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## FROM THE DIRECTOR

As we wrap up another year here at the Regional Council, we continue to battle with the "Coronavirus pandemic" that has struck our nation. Our agency was closed to the public for most of the year but opened back up to the public in mid-March by appointments only. Zoom, WebEx, and Teams continues to be offered for meetings held with our local, State and Federal partners as well as in-person.

Following is a brief overview of what our agency has accomplished over the past year: Our agency provided technical assistance to several of our counties in the administration of the CARES Act Coronavirus Relief Fund that was signed into law by past President Donald J. Trump in March 2020 for related costs to small businesses and non-profits. On March 11, 2021, President Joe Biden signed the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 into law. The \$1.9 trillion package is intended to combat the COVID-19 pandemic, including the public health and economic impacts. Currently, we are working with our communities on the first step to receive these funds. The first of a two -year EDA CARES Act Recovery Assistance grant was completed. The focus was on talent, infrastructure, entrepreneurship, business retention and expansion, and recruitment to assist the region in recovery and greater resiliency. We will continue working on the second part of this recovery grant in FY22. Request for Proposals to apply for Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Title I Adult/Dislocated Worker Services and the One Stop Operator were released in April. The announcement that both proposals were funded for our region were approved at the June 2022 Northwest Workforce Development Board (WDB) meeting. Our agency continues to assist drainage and road districts in Atchison and Holt Counties from the 2019 Flooding event by making the necessary repairs to restore to pre-flood stage. Other grants that are on-going include water, wastewater, streets, bridges and demolition of old dilapidated structures within our region. The Transportation Work Plan was completed and approved for FY22. As roads and bridges are a crucial part of our daily lives, maintaining and constructing new infrastructure is critical to our quality of life and economic competitiveness in the State of Missouri. The passage of the new motor fuel tax will begin in October of this year, and it will help fund essential road and bridge projects all-across the state.

The Regional Council staff looks forward to working with our communities this upcoming year. Thank you for your continued support and membership, and we appreciate the opportunity to serve the northwest Missouri region. Please take a few minutes and browse through our FY '21 Annual Report to learn more about all our programs, projects and achievements that were accomplished this past year. If you require our assistance at any time, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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## **GRANT FUNDED PROJECTS**

<b>GRANT PROJECTS COMPLETED IN FY'21</b>		
PROJECT NAME	GRANT AMOUNT	TOTAL PROJECT
Mound City Bridge Environmental Review—Davis Creek		\$5,000
Nodaway County Environmental Review, Jackson Township—Bridge #3		\$5,000
Worth County Bridge Replacement, Smith Township	\$111,684	\$120,244
Grand Total	\$111,684	\$130,244

CURRENT GRANT PROJECTS		
CDBG GRANTS	GRANT AMOUNT	TOTAL PROJECT
*Albany Wastewater Treatment Facility	\$500,000	\$5,691,052
Elmo Water Tower Improvements-Environmental Review		\$5,000
*Forest City Water Distribution System	\$500,000	\$2,451,440
Gentry County Two Bridge Replacements—Miller Township	\$256,418	\$440,998
**King City Drought-Related Emergency Connection	\$500,000	\$603,439
Mound City—Davis Creek Bridge Replacement	\$500,000	\$803,712
Nodaway County Three Bridge Replacements—Jackson Township	\$427,132	\$533,921
*Oregon Water Distribution System	\$500,000	\$2,415,730
*Parnell Water Distribution System	\$500,000	\$1,971,000
*Stanberry Wastewater Treatment Facility	\$500,000	\$5,000,170
FLOOD PROJECTS		
City of Craig—Replacement Grinder Pumps	\$17,503	\$60,413
Atchison County:		
Benton Drainage District—Debris Removal	\$102,218	\$392,844
Lewis Drainage District—Debris Removal	\$77,565	\$297,751
Mill Creek Drainage District—Debris Removal	\$120,025	\$495,212
Phelps City Special Road District	\$270,436	\$1,021,743
Holt County:		
Big Tarkio Drainage District—Debris Removal	\$93,701	\$359,989
Fortescue Special Roads—Repair & Debris Removal	\$699,727	\$2,689,410
Holt County Roads—Repair & Debris Removal	\$532,346	\$2,039,384
NAP TAX CREDIT PROJECTS		
Northwest Missouri Enterprise Facilitation (operating)	\$70,000	\$100,000
MO DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES		
Nodaway County Courthouse—Preservation Master Plan	\$24,000	\$40,000
FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION (FHWA)		
City of Maryville S. Main Phase 1-BUILD	\$10,488,088	\$13,734,916
Grand Total	\$16,679,159	\$41,148,124

\*Denotes projects that also received USDA funding.

\*\*Denotes project that also received Missouri Department of Natural Resources funding.

### **TRANSPORTATION PLANNING**

The Regional Council continues to serve as the leading voice for regional transportation planning in northwest Missouri, and remains a steadfast supporter and facilitator of communication between MoDOT and the cities and counties of northwest Missouri. In support of regional transportation planning, the Regional Council develops and executes an annual transportation work plan designed to allow local, grassroots input to statewide transportation planning.

To assist with this planning, the Transportation Advisory Committee, or TAC, serves as a standing committee of the Northwest Missouri Regional Council's Board of Directors. The TAC is comprised of elected officials, city and county representatives, and local citizens from the region's five counties, and serves as the heart of local planning efforts. The Committee meets on a quarterly basis, and assists in the identification of regional needs for transportation infrastructure, public education, and safety in MoDOT's Northwest District.

### TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE (TAC) MEMBERS

Atchison County	<b>Nodaway County</b>
Curtis Livengood	Chris Burns
Jeff Meyer	Jack Baldwin
Jim Quimby	Greg McDanel
<b>Gentry County</b>	<b>Worth County</b>
Gary Carlson	Jubal Summers
Mike Sager	Regan Nonneman
Vacant	Jim Fletchall
<b>Holt County</b> Tom Bullock David Carroll Carla Markt	

The Regional Council shares a speed trailer with MoKan and Green Hills RPC's. The speed trailer can be deployed to gather data and assist with traffic calming efforts throughout the region. Additionally, the Regional Council has an Armadillo traffic counter that is a great tool for gathering data as needed on different streets and roads. The Armadillo will generate traffic counts broken down by time



frame. This information is useful during project development and when seeking funding for infrastructure related projects. If your community would

like to use either of these devices, please call Amy at the Regional Council.

For the past 16 years, the Regional Council has served as a leading member of the Northwest Missouri Coalition for Roadway Safety (Blueprint), which strives to decrease the number of deaths and injuries on our roadways. Regional Council staff has helped plan and host multiple roadway safety events at area schools and Northwest Missouri State University.

One of MoDOT's wide-reaching roadway safety programs is Buckle Up Phone Down (BUPD). We encourage everyone to take the BUPD Challenge.

The Challenge is simple: when you get into any vehicle, buckle up your safety belt. If you are a driver, put the cell phone down. Turn it off if you have to. Every trip, every time!



Accept the challenge and challenge a friend, relative, coworker or members of your community to buckle their seat belts and put their phones down while driving. Take the Buckle Up Phone Down Challenge a t h t t p s : / / w w w 2 . m o d o t . o r g / BuckleUpPhoneDown/.

## **SPECIAL PROJECTS**

Hazard Mitigation Planning. Hazard mitigation is the means by which communities, businesses and citizens can reduce the impacts of a disaster by taking action before a hazard event occurs. The first action



necessary to reduce the effects of a disaster is the preparation and implementation of a mitigation strategy presented through a hazard mitigation plan. This effort is completed by coordinating meetings among local elected officials, school district officials, local citizens, and representatives from businesses

and service agencies to review goals, objectives and achievable actions that will address their community's vulnerabilities in the occurrence of a natural disaster. Each FEMA-approved hazard mitigation plan is updated every five years.

**County Plan Updates.** In March 2021, the Regional Council began collaborating with Holt County and Worth County to update their respective County Multijurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plans. Three public meetings have been held in the planning process with

city and county officials, emergency management agencies, school leaders, stakeholders and other interested individuals to update the mitigation strategy. The five-year plan updates



that are underway continue to build on the foundations established in their original plans, focusing on existing and potential mitigation actions that can continue to improve resistance and readiness to natural disasters.

**Great Northwest Wholesale Water Commission.** The Northwest Regional Council continues to provide support to the Great Northwest Wholesale Water Commission, serving as the administrative agent for the



joint municipal utility. This commission seeks to provide wholesale access to abundant drinking water to

the communities of Cameron and Maysville. The Commission is currently in the final stages of acquiring easements for the 36-mile water transmission line along U.S. Highway 36 and Missouri Highway 33, with associated storage and pumping facilities from St. Joseph, Missouri. Missouri American Water in St. Joseph will be the providing utility. This project is being funded by USDA-Rural Development, Grant and Loans.

**604b Water Quality Management Grant.** The Regional Council was awarded a Water Quality Management Grant, also known as a 604(b), on behalf of Graham, Maitland, and Skidmore. The project aims



to determine the feasibility of developing a regional wastewater system in the designated project areas. Snyder & Associates completed the Preliminary Engineering

Reports on each community's wastewater treatment system. They developed a list of options to help the communities determine if a regional wastewater system is a feasible option. The project also included education on wastewater permits and a virtual tour of a neighboring wastewater system to learn about wastewater technology. The Department of Natural Resources funded the project.

BUILD Maryville South Main Corridor Improvement Project. The Maryville South Main Corridor Improvement Project funded by the Federal Highway Administration (\$10.4 million Better Utilizing Investments to Leverage Development or BUILD

grant) was delayed due to bids for the project coming in well above the project estimates. Due to these increased costs, the project scope which originally ran



from South Avenue to U.S. Highway 71 bypass, now will encompass a shorter route from South Avenue to State Route V. This change in scope required a revised agreement to be drafted between the City of Maryville and the Federal Highway Administration which in turn pushed back the original construction start date of March 1, 2021, to October, 2021. The City has contracted with the Regional Council to offer administrative services throughout the project, which is expected to take 12-15 months to complete.

### SOLID WASTE DISTRICT

About the Solid Waste District Region A. The Northwest Missouri Regional Solid Waste Management District ("SWMD"), Region A, serves the same fivecounty region as the Regional Council, providing local communities and governments easy access to waste education technical services. RCOG staff provides



administration, education, and implementation of the Northwest Missouri Regional Solid Waste Management Plan. It is one of 20 Solid Waste Management Districts operating with oversight provided by the Missouri Department of Natural Resources. The SWMD is directed by

local leaders appointed to participate on the Full Council, Executive Board and Advisory Committee. Its goal is to educate and support recycling efforts in our region, and to encourage "reduce, re-use & recycle".

FY '21 Grant Call. Reimbursement grant funds are available each year through a competitive application process. For each grant call, the Advisory Committee reviews the grant applications and makes recommendations to the Executive Board. The Executive Board then evaluates and ranks grant applications to award grant funds for community projects. Eligible projects must address reducing the amount of waste entering the local waste stream and/or facilitating recycling. Funds can be used for various projects, such as to divert waste, create opportunities for recycling, create new market research and development, collect and process compost, and educate about recycling. District grant funds have also been used for outdoor classrooms, recycling education, rubberized track and playground surfaces and recycling business expansion.

One grant call was held for FY '21. Four city/county grant applications were received and all four were approved for funding, with a total of \$57,658.88 awarded. The table on page six shows the status of the grant activity in FY '21.

FY '21 Solid Waste District Highlights. The Northwest Missouri Regional Solid Waste Management District continues to support the growing recycling infrastructure that provides increased availability at the community level of collection bins and a network of collection sites to encourage proper disposal techniques. Funding was provided to support the five county-wide Household Hazardous Waste ("HHW") Collection site. Six HHW collections were held in FY '21, serving 106 residents and diverting over five tons of household hazardous waste from the landfill. The Covid-19 pandemic complicated the planned educational activities and events that were scheduled for this year. Our outreach

programming was revised to virtual delivery format, which allowed for new educational opportunities. Two virtual programs were held, allowing students to engage with recycling and composting experts. A second educational component was added to the program: The "What Do You Know About Recycling" book series along



with coordinating newsletters were provided to each school to promote Reuse, Reduce, Recycle. There was a lot of positive feedback from this book series. These books were then a springboard for an Earth Day challenge facilitated by the Eugene Field Elementary Librarian. In this challenge, students were provided the opportunity to make creations using recyclable materials.

Plan Implementation (PI) funds were also used to plan, coordinate, and host recycling awareness events—showcasing recycling opportunities with community



specific education in ways to recycle, with a focus on reducing contamination to the waste stream. Approximately two Tons of recycling materials were collected during these events.

The Assessment Inventory Report was completed. This is a bi-annual report with local hauler, transfer station, landfill, and

recycling center information. The SWMD Plan, Policy and Bylaws were updated and revised with Board approval.

A Waste Tire Round-up was held for Maryville residents. The Waste Tire Round-up, sponsored by Northwest Missouri Solid Waste Management District and Maryville Carbon Solutions, was successful with 296 tires collected and 35 Maryville residents participated. There was a lot of interest generated around this event and similar events will be planned in the future.

Grant Call for FY '22 was held in April. There were 10 grant applications, including District Operations and Plan Implementation. Due to available funding, the District was able to fund eight of those projects.

### SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT FULL COUNCIL

#### David Carroll, Chairperson

Mackenzie Manring, Secretary/Treasurer

**Atchison County** 

Richard Burke-County Jim Quimby-County Ryan Kingery—Fairfax Sam Lansdown—Rock Port \*Paul Seaman—Tarkio

#### **Gentry County**

Randy Cline—County \*Mike Sager—County \*\*Mackenzie Manring-Albany Don Combe-King City Shanda Parrish-Stanberry

Holt County

\*David Carroll—County Vacant-County Duane Nauman—Mound City \*Richard Wilson—Oregon

**Nodaway County** 

Alex Callow-County Bill Walker—County Dean Kelly-Burlington Jct. \*\*Jack Baldwin—Hopkins Vacant-Maryville

Debbie Roach, Vice Chairperson

#### Worth County Regan Nonneman—County Tyler Paxson—County \*\*\*Debbie Roach—Grant City

#### **Advisory Committee**

Cynthia Pederson-Citizen Dick VanVactor—Citizen Brian Kelly-Solid Waste Industry Diane Higdon-Commercial Generator Shane Baumgart-Commercial Generator

\*Executive Board Member \*\*\*Executive Board Chairman \*\*Executive Board Officer

FY '21 SWMD GRANTS			
RECIPIENT	DESCRIPTION	GRANT AMOUNT	STATUS
Northwest Missouri Regional Council of Governments	A2021-001 District Operations		Closed 7/17/21
Northwest Missouri Regional Council of Governments	A2021-002 Plan Implementation— Educational Events		Closed 7/14/21
Northwest Missouri Regional Council of Governments	A2021-003 Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Collection Site	\$19,500.00	Closed 7/14/21 with carryover of funds.
City of Grant City	A2021-004 Multi-purpose Basketball Court	\$18,350.00	Extension granted to 12/31/21
Northwest Missouri State University	A2021-005 Skid Steer for composting operations on campus	\$19,500.00	Closed 7/14/21
Farmer's Exchange LLC	A2021-006 Recycling Bins at mixed use office/apartment building	\$308.88	Closed 7/14/21







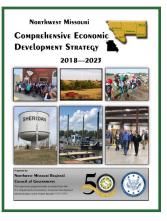




### **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

The Northwest Missouri Regional Council of Government's five-county region is federally recognized by the Department of Commerce-Economic Development Administration (EDA) as an Economic Development District. As part of the

designation, EDA supports the Regional Council with an annual partnership planning investment, which is used to facilitate the development, implementation, and revision of the Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS). The 2018-2023 CEDS was adopted on October 25, 2018. Since the plan's



adoption, the Regional Council, with its partners, has worked on several projects related to document goals to help northwest Missouri grow and continue to prosper.

Historic Preservation. The Regional Council provided grant administration services to the Nodaway County Commission for a Historic Preservation Fund Grant through the Missouri Department of Natural Resources. The Regional Council assisted with the bidding process to procure an architecture firm with experience in historic preservation. The Nodaway County Commission selected Strata Architecture & Preservation in Kansas City, MO. Grant funds were used to hire Strata who completed an evaluation of the courthouse, focusing on the exterior and ADA compliance, and then created a plan to preserve, restore, rehabilitate, and repair the historic Nodaway County Courthouse, which is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The Nodaway County Commission is currently discussing with the Regional Council potential grants to assist with Strata's recommendations.

#### Flood Recovery - L-536 Partial Levee Setback. March 2019 will long be remembered as the start of



historic flooding that still plagues much of Atchison and Holt counties. Missouri River levee L-536, in Atchison County, was breached in 7 locations and significantly damaged. The 70-year-old levee was at risk for future breaches if reconstructed in the same alignment. In consultation with the impacted landowners, the Atchison County Levee District (ACLD) determined that a levee setback was in the best interest of their community now and for future generations. Since November 2019, the Regional Council has been working with ACLD and various federal, state, local and non-profit partners to secure funding to purchase the land needed to construct the levee setback. An application to EDA's Economic Adjustment Assistance Program was submitted in November 2020 to assist with acquiring land on the riverside of the new setback levee. Unfortunately, EDA was unable to fund the project due to limited funding.

Nevertheless, the Regional Council has stayed engaged with the project. The agency's role is to identify other potential grant resources for the project, to assist with developing ideas on how nature-based solutions can be funded

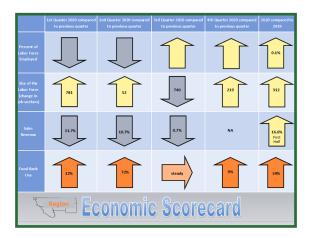
in the future, and to provide a playbook to help other levee districts build or s e t b a c k



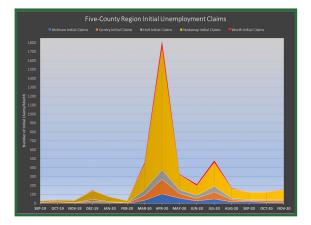
levees through creative partnerships. The L-536 Levee Setback is at full protection height and nearing the end of construction. The land acquisition portion of the project is scheduled to be completed by March 2022.

NCED Workforce Specialist. Nodaway County Economic Development (NCED), the Regional Council, and other entities in Nodaway County have united to help our communities address gaps in labor force participation and increase the supply of skilled workers to meet the growing demand within the regions manufacturing industry. The region historically has a tight labor supply that hampers growth and creates a comparative disadvantage. NCED, with assistance from the Regional Council, applied for an Economic Adjustment Assistance grant to fund a Workforce Specialist position for two years to help diversify the workforce and address the growing need for skilled tradespeople in the region, which will spur economic development. In March 2021, EDA awarded NCED \$99,050 for the project. Currently, NCED is in the process of hiring a Workforce Specialist.

EDA CARES Act-Coronavirus. 2020 will be known to future generations as the year of the pandemic. The Coronavirus, also known as COVID-19, was first reported in Missouri on March 6, 2020. The impacts of the virus on the regional economy are still unknown. The Regional Council was able to secure \$400,000 from EDA CARES funds to assist communities in the region to mitigate the economic impacts of COVID-19 through June 2022. The Regional Council has created a Recovery Scorecard to help track the economic impacts and recovery of the five-county region. To assist businesses with

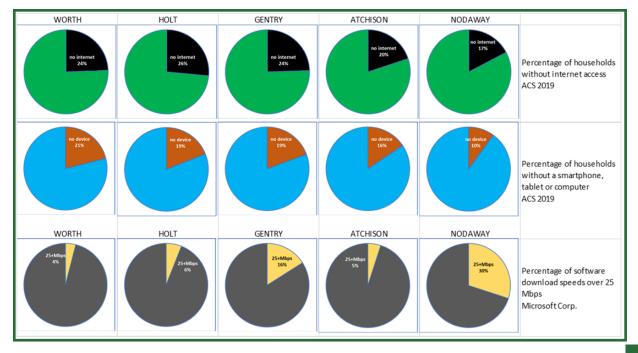


recovering from the impacts of the pandemic, the Regional Council contracted with Atchison County Development Corporation (ACDC), Nodaway County Economic Development (NCED), and Northwest Missouri Enterprise Facilitation (NWMEF) to operate Business Retention programs. Business Retentions programs allow businesses the opportunity to work with local economic development professionals to refine their business models, gain access to pandemic resources through government programs, and access information related to the pandemic. In addition, the



Regional Council contracted with Northwest Missouri State University to provide three free webinars to the region on Large Event Planning, Crisis Communication, and Business Continuity Planning. For the past several months, the Regional Council has been laying the foundation for a regional broadband planning initiative.

Program Assistant, Steve Houts, researched data for reporting conditions in the five-county region for an economic scorecard quarterly update for each county. Steve also worked with Kim to research and develop a plan to identify areas in the region without high-speed internet and to assist the counties in the region in developing strategies to obtain broadband in underserved areas. The graphics on this page were created by Steve.



### WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

In July of 2020, the beginning of the 2020-2021 program year (PY 2020), the Office of Workforce Development

allowed the Job Centers to return to inperson services and allowed customers to



return to the Job Centers by appointment only. This was after being closed for three months due to the COVID-19 Pandemic. Calls were still coming in for unemployment, but the volume of calls had decreased. We were able to fully reopen to the public on March 15, 2021.

The information below represents traffic flow at the Missouri Job Center-Maryville, by the top three reasons for coming into the office in program year 2020 (July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021):

Unemployment: 232 Job Search Assistance: 164 Training Assistance: 67 **Total: 463** 

Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) new enrollments for PY 2020 included: Adult: 19

Dislocated Worker: 11 Out-of-School Youth: 2 In-School Youth: 0

Job Center staff assisted in developing and marketing a local Virtual Job Fair on January 21 and local, in-person



job fairs on May 14 and June 24. The employer turnout for the events was very good, but job seeker turnout was lower than expected. Staff also assisted in marketing efforts for employer specific

virtual and in person job fairs. We are assessing how job fairs might look in the future.

Regional Council staff wrote a Request for Proposal (RFP) for the WIOA Adult and Dislocated Worker

programs for Program Year 2021 (PY 2021), but staff and the Regional Council board opted to not write the RFP for the WIOA Youth programs. The Regional Council was awarded the contract for the PY 2021 WIOA Adult and Dislocated worker program and to operate the Job Center resource room for the five counties of Atchison, Gentry, Holt, Nodaway, and Worth. St. Joseph Youth Alliance was awarded the contract to operate the WIOA Youth program for our five county area. Due to budget cuts, the Job Center is being operated by just one staff person, Rita Wallinga, Title I WIOA Workforce Program Director.

Job Center staff posted 320 jobs on <u>www.jobs.mo.gov</u> website in PY 2020.

Please follow the Missouri Job Center-Maryville on Facebook

**One-Stop Operator.** The Northwest Missouri Regional Council of Governments service area is part of a large eighteen-county region recognized by the State of Missouri as a Workforce Development Area. As part of this designation, the Northwest Workforce Development Board, based in Trenton, Missouri, is responsible for operating four Missouri Job Centers and implementing the workforce development system with eighteen federally mandated partners under the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA). To assist with the coordination of service delivery for the one-stop system in the region, federal legislation mandates that the Northwest Workforce Development Board procure a One-Stop Operator to perform coordinated service delivery among the partners.

In 2017, the Northwest Missouri Regional Council of Governments was selected to fulfill the duties of the One-Stop Operator. Kim Mildward serves as the One -Stop Operator for the Northwest Workforce Development Board. This past year, the One-Stop Operator worked with all the federal mandated partners to provide services to businesses and job seekers during the Coronavirus pandemic. Mrs. Mildward also assisted each Missouri Job Center in the region in preparing for and participating in the One-Stop Certification process. As a result, each Job Center in the region received its certification.

Based on changes in the region, the One-Stop Partners are currently working on updating the Memorandum of Understanding.

## **REGIONAL COUNCIL STAFF**



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#### Holt County

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### **ATCHISON COUNTY**

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Amy Thomas, Mayor Emily Schulte, Clerk Council Members: Ron Deatz, Lisa Farmer, Kelly Herron, Todd Stevens Address: 500 S. Main, Rock Port, MO 64482 Council Meeting: 3rd Wednesday, 6 p.m. Phone: (660) 744-2636 Fax: (660) 744-5553 Email: rpcityhall@rpmo.com Website: www.rpmo.com

#### TARKIO, population 1,583

Timothy Moorehouse, Mayor Danielle Madron, Clerk Council Members: Blu Dow, Michael Klosek, Jr., Scott Poppa, Andrew Riley Address: 602 Main St., Tarkio, MO 64491 Council Meeting: 2nd Wednesday, 6 p.m. Phone: (660) 736-4821 Fax: (660) 736-5605 Email: tarkioch@tarkio.net Website: www.tarkiomo.com

#### WATSON, population 100

Rod Meinders, Chairperson Tammy Gibson, Clerk Board of Trustees: Anita Armstrong, Tabitha Gibson, Tammy Gibson, Walter Stevens Address: 205 Linden St., Watson, MO 64496 Board of Trustees Meeting: 1st Wednesday, 6 p.m. Phone: (660) 253-1400 Email: tgibson@rpt.coop

#### WESTBORO, population 141

Jo Ellen Moore, Mayor Joe Cason, Clerk Council Members: Connor Cason, Marjorie Duran Address: P.O. Box 156, Westboro, MO 64498 Council Meeting: 3rd Thursday, 6 p.m. Phone: (812) 477-5098 (Mayor) Email: cityclerkwestboro@gmail.com



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### **GENTRY COUNTY, POPULATION 6,738**



Mike Sager, Presiding Commissioner Randy Cline, District 1 Commissioner Gary Carlson, District 2 Commissioner Carol Reidlinger, County Clerk

In session: Monday starting at 9 a.m.

Phone: (660) 726-3525 Fax: (660) 726-4478

Address: 200 W. Clay St., Albany, MO 64402

Email: gencoclerk@windstream.net Website: www.gentrycounty.net

### **GENTRY COUNTY**

#### ALBANY, population 1,730

Barbara Murray, Mayor Jill Cottrill, Clerk Board of Aldermen: Craig Gillespie, Kris Hansel, Tonya McCampbell, Bobbie G. Smith Address: 106 E. Clay, Albany, MO 64402 Board of Aldermen Meeting: 1st & 3rd Tuesday, 5:30 p.m. Phone: (660) 726-3935 Fax: (660) 726-5823 Email: jcottrill@albanymo.net Website: www.albanymo.net

#### **DARLINGTON**, population 121

Mike Ellis, Chairperson Michael Laird, Secretary Board of Trustees: Damion Cooper, Bob Ellis, Treasurer; Tod Johnson Address: 204 6th Street, Darlington, MO 64438 Board of Trustees Meeting: 1st Monday, 7 p.m. Chairperson's Phone: 660-483-0599 (Mayor)

#### **GENTRY**, population 72

Connie Mercer, Mayor Chris Fritzel, Clerk Council Members: Chris Fritzel, Denise Fritzel, Carissa Karr, Randy Mercer Address: P.O. Box 152, Gentry, MO 64453 Council Meetings: 1st Tuesday, 7 p.m. Phone: (660) 448-3325 (Mayor)

#### KING CITY, population 1,013

Doug Waugh, Mayor Denise Harris, Clerk Council Members: Don Combe, Seth Law, Steve Mooney, Debbie Simerly Address: P.O. Box 653, King City, MO 64463 Council Meeting: 2nd Monday, 6 p.m. Phone: (660) 535-6121 Fax: (660) 535-6344 Email: cityhallkingcity@centurylink.net Website: www.kccityhall.com

#### McFALL, population 93

Kathy Ray, Mayor Judy Fore, Clerk Council Members: Shannon Henry, Ruth Whitney Address: P.O. Box 165, McFall, MO 64657 Council Meeting: 1<sup>st</sup> Monday, 6 p.m.

#### STANBERRY, population 1,185

Shanda Parrish, Mayor Amanda Phipps, Clerk Council Members: John Graham, Susan Hibbs, Jeremy McQueen, Jeff Osborn Address: 130 W. First St., Stanberry, MO 64489 Council Meetings: 2nd Monday, 6 p.m. Work Sessions: 4th Monday, 6 p.m. Phone: (660) 783-2725 Fax: (660) 783-9004 Email: clerk@stanberrymo.com

### HOLT COUNTY, POPULATION 4,912



Thomas Bullock, Presiding Commissioner Carla Markt, 1st District Commissioner David Carroll, 2nd District Commissioner Angie Gamache, County Clerk

In Session: Monday, 9 a.m.-12 noon

Phone: (660) 446-3303 Fax: (660) 446-3353

Address: 102 W. Nodaway St., P.O. Box 437 Oregon, MO 64473

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### HOLT COUNTY

#### BIG LAKE, population 159

Mark Brandon, Board Chairperson Diana Phillips, Clerk Board of Trustees: Vince Caputo, Randy Derry, Rich McCann, Richard Poland, Address: 481 Lake Shore Dr., Big Lake, MO 64437 Board of Trustees Meeting: 2nd Tuesday, 7 p.m. Phone: (816) 244-3892 Email: biglakemo@squawcreek.net Website: www.biglakemo.net

#### **BIGELOW**, population 27

John L. Killin, Chairperson Pam Lundblade, Clerk Council Members: Roberta Fiest, Steve Killin, Bud Morris Address: 208 Rulo St., Bigelow, MO 64437 Council Meeting: 3st Tuesday, 7 p.m. Phone: (816) 378-1610 Email: 208rulo@yahoo.com

#### **CORNING**, population 15

Ronald "Pete" Hall, Chairperson Louis Byford, Clerk Address: 208 Byford St., Corning, MO 64437 Council Meeting: 2nd Monday (as needed) Phone: 660-623-0440 (Clerk)

#### CRAIG, population 248

Diana Jones, Mayor Jan Lewis, Clerk Council Members: Bruce Ideker, Laura Krohn, Mitchel Longcore, Rick Panning Address: P.O. Box 236, Craig, MO 64437 Council Meeting: 3rd Tuesday, 5 p.m. Phone: (660) 683-5412 Fax: (660) 683-5414 Email: city@cityofcraigmo.com

#### FOREST CITY, population 268

Greg Book, Mayor Dana Markt, Clerk Council Members: Gary Budine, Peggy Ann Edwards, Spencer Sisk, Stephanie Tatro Address: P.O. Box 5, Forest City, MO 64451 Council Meeting: 1st Monday, 7 p.m. Phone: (660) 446-2346 Fax: (660) 446-2471 Email: forestcity@ofmlive.net

#### FORTESCUE, population 32

(Didn't provide 2021 update) Michael Selleck, Sr., Chairperson Wanita Rouch, Clerk Board of Trustees: Bill Beasley, Harold Hufford, Jr., Mike Selleck, Jr. Address: 215 Lee St., Fortescue, MO 64437 Board of Trustees Meeting: Held as needed, usually by phone call. Phone: (816) 590-5777 Email: selleck.michael@yahoo.com

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### HOLT COUNTY

#### MAITLAND, population 343

Donnie Kirk, Mayor April Schwebach, Clerk Council Members: Dale Grasty, Terry Schwebach, John Sportsman, Bill Thurnau Address: P.O. Box 208, Maitland, MO 64466 Council Meeting: 2nd Monday, 6:30 p.m. Phone: (660) 935-2291 Fax: (660) 935-2529 Email: tschwebach@nwmo.net Website: www.maitlandmo.com

#### MOUND CITY, population 1,159

James Joe Laukemper, Mayor Annissa Brandon, Clerk Council Members: Kristine Gibson, Robert Heck, Jim Krueger, Matthew Stiens Address: 205 E. 5th St., Mound City, MO 64470 Council Meeting: 2nd Tuesday, 7:30 a.m. Phone: (660) 442-3447 Fax: (660) 442-0167 E-Mail: abrandon@moundcitymo.com Website: www.moundcitymo.com

#### **OREGON**, population 857

Richard Wilson, Mayor Tiffany French, Clerk Council Members: Kent Bohart, Paxton Crumbaker, Rick Dozier, Donald Greiner Address: P.O. Box 225, Oregon, MO 64473 Council Meeting: 2nd Monday, 6 p.m. Phone: (660) 446-3695 Fax: (660) 446-3693 E-mail: cityoforegon@ofmlive.net Website: www.cityoforegon.info



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### NODAWAY COUNTY, POPULATION 23,370



Bill Walker, Presiding Commissioner Chris Burns, North District Commissioner Scott Walk, South District Commissioner Melinda Patton, County Clerk

In session: Tuesday & Thursday, 8 a.m.—12 noon & 1—3 p.m.

Phone: 660-582-2251 Fax: 660-582-5282

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> Email: nodawaycom@gmail.com Website: www. nodawaycountymo.us

### NODAWAY COUNTY

#### ARKOE, population 68

Darrell Cronk, Mayor Megan Partridge, Clerk Council Members: Joyce Cronk, Treasurer; Joe Partridge, Chairperson; Mike Wallace, Road Commissioner Address: P.O. Box 443, Maryville, MO 64468 Council Meeting: 2nd Tuesday, 7 p.m. Phone Number: 660-215-2196 Website: https://arkoemissouri.blogspot.com

#### BARNARD, population 221

Glenn Miller, Mayor Pro Tem Teresa Coleman, Clerk Council Members: Deb Snyder, Ned Waterman, Amy Watson Address: P.O. Box 74, Barnard, MO 64423 Council Meeting: 2nd Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. Phone/Fax: (660) 652-3410 E-mail: t\_coleman.clerk@yahoo.com

#### **BURLINGTON JUNCTION**, population 537

Dean Kelly, Mayor Melissa Cook, Clerk Board of Alderman: Darby Grace, Brian Hunt, Jim Meyer, Matt Rohlmeier Address: P.O. Box 50, Burlington Junction, MO 64428 Board of Aldermen Meeting: 2nd Tuesday, 6 p.m. Phone: (660) 725-4514 Fax: (660) 725-4519 E-Mail: cityofbj@iamotelephone.com Website: www.burlingtonjunction.org

#### **CLEARMONT**, population 170

Byron Clark, Mayor Linda Babcock, Clerk Council Members: Bill Harris, Brenda Snodderly, Herb Snodderley, Peggy Younger Address: P.O. Box 64, Clearmont, MO 64431 Council Meeting: 3rd Tuesday, 7 p.m. Phone Number: 816-390-7151 (Mayor) Email: Byron@byronclarkconstruction.com

#### CLYDE, population 82

Scott Lane, Chairperson Martha Sue McCrary, Clerk Board of Trustees: Dustin Day, Chris McCrary, Andy Schieber, Joe Stoll Address: 609 Main St., Clyde, MO 64432 Board of Trustees Meeting: 3rd Monday, 8 p.m. Clerk's Home Phone: (660) 944-2491

#### **CONCEPTION JUNCTION, population 198**

Cletus Lager, Mayor Tammy Bliley, Clerk Council Members: Robert Bliley, Wes McQueen, Rob Simmerman, Mike Wilmes Address: 37229 320<sup>th</sup> St. Conception Junction, MO 64434 Council Meeting: 1st Monday of every other month, 7 p.m., Tri-C Fire Station

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### NODAWAY COUNTY

#### ELMO, population 168

Christopher Thompson, Mayor Norma Bragg, Clerk Council Members: Adam Hull, Skyler McGinness, Matthew Saville, James Thompson Address: P.O. Box 193, Elmo, MO 64445 Council Meeting: 3rd Wednesday, 6 p.m. Phone: (660) 742-3321 Email: njnbragg@hotmail.com

#### **GRAHAM**, population 171

Darrell Johnson, Mayor Holly Holmes, Clerk Council Members: Cory Anderson, Randy Hankins, Richie Vogel Address: P.O. Box 14, Graham, MO 64455 Council Meeting: 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday, 6 p.m. Phone: (660) 562-7888 (Clerk)

#### **GUILFORD**, population 85

Gary Pulley, Mayor Nancy Pulley, Clerk Board of Trustees: Don Bagley, Danyell Wiederholt Address: P.O. Box 63, Guilford, MO 64457 Board of Trustees Meeting: Varies Mayor's Phone: 660-541-3595 E-mail: danyellewiederholt@hotmail.com

#### HOPKINS, population 532

Matt Wray, Mayor Deandra K. O'Riley, Clerk Board of Aldermen: Jesse Everhart, Rick Gladman, Richard Moore, Allan Thompson Address: P.O. Box 174, Hopkins, MO 64461 Board of Aldermen Meeting: 1st Monday, 7 p.m. Phone: (660) 778-3688 Fax: (660) 778-3683 E-Mail: hopkins@embarqmail.com Website: www.hopkinsmogov.com

#### MARYVILLE, population 11,972

Benjamin Lipiec, Mayor Stacy Wood, Clerk Council Members: Rachael Martin, John McBride, Dannen Merrill, Tye Parsons Address: 415 N. Market, P.O. Box 438, Maryville, MO 64468 Council Meeting: 2nd & 4th Mondays, 6 p.m. Phone: (660) 562-8001 Fax: (660) 562-8002 E-Mail: swood@maryville.org Website: www.maryville.org

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### NODAWAY COUNTY

#### PARNELL, population 191

Greg Welch, Mayor Heather Burns, Clerk Council Members: Jennifer Burns, Jeremy Burns, Rex Welch, Brandon Wilcox Address: P.O. Box 106, Parnell, MO 64475 Council Meeting: 2nd Wednesday, 6 p.m. Phone: (660) 254-0246 E-Mail: cityofparnell.mo@gmail.com

#### **RAVENWOOD**, population 440

Bryan Sobtka, Mayor Taylor Spire, Clerk Board of Aldermen: Justin Briney, Jeremy Faustlin, Colby Wiederholt Address: P.O. Box 65, Ravenwood, MO 64479 Board of Aldermen Meeting: 1st Tuesday, 7 p.m. Phone: (660) 937-4355 Fax: (660) 937-4354 Email: rvwdcity@grm.net

#### **PICKERING**, population 160

*(Didn't provide 2021 update)* Charles Smith, Mayor Milton Sovereign, Clerk Council Members: Roberta Boyd, Juliana Judd, Kevin Leedom, Ramona Pennington Address: P.O. Box 2, Pickering, MO 64476 Council Meeting: 1st Monday, 6 p.m. Phone: (660) 927-3620 Clerk's Email: smithrepairllc@yahoo.com

#### SKIDMORE, population 284

Robert Manning, Mayor Meagan Morrow, Clerk Council Members: Teresa Carter, Jeanise Schwebach, Marvin Sumy, Jill Wieland Address: P.O. Box 15, Skidmore, MO 64487 Council Meeting: 2nd Thursday, 6 p.m. Phone: (660) 928-3281 E-mail: skidmore@nwmo.net Website: www.skidmoremo.org



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### WORTH COUNTY, POPULATION 2,171



Jubal Summers, Presiding Commissioner Regan Nonneman, East District Commissioner Tyler Paxson, West District Commissioner Roberta Owens, County Clerk

In-Session: Monday, 9-11 a.m.

Address: 11 W. 4th Street, P.O. Box 450, Grant City, MO 64456

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E-Mail: cclerkwoco@grantcity.net Website: www.worthcounty.us

### WORTH COUNTY

#### ALLENDALE, population 53

Kevin Harding, Mayor Michele Hertl, Clerk Council Members: Bill Calhoon, Bill Glenn, Paul Myer, Mike O'Riley Address: P.O. Box 51, Allendale, MO 64420 Council Meeting: 2nd Monday, 7 p.m. Phone: (660) 786-2487 (Clerk) E-mail: hertljm@grantcity.net

#### DENVER, population 39

Lowell Houts, Board Chairman Council Members: Charles Cissler, Darlene Kenny, John Kenny, Debra Younger Address: 611 Main St., Denver, MO 64441 Council Meeting: 1st Saturday Phone: (660) 254-2807 (Board Chairman) E-mail: royce1517@yahoo.com

#### **GRANT CITY**, population 859

Debbie Roach, Mayor Cecelia Burbach, Clerk Board of Aldermen: Bruce Downing, Charlotte Green, Catherine Runde, Tyler Steele Address: P.O. Box 398, Grant City, MO 64456 Board of Aldermen Meeting: 3rd Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. Phone: (660) 564-3369 Fax: (660) 564-3536 E-Mail: cityg23@hotmail.com Website: www.grantcity.net

#### SHERIDAN, population 195

Ashley Rush, Mayor Geneveive Walker, Clerk Board of Aldermen: Ruby Allee, Candace Martin, Larry Musick, Mary Jo Riley Address: P.O. Box 235, Sheridan, MO 64486 Board of Aldermen Meeting: 1st Monday, 6:30 p.m. Phone: (660) 254-2546 (Mayor) E-mail: ashleyrush2546@gmail.com

#### WORTH, population 63

Adam Downing, Mayor Council Members: Tim Combs, Joseph Gardner, Selinda Gardner, Angel Roush Address: 315 Washington St.,, Worth, MO 64499 Council Meeting: Last Tuesday, 7 p.m. Phone: (660) 254-2755 (Mayor) Email: downing\_adam@hotmail.com



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