dedicated a lot of time to public service and went above and beyond the normal duties of the job.

As circuit judge, Northern established a juvenile division in the court system. His community contributions were directed toward young children, the law and law enforcement. He was dedicated to helping others. In 1983, by recognizing the late Judge Northern's efforts, the MRPC began a tradition of honoring an individual who possessed the commitment and dedication of Eugene E. Northern.

Circuit Judge Eugene E. Northern – (Posthumous) – 1983

Jess Zink of Rolla – 1984

Mary Brewer of Salem – 1985

Jack Masters of Salem – 1986

Phil Askey of Salem – 1987

Richard L. Terrill Bland – 1988

Duane Rogers of Rolla – 1989

Ike Skelton, U.S. Representative – 1989

Howard C. Higgenbotham of Potosi – 1990

Christopher Bond, U.S. Senator – 1991

Micka Sue Jarvis of Potosi – 1992

Milford Winter of Owensville – 1993

Emma Lou Brent of Rolla – 1994

John Z. Williams of Rolla – 1995

William "Bill" Stoltz of Rolla – 1996

Lawrence Shipp of Washington County –

1997

Gerald "Jerry" Craig of Salem – 1998

H. Dain Ward of Rolla – 1999

Dr. Robert L. Chapman of Rolla – 2000

Larry Edwards of Salem – 2001

Robert J. Stoltz of Rolla – 2001

Lawrence C. George of Rolla – 2002

John H. Klebba of Linn – 2003

Dr. Terry and Paula Brewer of Rolla – 2004

Don Lenauer of Owensville – 2004

John Britton of Steelville – 2005

James Symmonds of Linn – 2006

Libby Sanders of Salem – 2007

Honorable Judge Ralph Haslag of Rolla –

2008

George Barnitz of Lake Spring – 2009

John A. Klebba of Linn – 2010

James Coffman of Salem – 2011

Paul Corbett of Waynesville – 2012

Richard Huse – 2013

Lesa Mizell of Cuba – 2014

Ted Day of Rolla – 2015

Betty Hartbauer of Hermann – 2016

Dr. Ted Ziske of Salem – 2017

## Community Service/Volunteer Award Recipients

Debra Adkins of St. Robert 2008

Mark Akers of Washington County -

1995

Muriel Akers of Caledonia - 1988

Joe Alexander - 1997

Taylor Allen of Freeburg - 2009

Tim Allen of Caledonia - 2009

Jay Anderson of Salem - 2010

Tina Anderson of Rolla - 1990

Laura Antolak of Rolla - 2015

Chris Arand of Hermann - 1989

Sally Arft of Salem - 1989

Laura Arrington of St. Robert - 2006

Linda Armstrong of Bourbon - 2001

Phil Askey of Salem - 1987

Imogene Avery of St. James - 1993

Charles Bade of Owensville - 2005

Dottie Bagnall - 1997

Evelyn Baker of Phelps County - 1998

Edward Barger of Caledonia - 2000

Roy Bassett of Vienna - 1984

Doug Barnes of Dent County - 1995

Bob Barnett of Newburg - 1995

Nick Barrack of Rolla - 2011

John L. Baxter of Bland - 2006

Terry Beck of Irondale - 1995

Charles Beers of Maries County - 1998

Carol Bennett of Phelps County - 2014

Harley Bialczyk of Belle - 2015

Roger Bilderback, Potosi Alderman -

1981

Baylee Bilyeu of Salem - 2017

Adam Birdsong of Rolla - 2010

Tami Bobbitt of Bourbon - 2001

Rita Boero of Bourbon - 1989

Mary Bonham of St. James

(Posthumous) - 1984

Virginia Kroner Bonham of St. James -

1994

Randy Booth of Rolla - 1988

Jim & Diane Boulware of Salem - 2010

Matt Bramel of Doolittle - 2011

Albert Bray Jr. of Maries County - 1998

Alice Bremer of Bourbon - 1987

Randy & Cathy Bremer of Bourbon - 2000

Norma Bretz of Cuba - 2005

Al Britton, Potosi - 1985

Gary Brown of Salem - 2015

George Brown of Cuba - 1994

Debra & John Brummet of Crawford

County - 1991

Joe Brune, Chairman, Maries County

IDA - 1983

Terry Bruno of Lenox - 2009

Wanda Bunch of Linn - 2006

Byron Burke of Lenox - 2009

Juanita Butler of Vichy - 2009

Maxwell Butler of Vichy - 2017

Dana Campbell of Sullivan - 2005

Sharon Campbell of Hermann - 1996

Carol Carson of Dixon - 2009

Don Chaney of Phelps County - 1995

Jennifer Chymiak of Cuba - 1997

Les Clark of Maries County - 2003

Linda Claycomb of Linn - 2005

Tom Coffey of Vienna - 1986

Cathy Coffman of St. Mary's Home - 2008

James Coffman of Salem - 2011

Genelle Cole of Potosi - 1994

Esther Collier of Belle - 1990

Theresa Cook of St. Robert - 2010

Jay Copeland of Owensville - 2011

Joe & Madeline Copeland of Vienna - 1985

Bill and Judy Crede of Westphalia - 2007

Joe Clay Crum, Maries County Clerk - 1985

Cherri Crump of Rolla - 1992

Wayne Crump, State Representative - 1986

John Danforth, U.S. Senator - 1983

Bob Darr of Salem - 1990

R. Timothy Daughtery of Potosi - 2000

James L. Decker of Bland - 1988 & 2011

Sue Delmont of Salem - 1994

Russell Dessieux, Potosi Mayor - 1986

Leo Dickey of Belgrade - 2016

Louis J. Donati of St. James - 1987

Bob Douglas of St. James - 1985

Edward L. Dudley of Salem - 2000

James Duncan of Vienna - 1992

Gerald Ebker of Gasconade County - 1998  
 Marie Lucille Edgar of Potosi - 2001  
 Callie Ellis of Belle - 2013  
 Larry Ellis of Belle - 2010  
 Peggy Emde of Owensville - 2004  
 Bill Emerson, U. S. Representative - 1983 & 1986  
 1438th Engineering Co. (National Guard) - 1982  
 Norbert Englert of Hermann - 2006  
 Don Ertle of Phelps County - 2001  
 Dorothy Felden of Jadwin - 1991  
 Martha Fenewald of Westphalia - 2001  
 Duane Fennewald of Westphalia - 2010  
 Ken Fiebelman, State Representative - 1985  
 Willard Finn of Vienna - 1987  
 James Forinash of Irondale - 1990  
 Vicki Frazier of St. James - 2009  
 Bill Freeman of Steelville - 1992  
 Betty Frink of Steelville - 2010  
 Donald J. Fuchs, DDS, of Cuba - 1993  
 Gasconade Valley Medical Corp. - 1981  
 Kati George of Bourbon - 2013  
 Gingerbread House - 1982  
 Nancy Glore of Potosi - 1989  
 Jay Gourley of Hermann - 1987  
 Gerald "Jerry" Craig of Salem - 1998  
 Alta Grayson of Steelville - 1991  
 Carol Green of Rolla - 1997  
 Jewell Grogan of Salem - 1991  
 George & Liz Gruendel of Salem - 2005  
 Rosemary Gruver of Steelville - 2015  
 Judith (Judy) Guffey of Cuba - 1997  
 Kevin Guffey of Belle - 2000  
 Barbara M. Gum of Washington Co. - 1999  
 Don Gummersheimer of Steelville - 2004  
 B.L. "Doc" Halbert, Crawford County Pres. Comm. (Posthumous) - 1983  
 Davis R. Haas of Rolla - 1996  
 James Hagale, Springfield - 1984  
 Earl Halbert of Steelville - 2001  
 Erin Hamby of Salem - 2007  
 Ava Hamilton of Cuba - 1995  
 Linda Hance of Doolittle - 2002  
 Mary Happel of Salem - 2005  
 Zach Happel of Salem - 2006  
 Floyd Harris of Rolla - 1996  
 Jeannie Hedge of Rolla - 1991  
 Jim Helton of Vienna - 1992  
 Vernon "Sonny" and Robin Helton of Brinktown - 2013  
 Jean Henderson of Vienna - 1990  
 Herbert Henley of Belle - 1991  
 Arthur C. Henry Sr. of Doolittle - 1988  
 Mary Heywood of Bourbon - 1995  
 Howard C. Higginbotham of Potosi - 1990  
 Kenny Highley of Crawford County - 2014  
 Jaime Hodson of Maries County - 1995  
 David D. Hoffman Jr. of Richwoods - 2013  
 Ronald Hoffman of Linn - 2016  
 Carol Hofstetter of Bourbon - 2016  
 Linda Hollingshead of Potosi - 1990  
 Tiffany Horsefield of Cuba - 1999  
 Jay Horton of Irondale - 2013  
 Faye Howard of Cuba - 2007 & 2014  
 Gail Howard of Vienna - 1988  
 Lane Howard of Lecom - 2010  
 Kelly Johnston Howley of Waynesville - 2013  
 Richard Hudson of Hermann - 1992  
 Kathryn Hunt of Salem - 2008  
 Richard Huse of Belle - 2011  
 William T. "Bill" Huskey, Phelps County Clerk (Posthumous) - 1984  
 Mozelle Hutchinson of Vienna - 1988  
 Carolyn Isgriggs of Bourbon - 2013  
 Micka Sue Jarvis of Potosi - 1992  
 Randy Jett of Belle - 2003  
 Seth John of Vienna - 2015  
 Douglas Johnson of Kansas City - 1992  
 George Johnson of Hermann - 1997  
 Caitlin Jones of Owensville - 2003  
 Jamie Jones of Vienna - 2015  
 Shirley Kaiser of Belle - 2007  
 Dustin Kallmeyer of Hermann - 2001  
 Joy Kallmeyer of Hermann - 1993  
 Samantha Kelley of St. Robert - 2008  
 Jan Keepes of Rolla - 1989  
 Jacob Kettner of Salem - 2011  
 William Kickbusch of Phelps County - 1998  
 Robert Kirchhofer of Hermann - 1984  
 C.G. "Pete" Kirgan of Phelps County Commission - 1984  
 John H. Klebba of Linn - 1993  
 Tom Klos of Hermann - 1991  
 Mayor John Koch of Cuba - 2003  
 Lori Knox of Irondale - 1992  
 Forrest Koch, U.S. Economic Development - 1981  
 Carma Labbee of Potosi - 2016  
 Becky Lakaner of Steelville - 2004  
 Deborlee Marie Land of Salem - 1999  
 Robert Landwehr of Owensville - 1996  
 Chip Lange of Cuba - 2006  
 Marilyn Lansberry of St. James - 1993  
 Dan Lashley of Caledonia - 1992  
 Betty Layman of Crocker - 2016  
 Robert Layman of Crocker - 2014  
 Ronnie Layman of Crocker - 2012  
 Robert Letcher, Washington Co. IDA - 1983  
 Patsy Leubbert of Westphalia - 2011  
 Donald Lewis of Belgrade - 2002  
 Kurt J. Lewis of Belle - 1999  
 Anton Libbert of Meta - 2005  
 John Lucas of Caledonia - 2008  
 Marv Luten of St. Robert - 2006  
 Mike Lybyer, State Senator - 1986  
 Warren Malugen of Potosi - 2013  
 Chris Mathes of Dent County - 2014  
 Jerry McBride, State Representative - 1982  
 James McCaul of Potosi - 1986  
 Mark McClane of Belle - 2016  
 Janice McClintock of Irondale - 1996  
 Maddie McDonald of Waynesville - 2014  
 Michel McKinney of Belle - 1994  
 Bob McKune of Rolla - 1991  
 Lucille Mannering of Rolla - 1993  
 Joe Manetzke of Washington Co. - 1998  
 Billy Martin of Doolittle - 1994  
 Bill Marshall of St. James/Rolla - 2005  
 Susan Marshall of St. Robert - 2007  
 Bob May of Phelps County - 1998  
 Josiah Melzer of Maries County - 2014  
 Sharon Meusch of Rolla - 1990  
 Stacey Middleton of Washington Co. - 2004  
 Bill Miller of Maries County - 2001  
 Merrie Miller of Rolla - 1993  
 Mickey Miloradovich of Cuba - 1992  
 Lesa Mizell of Cuba - 2013  
 Nancy Moenster of Salem, 2006  
 Charles Moon of Hermann - 1989  
 Kenneth & LaVaunne Moore of Maries County - 1994  
 Martin (Marty) Moreland Jr. of Vichy - 1997  
 Mayor Ray Mortimeyer of Cuba - 1987  
 Mayor Ruth Mullnack of Salem - 1983 & 1986  
 Les Murdock of Cuba - 2004  
 C. Dale Murphy of Crawford Co. - 1998  
 James A. Myers of Rolla - 2003, 2015  
 Toni Nichols of Crocker - 2006  
 Al Nilges, State Representative - 1981 & 1986  
 Don Olds of Rolla - 2006  
 Roger Olney of Waynesville - 2008  
 George E. Ornsbey of Newburg - 2002  
 Owensville Chamber of Commerce - 1981  
 Owensville IDA - 1981  
 Owensville Mayor and Board of Aldermen - 1981  
 Owensville M.O.B. (Making Owensville Better) - 2016  
 Cecil Penland of Crocker - 2010  
 Jerry Perkins of Belle - 2002  
 Planters of Pulaski County Garden Club - 2015  
 Joyce Peterson of Crocker - 2007  
 Phelps County Regional Medical Center - 1981  
 Stan Podorski of Salem - 2008  
 Lois Pohl, Office of Administration - 1984  
 Sharon Powell of Rolla - 1988  
 Potosi/Washington County Chamber of Commerce - 2015  
 Tonya Price of Belle - 2006  
 Roger Pruett of Maries County - 2014  
 Rick Prugh of Salem - 1987  
 Pulaski Young Marines of Waynesville - 2016  
 Marsha Ray of Rolla - 2003  
 Bill Reynolds of Loose Creek - 2017  
 Hal Rhea of St. James - 1989  
 Harvey Richards of Steelville - 2005  
 Kris Richards of Potosi - 2014  
 Neil Richards of Potosi - 1990, 2017 (Posthumously)  
 Tyler Richter of Steelville - 2005  
 Tyler Roberts of Meta - 2017  
 Therese Roberson of Vienna - 2008  
 Kittie Robertson of Rolla - 2006  
 Dennis Roedemeier of Cuba - 1985  
 Curt Rowden of Maries County - 2002  
 Harold Rowden of Maries County - 1996  
 Terri Rowden of Leasburg - 2009  
 Joe Sadowski of Caledonia - 1999  
 Libby Sanders of Salem - 2007  
 Larry Salvater of Crocker - 2011  
 David Sassmann of Belle - 1996  
 Bruce Sassmann of Bland - 1991  
 Jan Sassmann of Belle-Bland - 2015  
 Jeff Schaeperkoetter, State Representative - 1983  
 Sharon Schafer of Salem - 2001  
 Barb Schaller of Belle - 2016  
 Carla Schnelt of St. James - 1985  
 Mandi Scheulen of Loose Creek - 2006  
 Nikki Scheulen of Loose Creek - 2010  
 Wally Schuette, President, Central Ozarks Development, Inc. - 1982  
 Pam Schroeder of Potosi - 2006  
 A.J. Schwartz of Osage Co. - 1999  
 Arthur Schweighauser of Gasconade County - 1986  
 Harold Selby of St. James - 2017  
 Ralph Sellenschutter of Hermann - 1988  
 Larry Sensintaffer of Salem - 2013  
 George Showalter of Potosi - 1984  
 Dorothy Shrader of Hermann - 1985  
 Josh Sirois of Salem - 2016  
 Matt Sirois of Salem - 2013  
 Anton Skouby of Maries County - 2001  
 Charles T. Smallwood of St. James - 1988  
 Justin Smith of Crocker - 2013  
 Lucie Smith, Phelps County Clerk - 1986  
 Marilyn J. Smith of Caledonia - 1990  
 Dwane Smith of Belle - 1995  
 Zelma Smith of Phelps County - 1987  
 South Central Regional Veterans' Group based out of Rolla - 2013  
 Theresa Specklas of Westphalia - 2001  
 Anne Springer of Bourbon - 2011  
 Charles Stacey of Salem - 1988  
 Danny Staples, State Senator - 1992  
 Ron Stephens of Potosi - 1991  
 Neal Stevens of Rolla - 1990  
 Robert B. Stoltz of Rolla - 1989  
 Willard & Flora Tayloe of Owensville - 2003  
 John R. Taylor of Steelville - 2007  
 Ronnie Terrill of Maries County - 1999  
 Robert & Mary Jane Tessaro of St. James - 2008  
 Mark Thibeault of Jerome - 2003  
 Evan Thierry of Belle - 2016  
 Gretchen Thompson of Rolla - 1987  
 Leroy Tipton of Vichy - 1993  
 Lowell Tonding of Maries County - 2002  
 Merrill Townley, State Representative - 1984  
 Steven Townley, Dept. of Natural Resources - 1989  
 Tanya Turnbough of Owensville - 2007  
 Robert N. (Bob) Turner of Belgrade - 2002  
 Wilma Turner of Salem - 1995  
 Patrick Unroe of Owensville - 1994  
 Kent Van Landuyt of Eldon - 2008  
 Robert (Bob) J. Vinyard of Caledonia - 2015  
 Steve Vogt of Belle - 2004  
 Bill and Bernice Voss of Linn - 2004  
 Henry & Mary Wansing of Vienna - 2017  
 Jennifer Warren of Osage County - 2004  
 Washington County Community Partnership of Potosi - 2011  
 Waynesville Animal Shelter Volunteers - 2014  
 Waynesville Downtown Beautification Committee - 2007  
 Jim Weaver of Washington County - 2002  
 Darlene Weber of Potosi - 2009  
 Keith Wedge of Rolla - 1986  
 Lauren Weiberg of Vienna - 2011  
 Bernard & Jan Wenzel of Meta - 2011  
 Shirley Westerman of Crawford County - 2001  
 Alicia White of Rolla - 2005  
 Charlotte Wiggins of Rolla - 2005  
 John Wiggins, Prosecuting Atty., Phelps Co. - 1987  
 Jimmy Dale Williams of Rolla - 1992  
 Judy Williams of Phelps County - 1998  
 Todd Williams of St. Robert - 2006  
 Bob Wilson of St. James - 1983  
 John Wilson of Osage County - 2004  
 Sean Wilson of Waynesville - 2017  
 Lorena Wissmann of Bourbon - 1988  
 June Withers, Maries County Deputy Clerk (Posthumous) - 1989  
 Jerry Wolfe of Linn - 2008  
 Deloris Gray Wood of Dent County - 1996  
 Sharon W. Wulff of Vienna - 2008  
 Hunter Wyss of Vienna - 2013  
 Ya Ya's of Belle - 2017  
 Patricia Young of Doolittle - 2005  
 Sierra Zeiss of Steelville - 2015



# 2017 Volunteer Award Recipients

## *Thank you for helping our communities thrive!*



Front Row: Maxwell Butler, Frankie Hicks, Contessa Ridenhour, Cindy Butler, Kathleen Richards, Kris Richards, Shelly Schweer, Brooke Ridenhour and Cherri Marquart. Back Row: Harold Selby, Sean Wilson, Baylee Bilyeu, Mary and Henry Wansing, Bill Reynolds, Tyler Roberds, and Don Thompson. Standing in front of Thompson is Sarah Swindell, the daughter of Dr. Ted Ziske



Volunteers from across the Meramec Region were honored Oct. 26, 2017 during MRPC Annual Dinner at the Salem Community Center @ the Armory. Those recognized (above) included: Tyler Roberds, Harold Selby, Sean Wilson, Baylee Bilyeu, Mary and Henry Wansing, Bill Reynolds, Maxwell Butler, Neil Richards (posthumously) and the Ya Ya's of Belle. Dr. Ted Ziske, 91, was awarded the Eugene Northern award at the 2017 award ceremony. Sarah Swindell accepted the award for her father, Dr. Ted Ziske, who left the dinner early so he could watch "Walker, Texas Ranger." Left: Dent County Presiding Commissioner Darrell Skiles poses with Dr. Ziske. Skiles nominated Dr. Ziske for the award. Dr. Ziske was quite honored by the award as he knew Judge Northern.

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- Cleaner, healthier and safer communities;
- Greater socio-economic wealth through community and economic development; and
- A stronger, unified voice in the legislative process