

KIRKSVILLE CITY COUNCIL

NEWSLETTER . . .

Mari E. Macomber, City Manager
April 15, 2011

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DATES TO REMEMBER

4/18 – City Council Study Session
4/18 – City Council Meeting
4/20 – Heritage House Appreciation Event 5 - 7 pm @ the Dukum
4/21 – Business After Hours – Kirksville Airport 5 – 7 pm
4/22 – City Hall Closed
4/22 – TSU Sustainability Meeting from 8:30 - 10:00 am Truman SUB
4/23 – Easter Egg Hunt 10 am, TSU Quad
4/26 – Council Radio Program @ 9:00 am (Mayor Detweiler)
4/27 – Trinity Episcopal Church @ 7:00 pm
4/29 – Mayor Welcome at Rotary District Conference at Newman Center @ 12:00 pm
4/29 – Tri County Electric Open House 1:00 - 3:00 pm
4/30 - Hershey Track Meet - 1 pm, Stokes Stadium
5/1- Pitch, Hit and Run -1 pm, North Park
5/2 – City Council Study Session
5/2 – City Council Meeting
5/3 – Governmental Affairs @ 7:30 am Chamber Office (may meet in different location)
5/3- ATC @ noon Council Chambers
5/3 – LPRC @ noon Second Floor Conference Room
5/3 – KDIC @ 5:30 pm Chamber of Commerce

5/4 – KHPC @ 4:00 pm Council Chambers

COUNCIL TRAVEL

From time to time, City Council members are asked to travel outside the County to attend various events on behalf of the City. Some of these events take place in Jefferson City. City Council members who travel for the City to attend to City business are eligible for meal reimbursement and mileage. Most Council activities take place here at home and is not reimbursed, unless the Council is asked to attend a dinner or other event as the City's representative. The City Council may want to discuss this.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT WEEK

The week of May 1-7, will be Local Government Week in Missouri. So, it's time to start your planning! The Missouri Municipal League (MML) has sent out this reminder and sees this as an ideal opportunity to showcase city services and to create awareness of the important role city government plays in the lives of all Missourians. The League has suggested that we consider if there are existing events taking place in our city during that week that can be tailored to fit with the theme of Local Government Week. Also, they encourage cities to organize a number of events and activities designed to promote the work of local government. The City Council will be holding a Council Meeting during that week and several of our City Boards and Commissions will be meeting.

MML MAYORS BREAKFAST

The Missouri Municipal League is hosting a MAYORS BREAKFAST EVENT DURING LOCAL GOVERNMENT WEEK. This is the first such event offered by the League. The Board of Directors has planned this inaugural Local Government Week event to celebrate the significance of local governments in Missouri. The first-ever Mayors Breakfast event will be held on Tuesday, May 3, 2011, at the Capitol Plaza Hotel in Jefferson City. The League cordially invites all municipal officials and those who serve local governments. This event will take place with the state Legislature still in session at the Capitol and presents an ideal opportunity for local officials to once again visit with legislators on pending legislation that affects local governments, and to discuss with them the shared goals of good governance and the significant role city government plays in the lives of its citizenry. Peter Harkness will deliver the keynote address. Peter Harkness is the founder and publisher emeritus of *Governing*, a magazine for leaders of state and local governments that now is 23 years old. Peter has watched government at all levels, from Washington to the states, cities and counties, for almost 40 years. Before launching *Governing*, he was editor and deputy publisher of the *Congressional Quarterly News Service*, a Washington information company known for its unbiased coverage of the U.S. Congress and national politics. In 1987, Peter founded *Governing* magazine on the premise that much of the responsibility and authority for governing the country had moved down to the state and local level, yet no one in the national press was paying any attention. If anyone wishes to attend, please let us know so that we can RSVP for you.

REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION (RPC) ANNUAL MEETING

The Regional Planning Commission (RPC) will be holding their annual meeting on Wednesday, April 27 at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Edina. Doors open at 5:30 pm with dinner at 6:00 pm. The annual meeting will begin at 7:15 pm. Please let us know if you wish to attend.

PLANNING AND ZONING AND DESIGN GUIDELINES

This past Wednesday evening, the Planning and Zoning Commission was scheduled to hold a public hearing on the proposed design guidelines for downtown Kirksville. The Chairman of the Commission noted that there would be no public hearing as he believes the City did not follow the correct notification process. I attended the meeting and stated that there was no reason to try and move the design guidelines forward if there was a procedural question. Staff would take the matter back to the City Attorney and determine if the process was incorrect and if it was incorrect determine the correct process.

DOWNTOWN COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT (CID)

The Kirksville Downtown Improvement Committee has been considering the creation of a community improvement district (CID) as a way for this organization to raise funds to that will allow them to offer the downtown services that have been identified by the organization. A public meeting was held on February 22 to kick off this idea and effort. Included with your packet is a letter that was sent to all property owners within the proposed CID boundary. Now even though the City is a property owner, we had not received the letter via mail. Nate Walker, Executive Director of the KDIC gave us a copy of the document. The pursuit of a CID was identified through the DREAM process and is one way that the downtown can raise the funds that they need to host events, market the downtown, provide some support to downtown businesses on improvement projects and employ a director who is responsible for the operations of the downtown. This is something that the City Council has supported and encouraged the KDIC to move forward in pursuing.

KIRK TRAN

Kirk Tran just learned that their application to the Adair County SB 40 was approved for \$15,185. For the new Council members the City of Kirksville was a key partner in the development of this organization. The City, through the Transportation Sales Tax provides about \$24,000 to Kirk Tran to assist in maintaining this service to the community. In addition to learning about the grant, OATS, who provides the actual transportation service, informed the group that they will be providing the same amount of funding about \$65,000, but that the hourly contract rate that OATS charges Kirk Tran for the service will increase by \$.25 to \$25.50. The Kirk Tran board will be discussing whether or not it will continue to operate its second fixed route before the start of their contract year with OATS which is July 1. The second route has been funded by OATS at no cost to Kirk-Tran for a one-year start-up period (from Feb 2010 to Feb 2011). OATS has continued to fund this beyond February and can do so through the end of this fiscal year which is June 30, 2011.

RAIN CANCELLED TOURNAMENTS

Two tournaments were scheduled at North Park for this weekend. The first was a Truman sponsored event, MIAA Cross over Tournament. There were a total of 12 teams that were scheduled to participate in this event. The second was the Kirksville High School Baseball Tournament. The baseball tournament has been rescheduled to early May.

DANGEROUS ANIMAL ORDINANCE UPDATE

Now that the ordinance is in place, staff is working through the administrative process. We are learning a few things regarding the insurance process and are working to find someone who is certified with the American Kennel Club to come to town and conduct the Canine Good Citizen program. Finally, the Humane Society, who is our contract shelter, has told us that they may need additional pens, as two of their four pens for what they deem as vicious animals is full. Chief Hughes has been asked to follow through with this situation, as the Humane Society has informed us that they will turn us away if there are not suitable pens for the animals.

BUSINESS LICENSES

We have a much reduced list of businesses that have not renewed their business license by now and/or have renewed but were delinquent past April 1 (one month after the license was due). Here is a list of the businesses that I plan on taking to court. The businesses that went to court last year were put on probation, and a part of their probation was to keep everything turned in on time with us for 2 years. A couple of businesses that renewed late this year were on probation, so we are taking them to court for that.

Ambrosia Plumbing & Heating Inc.	Not renewed & delinquent last year
Collins Mini Storage	Not renewed & delinquent last year
Days Inn Hotel	Late renewal & delinquent last year
DCD Investments	Not Renewed
Galloway Lumber Company	Not renewed & delinquent last year
Hardwood Floors By Randy (Jenny)	Not Renewed
Johnson-Pinson	Late renewal & delinquent last year
Lewis Lawn Service	Not renewed & delinquent last year

CENSUS TRIVIA

Plato, MO is the mean center of population. The [new U.S. mean center of population](#), as of April 1, 2010, is near Plato, MO., an incorporated village in Texas County. The U.S. Census Bureau calculated this point as the place where an imaginary, flat, weightless and rigid map of the United States would balance perfectly if all 308,745,538 residents counted in the 2010 Census were of identical weight. Ever since Chestertown, Md., was determined to be the center of population after the first census was conducted in 1790, the center of population has told the story of America, illustrating how we've grown as a nation. It follows a trail across the country — across Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana and Missouri — that reflects

our history of settling the frontier, Manifest Destiny, waves of immigration and regional migration. The population of Plato, MO is 109 as of the 2010.

SUSTAINABILITY EVENTS

As a reminder, the President's Sustainability Action Committee has invited Ted Howard, Executive Director of the Democracy Collaborative at the University of Maryland, to visit the university on April 21 and 22. The Council is invited to attend either or both of the planned events: a public "Global Issues" lecture on April 21 and a workshop designed for university and community leaders on April 22 (Thursday, April 21, 7 pm, Baldwin Little Theater) and (Friday, April 22, 8:30-10:30 am, SUB Activities Room).

AIRPORT MARKETING

We have an opportunity to promote the airport, airline, & air show compliments of Hy-Vee. They will do a weeklong aviation themed promotion the last week of April in the Kirksville Hy-Vee store. They are asking for any "Kirksville Regional Airport" related items to display (airplanes, magazines, brochures, etc.) There is a vast amount of foot traffic that flows thru Hy-Vee on any given day. They will put flyers in grocery bags etc. We also can staff a table one day, to provide handouts, brochures, information, etc.

COST SHARE PROGRAM

The Missouri Foundation for Health, through the Cover Missouri project, will be hosting a Town Hall Meeting to discuss the health care reform in Kirksville on Thursday, April 28 at 7:00 p.m. in the Mehegan Room at A.T. Still University. This event will NOT be a traditional seminar. The Missouri Foundation for Health is responding to the confusion and conflict many Missourians continue to express about the law – how will it affect me and my family? What does my small business need to do? How will it impact rural Missouri? We will cut through the rhetoric and provide straight answers to your questions. There is no charge for tickets to the Town Hall, but registration via rsvp@cushmanamberg.com or 314.725.6400 is required. Light refreshments will be provided, and space is limited – seats will be assigned on a first come, first serve basis. Please pass the information on to anyone you know who might be interested in this issue.

E911 CENTER AUDIT

This week, Kevin Neeley from Missouri State Highway Patrol conducted our Missouri Uniform Law Enforcement System (Mules) quality assurance review and audit. This review is required by National Crime Information Center (NCIC) and MULES to maintain our agency's access to the state and national criminal justice information systems. The objective is to make sure our agency is meeting state and federal policy requirements. Our E911 Center was in compliance and received 99% out of 100%. We were 1% weak in making sure all of warrants had all of the subjects' alias names and previous and most current addresses on 8 out of 523 wanted person's entries. The next audit will be in another two years.

Attachments

- One Cent Sales Tax Report
- South 73 Community Improvement District Receipts
- New Construction Permits - March
- Airport Passenger Report for March
- Humane Society Monthly Report
- Letter from KDIC regarding Community Improvement District
- Invitation to Tri County Open House
- Thank You Letter from ATSU – Disaster Awareness and Preparedness Day
- Letter of Support – KA-Motion

CITY ONE CENT SALES TAX

SALES TAX COLLECTIONS One-Cent General Sales Tax

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2011 YTD Growth/-Loss Comparison to			
						2010	2009	2008	2007
BUDGET	2,440,470	2,578,240	2,584,485	2,466,000	2,476,280				
January	261,636.75	241,502.73	266,740.40	259,347.52	177,293.93	-31.64%	-33.53%	-26.59%	-32.24%
February	208,545.59	219,903.17	195,734.29	200,778.78	259,901.05	29.45%	32.78%	18.19%	24.63%
March	78,334.89	132,002.16	147,892.81	156,669.64					
April	325,352.21	253,028.44	246,130.84	232,500.31					
May	284,843.75	220,972.61	216,847.11	233,120.21					
June	90,815.59	148,541.83	142,964.71	143,943.57					
July	339,353.59	279,431.55	279,236.50	265,660.28					
August	198,332.97	222,179.31	203,838.29	208,953.81					
September	104,648.03	140,078.56	146,129.55	131,838.50					
October	315,420.19	235,788.79	237,555.14	252,020.17					
November	180,902.81	209,464.69	222,488.00	207,549.97					
December	204,890.74	204,920.17	153,163.14	199,574.20					
TOTAL	2,593,077.11	2,507,814.01	2,458,720.78	2,491,956.96	437,194.98	-4.98%	-5.47%	-5.25%	-7.02%
VARIANCE from BUDGET									
Growth/(Loss)	152,607.11	(70,425.99)	(125,764.22)	25,956.96	(2,039,085.02)				

SALES TAX COLLECTIONS BY FISCAL YEAR Community Improvement District 1-Cent Sales Tax

FY 2011	
Budget	86,384.00
Actual Collections:	
January	10,287.53
February	9,834.90
March	N/A
April	N/A
May	N/A
June	N/A
July	N/A
August	N/A
September	N/A
October	N/A
November	N/A
December	N/A
Total Tax Collections	\$20,122.43
Variance	
Growth/(Loss)	(\$66,261.57)

NEW CONSTRUCTION BUILDING PERMITS - MARCH

The following is a listing of new construction in Kirksville for the period March 1, 2011 through March 31, 2011:

Date: March 16, 2011
Owner: Hickman & Read
Use: Multi - Family
Address: 416 S. Marion, Apt. 1-6
Permit No.: 7421
Const. Co.: A P Read Homes

Date: March 22, 2011
Owner: Walter & Jane Harris
Use: Single Family
Address: 2706 N. Lincoln
Permit No.: 7426
Const. Co.: A P Read Homes

Date: March 22, 2011
Owner: Snelling Auto Plaza
Use: Commercial - Addition
Address: 1803 N. Osteopathy
Permit No.: 7424
Const. Co.: Ken Barnes

Month	Scheduled Flights	Actual Flights	Deplaned Passengers	Enplaned Passengers	Number of Passengers per Day	Passengers Per Flight
Aug-07	108	107	157	139	10.74	3.14
Sep-07	110	108	108	116	12.50	3.68
Oct-07	108	106	161	172	10.74	3.14
Nov-07	104	102	187	188	12.50	3.68
Dec-07	104	84	107	135	7.81	2.88
Jan-08	108	94	104	130	7.55	2.49
Feb-08	100	91	48	64	3.61	1.23
Mar-08	100	92	82	75	5.06	1.71
Apr-08	96	92	77	88	5.32	1.79
May-08	110	105	64	87	4.87	1.44
Jun-08	96	86	61	45	3.42	1.23
Jul-08	8	6	12	12	0.77	4.00
Aug-08	94	85	30	41	2.29	0.84
Sep-08	96	96	70	68	4.45	1.44
Oct-08	100	100	89	76	5.32	1.65
Nov-08	90	90	62	68	4.19	1.44
Dec-08	104	104	64	55	3.84	1.14
Jan-09	96	96	60	52	3.61	1.17
Feb-09	88	88	36	47	2.96	0.94
Mar-09	98	98	73	74	4.74	1.50
Apr-09	96	96	69	69	4.60	1.44
May-09	94	94	56	53	3.52	1.16
Jun-09	96	96	66	69	4.50	1.41
Jul-09	100	73	80	80	5.16	2.19
Aug-09	94	94	80	90	5.48	1.81
Sep-09	96	96	77	83	5.33	1.67
Oct-09	96	96	120	122	7.81	2.52
Nov-09	94	94	105	105	7.00	2.23
Dec-09	100	100	79	133	6.84	2.12
Jan-10	100	100	65	65	4.19	1.30
1-Feb	88	88	80	98	6.36	2.02
Mar-10	100	100	100	109	6.74	2.09
Apr-10	98	98	113	114	7.32	2.32
May-10	104	104	118	103	7.13	2.13
Jun-10	88	88	111	131	7.81	2.75
Jul-10	96	96	103	118	7.13	2.30
Aug-10	98	98	128	114	7.81	2.47
Sep-10	133	133	155	165	10.32	2.41
Oct-10	184	183	338	367	22.74	3.85
Nov-10	180	172	352	392	24.00	4.33
Dec-10	186	182	298	393	22.29	3.80
Jan-11	186	170	324	291	19.84	3.62
Feb-11	168	149	283	294	18.61	3.87
Mar-11	188	186	418	450	28.00	4.67

ADAIR COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY

P.O. Box 481

Kirksville, Missouri 63501

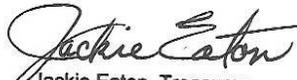
April 8, 2011

TO: Kirksville City Manager

FROM: Adair County Humane Society

RE: March Shelter Report

Brought to Shelter	Dogs	22
	Cats	5
	Puppies	4
	Kittens	0
Reclaimed by Owner	Dogs	2
	Cats	0
	Puppies	1
	Kittens	0
Euthanized from City	Dogs	8
	Cats	2
	Puppies	1
	Kittens	0
Brought to Shelter Dead	Dogs	0
	Cats	5
	Puppies	0
	Kittens	0
	Other	29


Jackie Eaton, Treasurer



Kirksville Downtown Improvement Committee, Inc.

Post Office Box 13
212 North Franklin Street
Kirksville, Missouri 63501
660-988-9656

March 22, 2011

A Special Letter to Property Owners of a proposed Kirksville Downtown Community Improvement District:

As you may probably know, the Kirksville Downtown Improvement Committee, Inc. (KDIC) has been considering the option of the establishment of a Community Improvement District (CID) for downtown Kirksville. The KDIC Board hosted an informational meeting for Downtown Business Owners on Tuesday, February 22nd at the Adair County Annex Building. The meeting was well attended and discussion was centered on the pros and cons of a CID for the Downtown.

The purpose of establishing a CID would be to provide funds to host events and make improvements to the downtown area and have someone to direct it. You may wonder just what a CID is. By definition, a Community Improvement District (CID) may be either a political subdivision or a not-for-profit corporation. CID's are organized for the purpose of financing a wide range of public-use facilities and establishing and managing policies and public services relative to the needs of the district.

Presently, the KDIC Board of Directors and the KDIC Fund Raising Committee have been working on the five year plan and other specific details for a CID. Language contained in the petition narrative must include a five year plan, describing the purposes of the proposed district, the services it will provide, the improvements it will make and an estimate of the costs of those services and improvements, and the maximum rates of property taxes and special assessments that may be imposed within the proposed district.

For a CID to be established, several steps would need to be followed which include the following. It would require a request petition, signed by property owners owning at least 50% of the assessed value of the real property, and more than 50% per capita of all owners of real property within the proposed CID. An authorizing ordinance would need to be approved by the Kirksville City Council to authorize the establishment of a CID. Other information must state how the CID would be organized and governed, and whether the governing board would be elected or appointed. There are specific rules that provide the required elements of a CID petition, and the procedures for publication, public hearings, etc. KDIC will be happy to provide details of these rules upon your request.

Also, during the next few days someone from the KDIC will be contacting you to set up a time to personally answer any concerns and/or questions that you may have relating to establishing a CID for downtown Kirksville.

Fact sheets are enclosed for your information relating to a CID and the KDIC mission and purpose. Also, should you have questions, please feel free to contact Nate Walker, KDIC Executive Director or any member of the KDIC Board of Directors.

Together we can make a difference! Thanks and best wishes.

Sherry Stacey
KDIC Board President

(Representing the various members thereof the KDIC Board of Directors)

Kirksville Downtown Improvement Committee, Inc.



CID FOR THE DOWNTOWN

Kirksville Downtown Community Improvement District

Facts for Property Owners

Purpose of the CID: Provide funds to host events and make improvements to the downtown area and have someone to direct it.

Why a ½ cent sales tax: This would be enough for improvements to be made without raising the tax to the maximum amount. (The maximum amount allowed is 1%.)

The sales tax:

- ½ cent increase would make the rate 8.35% in the downtown CID. Present rate is 7.85%.
- The rest of Kirksville would be at 7.85% except for that area from Orscheln to Stage which has a CID and a tax rate of 8.85%.
- A purchase made of \$10 would add \$.05
- A purchase of \$50 would add \$.25.
- A purchase of \$100 would add \$.50.

Services/Improvements: (see back of sheet)

Boundary: It was made using a combination of the TIF/DREAM boundary, Central Business District, Historic Preservation District, and to include university bookstores and eating establishments.

Process followed for making a CID: **Petition** is signed by 50% of property owners and 50% of owners of assessed value. **Vote** is taken by the owners. **City Council** then considers making it an ordinance (after a series of public meetings and input).

How the CID will work:

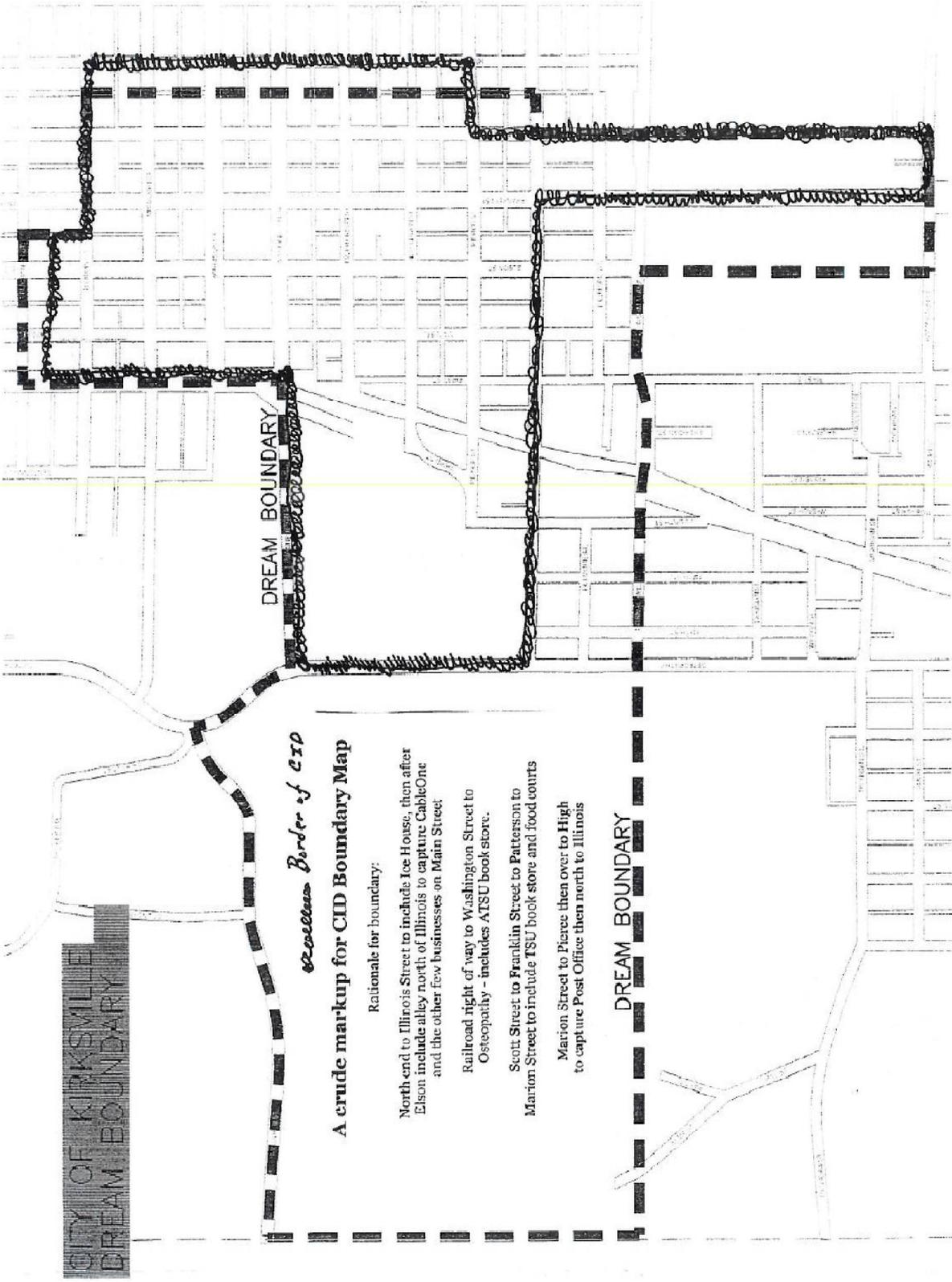
Use of funds: for the services and improvements on the back. Continue to have an Executive Director to direct all of this.

Term of CID: 20 Years

Governing Board: 5 people are chosen. 3 will be business owners who own their property and 2 will be business owners who lease their property.

Events and Services/Improvements

- Keep, continue and develop new Downtown Events with a funding source from KDCID:
 - January: Festival of the Snow (to be developed).
 - February: (Valentine's for restaurants and jewelry places)
 - March: St. Patrick's Day Parade & Celebration.
 - April: Veteran's Appreciation Day at Rieger Armory. Easter Event.
 - May: Opening of Farmer's Market. Memorial Day.
 - June: Summer on the Square June/August. Flag Day Celebration (to be developed). Farmer's Market each Saturday.
 - July: Red, White and Blue Festival. Farmer's Market each Saturday.
 - August: Battle of Kirksville Commemoration. Farmer's Market each Saturday.
 - September: Red Barn Arts & Crafts Festival. Annual Bacon Festival. Farmer's Market each Saturday.
 - October: Homecoming Weekends & Parades for TSU and KHS, Halloween in the Downtown. Farmer's Market each Saturday, concluding last week in October.
 - November: Small Business Saturday and Christmas
 - December: Christmas Events and Santa Downtown
 - Marketing and Co-Op Advertising focused on the Downtown
 - Thirty (30) Banners made for events to be up in downtown
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- Increased District Communication/Newsletter
 - Enhanced Infrastructure Planning and Improvements
 - Gateways to the Downtown at various locations
 - Begin program to assist with Awning Replacement Help (in form of mini-grants)
 - Replacing/Improving Sidewalks
 - Snow Cleaning/Sidewalk Sweepers
 - Begin plans to improve parking (handicap/sticker set for owners of businesses, another lot)
 - Begin plans on how to improve alleyways
 - Begin plans on mid-block pedestrian crossings and enhanced intersections
 - Strategic Planning on Business Attraction and Retention
 - Begin and Implement Master Plan on Landscaping and Streetscaping Designs (trees, benches lighting, bike racks, planters, hanging baskets, trash cans, etc)
 - Develop Downtown Retail Strategy (targets leasing plan, recruitment, collaboration)
 - Implement Retail Marketing Strategy
 - Begin plans for Residential Marketing (website: sale and rental)
 - New Business Development in the downtown/Begin plans for Incentives for new/expanding businesses
 - Creating a Downtown Resource Center for marketing, recruiting, sponsoring guest speakers and workshops for business owners
 - Courthouse Square Improvements
 - Data Collection:
 - Track leases/space inventory, buildings and businesses, workers and residents
 - Multipurpose trail and green space
 - Lobbying government on behalf of business interests
 - Security help with extra events



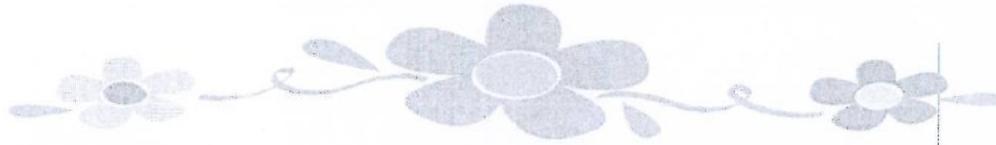
Recessed Border of CID

A crude markup for CID Boundary Map

Rationale for boundary:

- North end to Illinois Street to include Ice House, then after Elson include alley north of Illinois to capture CableOne and the other few businesses on Main Street
- Railroad right of way to Washington Street to Osteopathy - includes ATSU book store.
- Scott Street to Franklin Street to Patterson to Marion Street to include TSU book store and food courts
- Marion Street to Pierce then over to High to capture Post Office then north to Illinois

DREAM BOUNDARY



PUBLIC OPEN MEETING NOTICE

NORTHEAST MISSOURI REGIONAL PLANNING/
RURAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION



GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING



**Wednesday
April 27st, 2011**

Introduction 7:00 p.m.:

David Davison, Executive Director

Membership Meeting 7:15 p.m.

Region "C" Solid Waste Management District Meeting

will immediately follow the General Membership Meeting

Knights of Columbus Hall
Edina, Mo

Doors open @ 5:30
Dinner served @ 6:00
\$5.00 Charge for Meal

Executive Board

Vacant - *Chairman*
Vacant - *Vice Chairman*
Jim Werner - *Secretary*
Wayne Blum - *Treasurer*
Evan Glasgow
Stanley Pickens
Jerry Neyens
Mark Campbell
Wayne "Fid" Murphy
Chipper Harris
William Reckenberg
David Strickler

Please RSVP by Friday, April 22nd, 2011

P.O. Box 248
326 East Jefferson Street
Memphis, MO 63555
Phone: 660-465-7281
Fax: 660-465-7163



**You are cordially invited
to attend our open house.**

When: April 29, 2011
Where: Our new facility located
at 16875 US HWY 63
Time: 1 pm - 3 pm

We hope you can join us!

Your Touchstone Energy® Partner 
The power of human connections®

We Appreciate You!

Please allow us to show our gratitude by joining the team of
Heritage House Realty, Inc.

for

Customer Appreciation

at

The DuKum Inn (Gardens)

Wednesday, April 20, 2011 • 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Bring your appetite and a guest if you like. See you there!



660-665-5638

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Mayor Todd Kuhns
Kirksville City Council
201 S. Franklin
Kirksville, MO 63501

April 6, 2011

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Dear Mayor Kuhns,

Thank you and the entire City Council for your assistance with the implementation of the First Annual Disaster Preparedness & Awareness Day at the Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine. We never anticipated the amount of support that we received while planning this event, and exactly how big it would become. Disaster Preparedness & Awareness Day was the culmination of over twenty-six student and community organizations and countless hours of work conducted by a very willing community. This project truly speaks to the character of Kirksville.

We had over 250 members of the A.T. Still University, Truman State University and Kirksville communities braving the cold to participate and observe the events of the day. We truly appreciate your support and assistance from the Kirksville community aspect of the event. Although the weather did not cooperate with us this year, we found the overall event to be a success. We plan on continuing this event next year and are also looking for ways to improve and expand the project to draw more of the community to Disaster Preparedness & Awareness Day.

Thank you again for all of your assistance, and we look forward to working with you again next year!

Sincerely,



Colleen Emge, Co-Chair

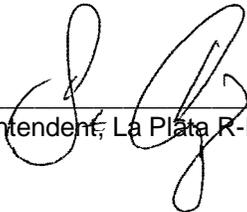


Michael Musso, Co-Chair

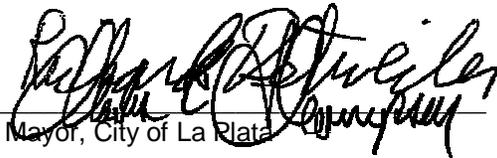
Joint Letter of Support & Intent to Collaborate

We, the undersigned, wish to express our support for the Kirksville Area Motion (KA-Motion) grant application for support from the Healthy & Active Communities program sponsored by the Missouri Foundation for Health. We all recognize that childhood obesity is a growing concern that needs to be addressed. Within their application, KA-Motion is proposing to establish a Walking School Bus program in Kirksville during Year 1 of the grant, and then to work with surrounding communities in Years 2-3 to replicate this program throughout northeast Missouri. Our school districts and communities feel our children and families can benefit from such a program, and hereby attest to our intention to collaborate with KA-Motion to make this possible. We understand that KA-Motion will provide the necessary community training and staff coordinator to work with parent volunteers, and that no school or city funds will be required to implement this program. We also understand that KA-Motion is proposing to cover the cost of purchasing appropriate bike racks for participating schools where needed in order to encourage increased cycling within our communities/districts.

Superintendent, Kirksville R-III Schools



Mayor, City of Kirksville



Superintendent, La Plata R-II Schools

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Superintendent, Macon R-I Schools

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City Administrator, City of Milan



Superintendent, Putnam County R-I Schools



City Administrator, City of Unionville