

## CHAPTER 2

# EXECUTIVE BRANCH



Trout fishing, Montauk State Park, 1980  
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# Jeremiah W. (Jay) Nixon

## Governor

Elected November 4, 2008

Term expires January 2017

JAY NIXON (Democrat) is serving his second term as governor of Missouri. After garnering the highest margin of victory for a non-incumbent governor in 44 years when first elected in 2008, Nixon was re-elected by Missourians as their 55<sup>th</sup> governor in 2012 to continue creating jobs and moving the state forward.

As governor, Jay Nixon has worked to make government more efficient, effective and responsive to the needs of Missouri families. He is committed to maintaining fiscal discipline, creating jobs, growing the economy and investing in public education.

As he did in the state Senate and during four terms as attorney general, Governor Nixon is reaching across the aisle to put Missouri families first. He successfully worked with the legislature to pass several jobs initiatives, including a bill credited with saving Missouri's auto industry and creating thousands of good manufacturing jobs. As a result, Ford, General Motors and automotive suppliers around the state have invested billions of dollars and created thousands of jobs to build next-generation vehicles and parts in the Show-Me State.

Just as Missouri families have to do at home, Governor Nixon has made the tough choices necessary to balance the budget every year without raising taxes. The governor's commitment to fiscal discipline has helped protect Missouri's AAA credit rating, while enabling smart investments to improve education, expand access to mental health services and help communities struck by disasters rebuild and recover.

Governor Nixon has made a strong public education system one of his chief priorities. Under his leadership, Missouri's public elementary and secondary schools have received record funding, and test scores and graduation rates have gone up. Similarly, even as other states were raising tuition by double digits, Missouri has led the nation in holding down tuition increases at public universities.

He has been a strong supporter of the Missouri National Guard and Missourians serving in the military, creating the Show-Me Heroes program to help returning veterans find jobs here at

home and enacting a dedicated source of funding for veterans homes. A member of the President's Council of Governors, Governor Nixon has made multiple trips to Iraq and Afghanistan to visit with troops and be briefed on military operations.

Nixon has visited each of Missouri's 87 state parks and historic sites to help promote them as recreational destinations, with a goal of reaching 20 million visitors by 2020. He also began the State Parks Youth Corps to beautify the parks and put young people to work. Governor Nixon is an avid hunter and fisherman, and after Missouri was named the "Best Trails State" in America in 2013, both he and the first lady led the 100 Missouri Miles Challenge to encourage Missourians to spend more time getting active outdoors.

Prior to becoming governor, Jay Nixon was elected to a record four terms as Missouri's attorney general. His settlements with the insurance industry and hospitals led to the formation of two of the largest health care foundations in state history. One of Nixon's most successful programs, Missouri's popular No-Call List, has become a model for states across the nation to stop unwanted telemarketing calls.

A native of De Soto, Nixon was raised in a family of public servants. His mother, the late Betty Nixon, was a teacher and served as president of the local school board. His father, Jerry Nixon, was mayor of De Soto and a municipal judge.

Growing up in a home with these strong examples, Nixon learned at a young age that faith and family come first—and giving back to the community comes next. That philosophy has guided him throughout his career in public service.

After earning his undergraduate and law degrees from the University of Missouri, Nixon returned to De Soto to practice as an attorney. In 1986, he was elected to the Missouri Senate, where he would represent the people of Jefferson County for six years.

Governor Nixon and his wife, Georganne Wheeler Nixon, have two sons, Jeremiah and Willson. They belong to the First United Methodist Church in Jefferson City.



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## Qualifications

The chief executive officer of the state of Missouri must be at least 30 years old, a U.S. citizen for at least 15 years and a resident of Missouri for at least 10 years before being elected governor.

The governor is elected to a four-year term during the same year as a presidential election and may seek re-election to a second four-year term. No person may hold the office for more than two terms.

## Responsibilities

The governor appoints the members of all boards and commissions, all department heads in state government and fills all vacancies in public offices unless otherwise provided by law. The board members of Missouri's state universities and colleges are appointed by the governor. The governor also selects the members of the Supreme and Appellate Courts of Missouri from names submitted by the Appellate Judicial Commission. The governor appoints members to certain election boards, the Kansas City police board and the Board of Probation and Parole. Most appointments require the advice and consent of the Senate.

The governor addresses the General Assembly on the state of the State and recommends changes or other actions to be taken. A budget is submitted by the governor to the General Assembly within 30 days after the General Assembly convenes. The budget contains the governor's estimates of available state revenues and an itemized plan for proposed expenditures.

All bills passed by both houses of the legislature are submitted to the governor for consideration. The governor must return the legislation to the house of its inception within 15 days after receiving it. The governor may either approve a bill, making it law, or return it to the legislature with objections. When the legislature is adjourned, the governor has 45 days in which to consider a bill.

The governor may object to one or more items or portions of items of an appropriations bill while approving other items or portions of the ap-



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propriations bill. Upon signing the appropriations bill, appended to it is a statement of the items or portions of items to which there are objections and such items or portions will not take effect. The governor may control the rate of expenditure in other areas whenever the actual revenues are less than the revenue estimates upon which the appropriations were based.

## Additional Duties and Powers

The governor performs many other duties assigned by the constitution, statute or custom. For example, the governor issues writs of election to



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fill vacancies in either house of the General Assembly. The governor also has the power to grant reprieves, commutations and pardons, but this does not include the power to parole.

In addition to other duties, the governor is a member of a number of boards and commissions, such as the Board of Public Buildings and the State Board of Fund Commissioners.

Moreover, the governor is the conservator of peace throughout Missouri and is commander-in-chief of the state's militia. The militia may be called out to execute laws, suppress threats of danger to the state and prevent and repel invasion.

## Executive Department

The executive department consists of all state elective and appointive employees, except those of the legislative and judicial departments.

## Missouri's First Lady

Like the governor, First Lady Georganne Wheeler Nixon earned her undergraduate and law degrees from the University of Missouri–Columbia. Her support of Governor Nixon's call for strong public education in Missouri comes naturally: her father, the late Hubert Wheeler, served



SHARI CHILDS  
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as Missouri's first commissioner of education; her mother and grandmother were both teachers; and Mrs. Nixon herself has taught in public schools.

Mrs. Nixon is an outdoor enthusiast who has helped lead the Governor's 100 Missouri Miles Challenge, an initiative launched by the governor and the first lady to encourage families to enjoy Missouri's outdoors as part of an active lifestyle. Mrs. Nixon also has actively promoted the state's 85 parks and historic sites as vacation destinations and as a way to learn more about Missouri. She



also gardens, and has planted a vegetable and herb garden on the mansion grounds.

An avid supporter of the arts and literature, the first lady often goes to schools and libraries to read to children as a way of encouraging literacy for both children and adults. Mrs. Nixon also serves as honorary chair for Missouri Citizens for the Arts and presents the Missouri Art Education Association awards to young artists whose artworks are selected to be on display at the Capitol and in the Missouri Governor's Mansion.

### Missouri Governor's Mansion

The Missouri Governor's Mansion serves as the official residence of Governor Jay Nixon and First Lady Georganne Nixon. The first family extends an invitation to all Missourians to tour "the people's house," which in 2014 hosted more than 37,000 visitors.

First occupied by Governor G. Gratz Brown and his family in 1872, this stately three-story brick building is one of the oldest and most beautifully restored governors' homes in the United States. Built and finished in the Renaissance Re-

vival style, the entry consists of an imposing portico with four dignified pink granite columns. A Victorian atmosphere greets visitors as they enter the great hall with its 17-foot ceilings, a rare free-flowing staircase of solid walnut and one of the best collections of period furnishings in the country. Missouri first ladies' portraits are featured throughout the mansion, along with loaned works of art created by the world-famous Missouri artist George Caleb Bingham. Designed by George Ingham Barnett of St. Louis, the mansion is listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

Since moving to the mansion, the Nixons have added a vegetable and herb garden. Baker Creek Heirloom Seed Company, of Mansfield, Mo., has provided heirloom seeds for the garden. Food grown in the garden is used in meals served at the mansion, and Mrs. Nixon enjoys encouraging schoolchildren to start their own gardens. The Missouri Botanical Gardens and Powell Gardens provided assistance in planning the garden at the mansion. The mansion grounds also contain apple trees, cherry trees and berry bushes planted in 2014 by Stark Bro's Nurseries in honor of former Gov. Lloyd Stark

## Historical Listing, Governors

|     | Name and (Party)                           | Term      | County         | Born       | Died       |
|-----|--------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------|------------|------------|
| 1.  | Alexander McNair (D) <sup>1</sup>          | 1820–24   | St. Louis      | 5/5/1775   | 3/18/1826  |
| 2.  | Frederick Bates (D) <sup>1</sup>           | 1824–25   | St. Louis      | 6/23/1777  | 8/4/1825   |
| 3.  | Abraham J. Williams (D) <sup>1</sup>       | 1825      | Boone          | 2/26/1781  | 12/30/1839 |
| 4.  | John Miller (D) <sup>1</sup>               | 1825–32   | Howard         | 11/25/1781 | 3/18/1846  |
| 5.  | Daniel Dunklin (D)                         | 1832–36   | Washington     | 1/14/1790  | 8/25/1844  |
| 6.  | Lilburn W. Boggs (D)                       | 1836–40   | Jackson        | 12/14/1792 | 3/14/1860  |
| 7.  | Thomas Reynolds (D)                        | 1840–44   | Howard         | 3/12/1796  | 2/9/1844   |
| 8.  | Meredith Miles Marmaduke (D) <sup>2</sup>  | 1844      | Saline         | 8/25/1791  | 3/26/1864  |
| 9.  | John Cummins Edwards (D)                   | 1844–48   | Cole           | 6/24/1806  | 9/17/1888  |
| 10. | Austin Augustus King (D)                   | 1848–53   | Ray            | 9/21/1802  | 4/22/1870  |
| 11. | Sterling Price (D)                         | 1853–57   | Chariton       | 9/20/1809  | 9/29/1867  |
| 12. | Truett Polk (D) <sup>3</sup>               | 1857      | St. Louis      | 5/29/1811  | 4/16/1876  |
| 13. | Hancock Lee Jackson (D) <sup>4</sup>       | 1857      | Randolph       | 5/12/1796  | 3/19/1876  |
| 14. | Robert Marcellus Stewart (D)               | 1857–61   | Buchanan       | 3/12/1815  | 9/21/1871  |
| 15. | Claiborne Fox Jackson (D)                  | 1861      | Saline         | 4/4/1806   | 12/6/1862  |
| 16. | Hamilton Rowan Gamble (U) <sup>5, 6</sup>  | 1861–64   | St. Louis      | 11/29/1798 | 1/31/1864  |
| 17. | Willard Preble Hall (U) <sup>6</sup>       | 1864–65   | Buchanan       | 5/9/1820   | 11/3/1882  |
| 18. | Thomas Clement Fletcher (R) <sup>7</sup>   | 1865–69   | St. Louis      | 1/22/1827  | 3/25/1899  |
| 19. | Joseph Washington McClurg (R) <sup>7</sup> | 1869–71   | Camden         | 2/22/1818  | 12/2/1900  |
| 20. | Benjamin Gratz Brown (R) <sup>8</sup>      | 1871–73   | St. Louis      | 5/28/1826  | 12/13/1885 |
| 21. | Silas Woodson (D)                          | 1873–75   | Buchanan       | 5/18/1819  | 10/9/1896  |
| 22. | Charles Henry Hardin (D)                   | 1875–77   | Audrain        | 7/15/1820  | 7/29/1892  |
| 23. | John Smith Phelps (D)                      | 1877–81   | Greene         | 12/14/1814 | 11/20/1886 |
| 24. | Thomas Theodore Crittenden (D)             | 1881–85   | Johnson        | 1/1/1832   | 5/29/1909  |
| 25. | John Sappington Marmaduke (D)              | 1885–87   | St. Louis City | 3/14/1833  | 12/28/1887 |
| 26. | Albert Pickett Morehouse (D)               | 1887–89   | Nodaway        | 7/11/1835  | 9/23/1891  |
| 27. | David Rowland Francis (D)                  | 1889–93   | St. Louis City | 10/1/1850  | 1/15/1927  |
| 28. | William Joel Stone (D)                     | 1893–97   | Vernon         | 5/7/1848   | 4/14/1918  |
| 29. | Lon Vest Stephens (D) <sup>9</sup>         | 1897–1901 | Cooper         | 12/21/1858 | 1/10/1923  |
| 30. | Alexander Monroe Dockery (D)               | 1901–05   | Daviess        | 2/11/1845  | 12/26/1926 |
| 31. | Joseph Wingate Folk (D)                    | 1905–09   | St. Louis City | 10/28/1869 | 5/28/1923  |
| 32. | Herbert Spencer Hadley (R)                 | 1909–13   | Jackson        | 2/20/1872  | 12/1/1927  |
| 33. | Elliott Woolfolk Major (D)                 | 1913–17   | Pike           | 10/20/1864 | 7/9/1949   |
| 34. | Frederick Dozier Gardner (D)               | 1917–21   | St. Louis City | 11/6/1869  | 12/18/1933 |
| 35. | Arthur Mastick Hyde (R)                    | 1921–25   | Grundy         | 7/12/1877  | 10/17/1947 |
| 36. | Sam Aaron Baker (R)                        | 1925–29   | Cole           | 11/7/1874  | 9/16/1933  |
| 37. | Henry Stewart Caulfield (R)                | 1929–33   | St. Louis      | 12/9/1873  | 5/11/1966  |
| 38. | Guy Brasfield Park (D)                     | 1933–37   | Platte         | 6/10/1872  | 10/1/1946  |
| 39. | Lloyd Crow Stark (D)                       | 1937–41   | Pike           | 11/23/1886 | 9/17/1972  |
| 40. | Forrest C. Donnell (R)                     | 1941–45   | St. Louis      | 8/20/1884  | 3/3/1980   |
| 41. | Phil M. Donnelly (D)                       | 1945–49   | Laclede        | 3/6/1891   | 9/12/1961  |
| 42. | Forrest Smith (D)                          | 1949–53   | Ray            | 2/14/1886  | 3/8/1962   |
| 43. | Phil M. Donnelly (D)                       | 1953–57   | Laclede        | 3/6/1891   | 9/12/1961  |
| 44. | James T. Blair Jr. (D)                     | 1957–61   | Cole           | 3/15/1902  | 7/12/1962  |
| 45. | John M. Dalton (D)                         | 1961–65   | Dunklin        | 11/9/1900  | 7/7/1972   |
| 46. | Warren E. Hearnes (D)                      | 1965–73   | Mississippi    | 7/24/1923  | 8/16/2009  |
| 47. | Christopher S. (Kit) Bond (R)              | 1973–77   | Audrain        | 3/6/1939   |            |
| 48. | Joseph P. Teasdale (D)                     | 1977–81   | Jackson        | 3/29/1936  | 5/8/2014   |
| 49. | Christopher S. (Kit) Bond (R)              | 1981–85   | Audrain        | 3/6/1939   |            |
| 50. | John Ashcroft (R) <sup>10</sup>            | 1985–93   | Greene         | 5/9/1942   |            |
| 51. | Mel Carnahan (D) <sup>10</sup>             | 1993–2000 | Phelps         | 2/11/1934  | 10/16/2000 |
| 52. | Roger Wilson (D) <sup>11</sup>             | 2000–01   | Boone          | 10/10/1948 |            |
| 53. | Bob Holden (D)                             | 2001–05   | Shannon        | 8/24/1949  |            |
| 54. | Matt Blunt (R)                             | 2005–09   | Greene         | 11/20/1970 |            |
| 55. | Jeremiah W. (Jay) Nixon (D) <sup>10</sup>  | 2009–     | Jefferson      | 2/13/1956  |            |

<sup>1</sup>At the time of the elections of McNair, Bates and Williams, and of the first election of Miller in 1825, there were no organized political parties in Missouri. Individual popularity prevailed. All called themselves Jeffersonian Republicans, or what now are called Democrats.

<sup>2</sup>Marmaduke was elected Lt. Governor in 1840. Upon the death of Governor Thomas Reynolds in February 1844, Marmaduke became governor. He served the remainder of that year, because John Cummins Edwards was elected.

<sup>3</sup>Soon after Polk was inaugurated, the Legislature convened and elected him by 101 votes to be a U.S. Senator. He resigned to take that office in February 1857. His occupancy of the governor's office was shorter than any other governor of Missouri.

<sup>4</sup>Jackson was Lt. Governor under Polk and became acting governor after Polk resigned in February 1857. He served until October of that year when Robert Stewart took office. Stewart was elected at a special election in August 1857.

<sup>5</sup>Gamble was elected provisional governor by the Missouri State Convention on July 31, 1861. The office had been declared vacated after Governor Claiborne Fox Jackson joined the Confederacy.

<sup>6</sup>Unionist. <sup>7</sup>Radical. <sup>8</sup>Liberal.

<sup>9</sup>Gov. Stephens is credited with creating the State Fair in Sedalia.

<sup>10</sup>Some held multiple terms as governor. In consideration of space, some are listed here only once.

<sup>11</sup>Wilson became Missouri's 52nd governor on October 17, 2000, upon the death of Governor Mel Carnahan.





# Peter D. Kinder

## Lieutenant Governor

Elected November 2, 2004  
Term expires January 2017

PETER D. KINDER (Republican) was elected Missouri's 46th lieutenant governor on November 2, 2004. On November 4, 2008, he was re-elected to a second term and on November 6, 2012, he became only the second Missourian in state history to win the office three times, carrying 108 of Missouri's 114 counties.

Prior to his election as lieutenant governor, Kinder served for 12 years in the Missouri Senate, representing the counties of Bollinger, Cape Girardeau, Madison, Mississippi, Perry and Scott. In 2001, Republicans gained a majority in the Senate. As a result, Kinder's colleagues elected him president *pro tem*, the Senate's top elected official. He was the first Republican to hold that position in 53 years.

As lieutenant governor, Kinder is the official senior advocate for Missouri, and during his Senate service he was known for his work on behalf of the state's senior residents. He sponsored and passed the Elderly Protection Act of 2003, which increased the penalties for elder abuse crimes. With his leadership, Missouri crafted the Missouri Senior Rx plan, providing prescription drug coverage for the poorest seniors. In 2006, Lt. Gov. Kinder was instrumental in passing the Assisted Living Bill, a top priority for many senior advocacy groups. This legislation gives seniors more options and choice in the type of long-term care facility they want to call home.

Kinder has led the fight on issues affecting Missouri's veterans. In 2005, he proposed and helped to pass the Missouri Military Family Relief Fund, which benefits family members of the Missouri National Guard and Reserve personnel who have been called to active duty.

Kinder coordinated the Missouri Mentor Initiative, a program that encourages state employees to mentor children by receiving up to 40 hours a year in paid time off to volunteer. He also ensured funding for the Amachi Program that assists Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Missouri to mentor children whose parents are incarcerated in Missouri prisons.

The lieutenant governor is a member of several boards and commissions including the Missouri Development Finance Board, the Missouri Housing Development Commission, the Board of

Public Buildings and the Missouri Tourism Commission.

Born and raised in Cape Girardeau, Kinder attended Cape Girardeau Public Schools and continued his education at Southeast Missouri State University and the University of Missouri-Columbia. He graduated from St. Mary's University School of Law in San Antonio, Texas, in 1979, and was admitted to the Missouri Bar in 1980.

From 1981 to 1983, Kinder was a member of U.S. Rep. Bill Emerson's Washington, D.C. staff and then worked as an attorney and real estate representative for Drury Industries. In 1987, he became associate publisher of the *Southeast Missourian* newspaper in Cape Girardeau.

Kinder is a member of the United Methodist Church, Beta Theta Pi social fraternity, Missouri Farm Bureau, Cape Girardeau Chamber of Commerce and Lions Club. He is active in many civic causes, including extensive work with United Way, the Nature Conservancy, the American Cancer Society and Boy Scouts of America.

Kinder has been honored by various groups including: Missouri Right to Life, Defender of Life; National Rifle Association; University of Missouri, Presidential Citation Award; National Scouting Association Distinguished Eagle Scout Award; St. Louis Children's Hospital, SSM Cardinal Glennon Hospital, and Children's Mercy of K.C.; March of Dimes; Southeast Missouri State University Alumni Association Distinguished Service Award; St. Louis Business Journal Legislative Award; Support Your Troops Committee Award; Missouri Farm Bureau Outstanding Service to Agriculture; St. Louis Regional Commerce and Growth Association Lewis and Clark Statesman Award for Outstanding Leadership; Missouri Restaurant Association Distinguished Service; Associated Industries of Missouri Voice of Missouri Business; Southeast Missouri Alliance for Disability Independence; SSM Cardinal Glennon Hospital Child Advocate Award; National Federation of Independent Businesses, Guardian of Small Business; Missouri State Medical Association; and Missouri Chamber of Commerce and Industry Spirit of Enterprise.



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## Qualifications

Missouri's lieutenant governor must be at least 30 years old, a U.S. citizen for at least 15 years and a resident of Missouri for at least 10 years before being elected to the office. The lieutenant governor is elected for a four-year term and is subject to re-election.

## Duties

The lieutenant governor is the only statewide elected official that is part of both the executive and legislative branches of state government. Under the constitution, the lieutenant governor is *ex officio* president of the Missouri Senate. The lieutenant governor is elected independently from the governor, and each can be members of different political parties. Upon the governor's death, conviction, impeachment, resignation, absence from the state or other disabilities, the lieutenant governor shall act as governor. By law, the lieutenant governor is a member of the Board of Public Buildings, Board of Fund Commissioners, Missouri Development Finance Board, Missouri Community Service Commission, Missouri Housing Development Commission and the Tourism Commission. The lieutenant governor is an adviser to the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education on early childhood education and the Parents-as-Teachers program and the state's official advocate for senior citizens.

## Roles of the Office

In recent years, the lieutenant governor has embraced more responsibilities, especially relating to seniors, veterans, tourism and service. These modern developments have made the lieutenant governor more visible and accessible to Missourians. The many boards and commissions on which the lieutenant governor serves provide numerous opportunities to help Missouri citizens. These boards and commissions cover a wide variety of functions for Missouri's diverse population.



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By statute, the lieutenant governor is the official senior advocate for the State of Missouri. This office investigates problems and issues on behalf of senior citizens. The lieutenant governor's office works very closely with the Department of Health and Senior Services to ensure the safety and well-being of Missouri's senior citizens. The lieutenant governor helps manage the Missouri Rx Prescription Drug Program. More information may be found at [www.morx.mo.gov](http://www.morx.mo.gov).

Military veterans exemplify the meaning of service. They have answered the call of duty,

boldly facing death, injury and uncertainty. Their sacrifice should never be forgotten. The lieutenant governor is proud to advocate for issues vital to our Missouri veterans.

Lt. Gov. Kinder actively promotes the Missouri Military Family Relief Fund, a state-administered fund assisting families of the Missouri National Guard and reservists who have been deployed for the global war on terrorism. Those interested in donating should contact the Missouri Veterans Commission at (573) 522-4220 or make an income tax check-off donation when filing a state income tax return.

As a member of the Missouri Tourism Commission, the lieutenant governor helps market Missouri to the rest of the world. Out-of-state visitors bring new revenue to Missouri businesses and new tax dollars to Missouri. Centrally located in the United States and bordering eight other states, Missouri hosts tens of millions of visitors each year. The Tourism Commission plans campaigns to show visitors all Missouri has to offer.

Lt. Gov. Kinder led the effort to bring the Tour of Missouri, an international professional bicycle race, to Missouri in 2007. Before funding was pulled in 2010, the competition was one of the top five professional cycling events outside of Europe, drawing spectators from across the U.S. and the globe.

As part of the Missouri Community Service Commission, the lieutenant governor is honored to continue a legacy of service to citizens across Missouri. This commission nurtures volunteerism

by encouraging an atmosphere that enables citizen service to prosper. By partnering with national service programs, the commission promotes volunteer opportunities to interested citizens. Each year, the Community Service Commission recognizes award winners who have demonstrated exemplary service.

Lt. Gov. Kinder also sponsors the Senior Service Award to promote and highlight the positive accomplishments senior citizens selflessly provide their communities. Bi-annual winners are recognized from every region of the state. More information may be found at [www.ltgov.mo.gov](http://www.ltgov.mo.gov). The lieutenant governor also serves on the Missouri Housing Development Commission. As such, the lieutenant governor has the opportunity to help ensure quality, affordable housing for Missourians, regardless of income. Other boards and commissions on which the lieutenant governor serves include: Board of Fund Commissioners; Board of Public Buildings; Missouri Development Finance Board; Second State Capitol Commission; and the Special Health, Psychological and Social Needs of Minority Older Individuals Commission. He is also an adviser to the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education on early childhood education.

This compilation of the lieutenant governor's responsibilities demonstrates how the office can assist all Missourians. Citizens are urged to contact the lieutenant governor's office regarding issues that affect seniors by calling (800) 699-2377, or through the website at [www.ltgov.mo.gov](http://www.ltgov.mo.gov).

# Historical Listing, Lieutenant Governors

|     | Name and (Party)                                | Term      | County         | Born       | Died       |
|-----|-------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------|------------|------------|
| 1.  | William Henry Ashley (D)                        | 1820–24   | St. Louis      | 1785       | 3/26/1839  |
| 2.  | Benjamin Harrison Reeves (D)                    | 1824–28   | Howard         | 3/21/1787  | 4/16/1849  |
| 3.  | Daniel Dunklin (D)                              | 1828–32   | Washington     | 1/14/1790  | 8/25/1844  |
| 4.  | Lilburn W. Boggs (D)                            | 1832–36   | Jackson        | 12/14/1792 | 3/14/1860  |
| 5.  | Franklin Cannon (D)                             | 1836–40   | Cape Girardeau | 3/12/1794  | 6/13/1863  |
| 6.  | Meredith Miles Marmaduke (D)                    | 1840–44   | Saline         | 8/28/1791  | 3/26/1864  |
| 7.  | James Young (D)                                 | 1844–48   | Lafayette      | 5/11/1800  | 2/9/1878   |
| 8.  | Thomas Lawson Price (U) <sup>1</sup>            | 1848–52   | Cole           | 1/19/1809  | 7/15/1870  |
| 9.  | Wilson Brown (D) <sup>2</sup>                   | 1853–57   | Cape Girardeau | 8/27/1804  | 8/27/1855  |
| 10. | Hancock Lee Jackson (D)                         | 1857–61   | Randolph       | 5/12/1796  | 3/19/1876  |
| 11. | Thomas Cate Reynolds (D)                        | 1860–61   | St. Louis      | 10/11/1821 | 3/30/1887  |
| 12. | William Willard Preble Hall (U) <sup>1, 3</sup> | 1861–64   | Buchanan       | 5/ 9/1820  | 11/3/1882  |
| 13. | George Smith (R)                                | 1865–69   | Caldwell       | 2/2/1809   | 7/14/1881  |
| 14. | Edwin Obed Standard (R) <sup>4</sup>            | 1869–71   | St. Louis      | 1/5/1832   | 3/12/1914  |
| 15. | Joseph Jackson Gravely (R) <sup>5</sup>         | 1871–73   | Cedar          | 9/25/1828  | 4/28/1872  |
| 16. | Charles Phillip Johnson (R) <sup>5</sup>        | 1873–75   | St. Louis      | 1/8/1836   | 5/21/1920  |
| 17. | Norman J. Colman (D)                            | 1875–77   | St. Louis      | 3/16/1827  | 11/3/1911  |
| 18. | Henry Clay Brockmeyer (D)                       | 1877–81   | St. Louis City | 8/12/1828  | 7/26/1906  |
| 19. | Robert Alexander Campbell (D)                   | 1881–85   | St. Louis City | 9/2/1832   | 4/2/1926   |
| 20. | Albert Pickett Morehouse (D)                    | 1885–89   | Nodaway        | 7/11/1835  | 9/23/1891  |
| 21. | Stephen Hugh Claycomb (D)                       | 1889–93   | Jasper         | 8/11/1847  | 6/6/1930   |
| 22. | John Baptiste O'Meara (D)                       | 1893–97   | St. Louis City | 6/24/1852  | 7/22/1926  |
| 23. | August Henry Bolte (D)                          | 1897–1901 | Franklin       | 9/3/1854   | 6/24/1920  |
| 24. | John Adams Lee (D)                              | 1901–03   | St. Louis City | 6/28/1851  | 10/10/1928 |
| 25. | Thomas Lewis Rubey (D) <sup>6</sup>             | 1903–04   | Laclede        | 9/27/1862  | 11/2/1928  |
| 26. | John C. McKinley (R)                            | 1905–09   | Putnam         | 11/20/1859 | 5/1/1927   |
| 27. | Jacob Friedrich Gmelich (R)                     | 1909–13   | Cooper         | 7/23/1839  | 2/21/1914  |
| 28. | William Rock Painter (D)                        | 1913–17   | Carroll        | 8/27/1863  | 7/1/1947   |
| 29. | Wallace Crossley (D)                            | 1917–21   | Johnson        | 10/4/1874  | 12/13/1943 |
| 30. | Hiram Lloyd (R)                                 | 1921–25   | St. Louis      | 7/27/1875  | 9/10/1942  |
| 31. | Phillip Allen Bennett (R)                       | 1925–29   | Dallas         | 3/5/1881   | 12/7/1942  |
| 32. | Edward Henry Winter (R)                         | 1929–33   | Cole           | 4/5/1879   | 6/29/1941  |
| 33. | Frank Gaines Harris (D) <sup>7</sup>            | 1933–45   | Boone          | 4/25/1871  | 12/30/1944 |
| 34. | Walter Naylor Davis (D)                         | 1945–49   | St. Louis      | 11/29/1876 | 9/16/1951  |
| 35. | James T. Blair Jr. (D) <sup>7</sup>             | 1949–57   | Cole           | 3/15/1902  | 7/12/1962  |
| 36. | Edward V. Long (D)                              | 1957–61   | Pike           | 7/18/1908  | 11/6/1972  |
| 37. | Hilary A. Bush (D)                              | 1961–65   | Jackson        | 6/21/1905  | 5/11/1966  |
| 38. | Thomas F. Eagleton (D)                          | 1965–69   | St. Louis      | 9/4/1929   | 3/4/2007   |
| 39. | William S. Morris (D)                           | 1969–73   | Jackson        | 11/8/1919  | 3/5/1975   |
| 40. | William C. Phelps (R) <sup>7</sup>              | 1973–81   | Jackson        | 4/5/1934   |            |
| 41. | Kenneth J. Rothman (D)                          | 1981–85   | St. Louis      | 10/11/1935 |            |
| 42. | Harriett Woods (D)                              | 1985–89   | St. Louis      | 6/2/1927   | 2/8/2007   |
| 43. | Mel Carnahan (D)                                | 1989–93   | Phelps         | 2/11/1934  | 10/16/2000 |
| 44. | Roger B. Wilson (D) <sup>7</sup>                | 1993–2000 | Boone          | 10/10/1948 |            |
| 45. | Joe Maxwell (D) <sup>8</sup>                    | 2000–05   | Audrain        | 3/17/1957  |            |
| 46. | Peter D. Kinder (R) <sup>7</sup>                | 2005–     | Cape Girardeau | 5/12/1954  |            |

<sup>1</sup>Unionist.

<sup>2</sup>Wilson Brown died in office in August 1855. The office remained vacant until the 1856 election.

<sup>3</sup>Hall was elected provisional lieutenant governor by the Missouri State Convention on July 31, 1861. The office had been declared vacated after Governor Claiborne Fox Jackson joined the Confederacy.

<sup>4</sup>The Constitution of 1865 shortened lieutenant governor terms to two years. In 1876, terms went back to four years.

<sup>5</sup>Liberal.

<sup>6</sup>Was president pro tem of Senate and served as lieutenant governor following Lee's resignation.

<sup>7</sup>Some held multiple terms as lieutenant governor. In consideration of space, they are listed here only once.

<sup>8</sup>Maxwell became Missouri's 45th lieutenant governor finishing the remaining months of Roger Wilson's term, who became governor on October 17, 2000, upon the death of Mel Carnahan.



### Missouri State Capitol

State government in Missouri is centered in the state's beautiful, domed Capitol, dominating the bluffs of the Missouri River in Jefferson City.

The dome, rising 238 feet above ground level and topped by a bronze statue of Ceres, goddess of agriculture, is the first view of Jefferson City for travelers arriving from the north. The structure is Jefferson City's leading tourist attraction and is a mecca for school groups who arrive by busloads, particularly during General Assembly sessions when they fill the galleries to watch the Senate and House of Representatives in action.

In addition to housing the two legislative bodies, the Capitol provides office space for the governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, treasurer, state auditor and some administrative agencies. The structure is also notable for its architectural features, including its eight 48-foot columns on the south portico and six 48-foot columns on the north side; its 30-foot-wide grand stairway and its bronze front doors, each 13-by-18 feet, among the largest cast since the Roman era.

The Capitol's first floor features the State Museum. Outstanding paintings, pediments and friezes decorate the Capitol interior. Of historical significance is a series of Thomas Hart Benton murals in the House Lounge.

Statuary is a prominent feature of the Capitol grounds. Heroic bronze figures depicting Missouri's two great rivers, the Mississippi and Missouri, and a 13-foot statue of Thomas Jefferson

dominate the south entrance. A bronze relief depicting the signing of the Louisiana Purchase by Livingston, Monroe and Marbois and the Fountain of the Centaurs are the most outstanding features on the north grounds.

The present Capitol, completed in 1917 and dedicated in 1924, is the fourth Capitol in Jefferson City. Before the seat of government was moved to Jefferson City, the functions of Missouri territorial government were based in the Mansion House, a hotel in St. Louis, and later at the Missouri Hotel, also in St. Louis. The upper story of a mercantile store in St. Charles was designated as temporary capital of the state in 1821 and remained the seat of government until 1826 when Jefferson City became the permanent capital city. The first Capitol in Jefferson City was located on land now occupied by the Governor's Mansion. It burned in 1837, apparently after some hot coals fell out of one of its fireplaces. A second structure, completed in 1840 and expanded in 1887–88 burned when the dome was struck by lightning on February 5, 1911. A temporary Capitol made of lathe and stucco was erected in an area to the east of the present building and was used from 1912 to 1917.

The present Capitol was constructed for \$4,215,000, including site and furnishings. It is five stories high, 437 feet long, 300 feet wide in the center and 200 feet wide in the wings. The dome is 238 feet high and the height of the wings is 88 feet. It includes over 650,000 square feet of floor space.





# Jason Kander

## Secretary of State

Elected November 6, 2012  
Term expires January 2017

JASON KANDER (Democrat), 34, was sworn in as Missouri's 39th Secretary of State in January 2013. A former U.S. Army Captain, Kander is a veteran of the war in Afghanistan. Prior to his election as secretary of state, he practiced law, represented Kansas City in the Missouri General Assembly and served on the Missouri Veterans Commission. He is a graduate of American University and Georgetown Law School and is married to his high school sweetheart, Diana. Their son True was born in September 2013.

A fifth generation Missourian, Kander learned early in life about the importance of community service. His mother was a juvenile probation officer and his father was a police officer who later ran a small business.

On September 11, 2001, Kander was a student at American University. Moved by what he saw that day, Kander later enlisted in the Army National Guard and served in an infantry unit. While a law student at Georgetown University, he successfully pursued his commission as a military intelligence officer in the Army Reserve. He volunteered to deploy to Afghanistan in 2006. As an intelligence officer in Afghanistan, he investigated groups and individuals suspected of corruption, espionage, drug trafficking and facilitating Al Qaeda and the Taliban.

In an unclassified evaluation, Kander's commanders praised his willingness to volunteer for dangerous duty, describing him as an "outstanding leader" whose work saved lives. The U.S. director of intelligence in Afghanistan advised the Army to "track this officer's career closely; he is one of the best." After his deployment, Kander was assigned as a combat leadership instructor in the Missouri Army National Guard's Officer

Candidate School at Fort Leonard Wood. In 2010, he earned national recognition and was selected as one of 10 finalists for the Army Reserve Junior Officer of the Year Award by the Reserve Officer Association.

In 2008, Kander knocked on 20,000 doors in Kansas City during his first successful campaign for state representative. As a state legislator, Kander worked with both parties to pass ethics reform legislation. As a member of the House Budget Committee, he exposed a no-bid contract and helped balance the budget without raising taxes. He passed legislation to take Missouri's human trafficking laws from some of the weakest to some of the strongest in the nation. He also authored and passed Sam and Lindsey's Law to help authorities prevent kidnapping during custody battles.

In 2009, Kander was appointed to the Missouri Veterans Commission, a nine-member board that oversees all services for our state's veterans. He was also an attorney in private practice representing clients in state and federal courts before assuming statewide office.

As secretary of state, Kander has fought for access to the ballot for eligible voters, protected Missourians from fraud and helped small business owners succeed. He created the Elections Integrity Unit to increase transparency and encourage Missourians to report their concerns regarding elections and voting. Kander was also proud to launch the Military and Overseas Voting Access Portal that allows Missourians serving away from home to receive and return absentee ballots more efficiently. Throughout his tenure in the Missouri General Assembly and now as Secretary of State, Kander continues to fight for campaign finance and ethics reform.



# Office of Secretary of State

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The secretary of state's office serves Missourians in a number of diverse and important ways. The major divisions within the secretary of state's office are: Business Services, Elections, Securities, State Library, Records Services and Administrative Rules.

At Secretary of State Jason Kander's direction, the office has focused on making state government more accessible and transparent to all Missourians. These efforts include the creation of a 30-day public comment period for initiative petitions, an online voter registration form and the creation of the Elections Integrity Unit. Additionally, Kander launched the [www.TheMissouriChannel.com](http://www.TheMissouriChannel.com), a site dedicated to archiving legislative debate and other proceedings in state government. Kander has also made the adoption of early or no-excuse absentee voting a top legislative priority, and he has consistently advocated for stronger ethics and campaign finance laws.

In the Business Services Division, Kander opened the Business Outreach Office to assist entrepreneurs and small business in navigating the requirements to do business in Missouri. Additionally, Kander launched a new online system that allows nearly every business form that must be filed with his office to be filed on an easy-to-use website. Through the Securities Division, he has protected consumers by cracking down on firms that defraud investors and educated Missourians about responsible investing. As Missouri's chief elections official, Kander has worked to ensure fair, accessible and transparent elections for Missouri voters.

In addition, the office is responsible for compiling, storing and publishing a variety of documents, including many historic records available on [www.MissouriDigitalHeritage.com](http://www.MissouriDigitalHeritage.com). As the keeper of the Great Seal of the State of Missouri, Kander is also responsible for authenticating official acts of the governor. The office also includes the following divisions: Information Technology,



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Executive Secretary to the  
Secretary of State



JOSE CALDERA  
Senior Deputy Counsel

Communications and Publications, Fiscal and Facilities and Human Resources.

## Business Services Division

[www.sos.mo.gov/business/](http://www.sos.mo.gov/business/)

The Business Services Division has three units: Notaries and Commissions, Corporations and Uniform Commercial Code. The division oversees regional filing offices in St. Louis, Kansas City and Springfield, and the Safe at Home



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address confidentiality program. The Business Services Division is committed to making it easier to do business in Missouri.

## Notaries and Commissions

The Notaries and Commissions Unit commissions notaries public, maintains the official bonds of over 81,000 Missouri notaries, and is responsible for certifying notaries for foreign documents, elected officials and the State Registrar of Vital Statistics.

The unit also authenticates official acts of the governor. The Great Seal of the State of Missouri is affixed to more than 35,000 documents annually, including all commissions of state and county elected officials; appointments made by the governor; and proclamations, executive orders, extraditions, commutations of sentence and restoration of citizenship issued by the governor. The unit maintains bonds and oaths of office for state officials as required by law and is responsible for the official signature, facsimile signature filings, resident agent filings and trademark and service mark filings.

## Corporations

The secretary of state is responsible for the registration of all Missouri and out-of-state businesses operating in Missouri. Businesses file various documents required by law: creation documents, annual reports, amendments, mergers, consolidations, dissolutions, terminations, withdrawals and conversions. There are approximately 600,000 active businesses registered in Missouri. Nearly every registration and filing may be easily filed online at [www.sos.mo.gov/fileonline](http://www.sos.mo.gov/fileonline), saving businesses time and money.

The Business Outreach Office ([www.sos.mo.gov/business/outreach](http://www.sos.mo.gov/business/outreach)) and the Missouri Business Portal ([www.business.mo.gov](http://www.business.mo.gov)) continue to help Missouri businesses navigate state government and help their businesses grow.

## Uniform Commercial Code

The secretary of state's office is the centralized office for perfecting personal property liens and other creditor interests under the Uniform Commercial Code (UCC). These liens are perfected by filing a financing statement in the accepted national format indicating the debtor



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Director of Business Outreach

name and address and the secured party name and address along with a description of the collateral. Once a lien or other interest is filed and perfected, the public is considered "on notice" regarding those liens. These financing statements are effective for five years; they may be continued for an additional five-year term by filing a continuation statement within six months preceding expiration. Ninety percent of the UCC filings with the secretary of state are now completed online. UCC online filings, forms and the fee schedule for filing are available at [www.sos.mo.gov/ucc](http://www.sos.mo.gov/ucc).



**LESLEY LUECKENOTTE**  
Director of Corporations

## Safe at Home Address Confidentiality Program

The Safe at Home address confidentiality program was created in 2007 to help protect survivors of domestic violence, rape, sexual assault or stalking through the use of a designated address. Through the Safe at Home program, survivors and their minor children may use the substitute mailing address through the secretary of state's office for all their first class, legal and certified mail. The program also allows survivors to use a substitute address on their government records and public filings to keep their address confidential and out of the hands of potential abusers.

## Business Services Offices:

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For more than 80 years, the secretary of state has been responsible for ensuring compliance with state securities laws through activities of the Securities Division. This responsibility includes enforcement of the law when violations occur and the registration of securities, broker-dealers, agents, investment advisers and investment-adviser representatives. State securities laws are intended to protect investors from unsuitable in-

vestment recommendations, dishonest or unethical practices and fraudulent investment schemes. The secretary of state appoints the commissioner of securities, who administers these laws and oversees the Securities Division.

The enforcement section of the Securities Division receives and investigates complaints from Missouri investors. The division maintains a toll-free Investor Protection Hotline, (800) 721-7996, so investors can report complaints or make inquiries about firms or professionals in the securities business. Each year the office fields hundreds of investor complaints that result in the initiation of hundreds of investigations, many of which result in cease and desist orders, licensing revocations, investor restitution, civil penalties or criminal prosecutions. The attorneys and investigators in the enforcement section typically collect millions of dollars in penalties, payments and restitution each year and are leaders in national enforcement actions and task forces.

The examination section regulates the registration of individuals and firms and performs routine and for-cause inspections and pre-registration exams of the offices of broker-dealers and investment advisers to ensure compliance with Missouri securities laws.

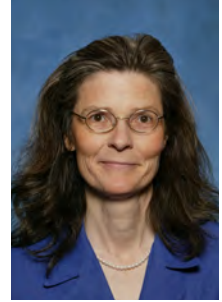
As of summer 2015, there were 144,358 agents, 1,658 broker-dealers, 10,395 investment-adviser representatives and 1,720 investment advisers registered in Missouri. Prior to granting each registration, an application review process is conducted to determine if applicants are sufficiently qualified to participate in the securities business.

The registration section reviews proposed securities offerings to ensure Missouri-approved registrations are "fair, just and equitable." The staff receives filings of federally covered securities and reviews requests for exemption from the registration requirements, provides interpretative opinions of the securities laws and assists Missouri issuers seeking to raise funds with securities law compliance. In the 2015 fiscal year, the registration section staff received filings or exemption notices for almost 2,800 securities offerings and collected over \$15.9 million in revenues for the State of Missouri.

The Securities Division also oversees the Missouri Investor Protection Center, which creates and promotes investor education initiatives designed to educate and assist both current and future investors. The center also includes a website, accessible at [www.MissouriSafeSavings.com](http://www.MissouriSafeSavings.com), and a Senior Investor Protection Unit to help educate and protect Missouri's older investors.



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## Elections Division

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The secretary of state's office oversees all state elections for candidates, various judges and issues. Candidates for the six constitutional state offices, U.S. Congress, the General Assembly and certain judges file for election with the secretary of state. Statewide ballots for primary, general and certain special elections are also prepared by the secretary of state, and certified copies of those ballots are sent to local election officials. It is the responsibility of the office to canvass, certify and publish state election results.

Missouri has more than 4 million registered voters. In the November 2014 general election, 1.4 million voters went to the polls. Elections are run by Missouri's 116 local election authorities (county clerks or election boards) and the secretary of state provides assistance to the authorities in several ways. This includes maintaining annual election deadline calendars, the secretary of state's website and various training materials and workshops. The secretary of state also promulgates rules governing elections and publishes the Missouri Election Laws for use by the local election authorities. The secretary of state works together with state and local officials, schools and civic organizations to provide materials to support voter registration, civic responsibility and education. This collaboration also extends to oversight of the statewide poll worker recruitment initiative.

The secretary of state's office also assists military and overseas voters by facilitating their voter registration and absentee ballot request process. The Missouri Military and Overseas Portal, created and maintained by the secretary of state's office, is available online for these eligible voters.

The secretary of state also certifies statewide ballot measures proposed by the General Assembly or through the initiative and referendum petition process, including the oversight of signature verification. Before an initiative petition can be circulated, the petition and its summary statement must be approved by the secretary of state and the state attorney general. The secretary of state must certify the summary statement along with the state auditor's fiscal note statement. Those wishing to place an initiative changing state law on the ballot must obtain signatures from registered voters equal to five (5) percent of the total votes cast in the last gubernatorial election in six of Missouri's eight congressional districts. In order to place an initiative changing the state constitution on the ballot, signatures must be obtained from registered voters equal to eight (8) percent of the votes cast in the last gubernatorial election in six of the state's eight congressional districts. The secretary of state is responsible for verifying the number of signatures for each initiative. A ballot issue's full text is published in newspapers around the state, printed for display at polling places and is also available on the secretary of state's website. The secretary of state also oversees the signature verification process for the formation of new political parties and the nomination of independent candidates for offices that file with the secretary of state. In 2014, 67 initiative petitions were approved for circulation. One initiative petition was certified for the November 2014 ballot.

The secretary of state is also responsible for coordinating Missouri's compliance with federal election law, including the Help America Vote Act of 2002, which requires increased training for election officials, poll workers and voters, at least one accessible voting system per polling place for voters with disabilities and the creation of a statewide voter registration list. This interactive, statewide voter registration list has improved the ability of local election officials to manage their voter registration records and keep Missouri's voter list up-to-date and accurate.

Finally, the secretary of state's office upholds the fairness and security of the elections process by investigating concerns received by voters and local election authorities. The Elections Integrity Unit resolves these complaints and publishes their reviews on the secretary of state's website.

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The responsibilities of the Missouri State Library are to provide library and reference serv-



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es to Missouri state government, provide library services to the blind and visually impaired and promote the development and improvement of library services throughout the state.

## Library Development

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The library development section supports libraries through consulting, administration of grant programs, continuing education and statewide programs. The consultant staff works with librarians and library governing boards to improve the quality of library service for all Missouri citizens. Through research, publications and personal contacts, consultants provide assistance on general library issues and needs, promote the organization and development of library services, manage statewide projects and maintain statistics on public library services in the state.

The state library administers several programs to provide funds and services for libraries. State-funded programs include state aid for public libraries to meet a wide variety of local needs. Public library costs for materials are supported through funds appropriated from the income tax on earnings of out-of-state athletes and entertainers. State funds also support summer reading programs in public libraries. The State Library coordinates the funding for the Remote Electronic Access to Libraries (REAL) Program, which provides Internet access for public libraries through MOREnet and database content for public, K-12 and academic libraries. The federal Library Services and Technology Act provides approximately \$3 million in funding for grants to libraries and for statewide projects, including training for library staff and trustees, technology infrastructure, summer reading and early literacy programs, and development of library service for underserved populations, such as seniors and persons with disabilities.

Ongoing projects include digitization of primary resource material for [www.MissouriDigitalHeritage.com](http://www.MissouriDigitalHeritage.com), resource-sharing initiatives including Show Me The World database access and courier delivery service for materials, and providing a resource collection for use by library staff.

The state library also serves as the lead agency for the State Census Data Center program, a co-operative venture with the U.S. Census Bureau.

## Secretary's Council on Library Development

[www.sos.mo.gov/library/council/sosc.asp](http://www.sos.mo.gov/library/council/sosc.asp).

The Secretary's Council on Library Development advises the secretary of state and the state librarian on matters that relate to the state's libraries and library service to Missouri citizens.

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## Reference Services

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The Reference Services Division supports the research needs of Missouri state government employees with its collections of books, journals, newspapers, and government documents in print and digital formats. It is also a member of MOBI-US, the statewide library consortium of academic and public libraries in Missouri, which provides access to many additional resources.

In-person and online training is offered for Missouri state government employees around the state on topics such as Census statistics, Internet searching, and specific databases.



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Reference Services produces Keeping Up, a daily news clipping service that provides current, focused information about Missouri state government from a selection of Missouri digital news sources. It is distributed electronically to the legislature and Missouri state government employees.

Documents from federal and Missouri state agencies are also available through the library. Many Missouri state government documents are available in print onsite and in a digital library at the Internet Archive [www.archive.org/details/missouristatepublications](http://www.archive.org/details/missouristatepublications). The division has participated in the Federal Depository Library Program since 1963 and has an assortment of print federal government documents, some of which focus on Missouri.

Reference Services hosts the Missouri Department of Transportation library collection as part of a joint agreement between the MoDOT and the State Library. Other special collections in the library include Missouri history, library science, and historical documents about Missouri libraries.

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Wolfner Talking Book and Braille Library serves as the public library for Missourians unable to use standard print because of a visual or physical disability. The library loans a half million books and magazines in Braille, recorded audio and large print from its collection of more than 300,000 volumes. The library also provides access to locally recorded Missouri titles and to over 60,000 titles via the national Braille and Audio Reading Download (BARD) site. Audio players are also loaned to users of the recorded materials. More than 12,500 individuals and 2,000 institutions, including nursing homes, schools, hospitals and hospices, use the library. Wolfner also provides reference and information services, children's programming, interlibrary loans, a newsletter, catalogs and bibliographies and descriptive DVDs and videos. Access to the collection is available online.

Wolfner services are available to qualified Missourians at no charge. Applications for service are available directly from Wolfner, local Missouri public libraries or on the secretary of state's website. Wolfner is Missouri's regional library in the national network of libraries serving individuals who are blind and disabled, in cooperation with the National Library Service of the Library of Congress.

The Wolfner Talking Book and Braille Library has a rich history of library service, predating the Missouri State Library and the Library of Congress network. Loaning Braille books to a multi-state region in 1924, Wolfner became one of the first 18 regional libraries for the blind designated by the Library of Congress. Named in memory of noted ophthalmologist Henry L. Wolfner and originally administered by the St. Louis Public Library, Wolfner became part of the Missouri State Library in 1977 and physically moved to Jefferson City in 1985.

## Wolfner Advisory Council

The Wolfner Advisory Council advises on the services provided by the Wolfner Library and how these services may be improved. Current Council members can be found at [www.sos.mo.gov/wolfner/council.asp](http://www.sos.mo.gov/wolfner/council.asp).

**Flasar, Dan**, chair, Richmond Heights, National Federation of the Blind;

**Dingus, Mary**, St. Louis, Department Elementary and Secondary Education;

**Miller, Zeze**, Jefferson City, Washington, Missouri Council of the Blind;

**Altschual, Peter**, Columbia;

**Jaco, Bob**, St. Louis;

**Ormsby, Andrew A. Jr.**, Sikeston;

**Rogers, Darla J., M.S.**, Gladstone; and

**Tussey, Carolyn Sue**, Jefferson City.

## Records and Archives

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Established as a separate department in 1965, Records and Archives now includes three divisions: the Missouri State Archives, Records Management and Local Records. These divisions are collectively responsible for managing both the current and historical records of the state, ensuring they are preserved and making them accessible to Missouri citizens.

## Missouri State Archives

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The Missouri State Archives is the official repository for government records of enduring value. Its mission is to foster an appreciation of Missouri history by preserving and making available the state's permanent records to its citizens and their government.

Records in the Archives date from 1770 to the present. They include executive, legislative and judicial records; records of state departments and agencies; early French and Spanish colonial and U.S. territorial records; military records from the War of 1812 through World War II; records detailing the region's role in the 19th century fur trade and America's westward expansion; trademarks and business records; and records documenting women's and African-American history.

Holdings currently total more than 338 million pages of paper records, 770,000 photographs, 199,000 reels of microfilm and 270,000 microfiche. The Missouri State Archives is one of the most accessed state repositories in the nation and has been formally acknowledged by historical and genealogical organizations for its service to researchers. While thousands visit or write to the Archives each year, the majority turn to the Internet as their preferred research method. In 2014, the Archives website logged 91.6 million hits from 8.3 million visitors.

Over the past few years, the Missouri State Archives has become involved in a number of important initiatives. The African-American History Initiative is designed to stimulate interest in African-American history through educational proj-

ects and the promotion of the Archives holdings. The Missouri State Archives also played a leading role in the activities of the Civil War Sesquicentennial Commission and the development of the Missouri Digital Heritage website, an online portal through which the public can access digital collections from institutions across the state.

The Archives is devoted to educating the public about materials in its holdings. Programs are provided for school and civic groups, as are traveling exhibits, tours and monthly educational programs. Archives Alive!, a history based theatrical performance, brings history to life each spring for thousands of Missouri fourth- and fifth-grade students. The Friends of the Missouri State Archives, Inc., promote and support the Archives by underwriting many of the costs associated with these outreach activities. The Archives also hosts student interns and practicum students from Missouri colleges and universities, and sponsors the central Missouri National History Day competition.

Volunteers are an important resource of the Missouri State Archives. They provide invaluable support to staff, helping with records processing across the state as well as assisting with reference and tours in Jefferson City. More novel is the Archives' innovative e-Volunteer program in which volunteers provide indexing and transcription services from their home computers. Completed projects are posted online, providing greater access to collections. In-person access to the Archives is provided through the Alex M. Petrovic Reading Room. Hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, and 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Thursday. Saturday hours are from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

## Missouri Historical Records Advisory Board

The Missouri Historical Records Advisory Board was created by statute in 1989 to be the central advisory body for historical records planning within the state. The board also serves as the state affiliate of the National Historical Publications and Records Commission, the grant-awarding arm of the National Archives and Records Administration and is responsible for reviewing grant proposals submitted to that program from Missouri applicants, as well as applications to the Local Records Preservation Grant Program.

## Missouri Historical Records Advisory Board Members

**Kander, Jason**, chair, state historical records coordinator, secretary of state;  
**Dougan, John**, deputy coordinator, state archivist;



JOHN DOUGAN  
State Archivist



SHELLY CROTEAU  
Assistant State Archivist



CHRISTINA MILLER  
Senior Reference Archivist

**Allen, Gregory B.**, president, Allen Financial Corporation, Kansas City;  
**Bennett, Marcia L.**, executive director, St. Joseph Convention and Visitors Bureau, St. Joseph;  
**Doswell, Raymond**, vice president of curatorial services, Negro League Baseball Museum, Kansas City;  
**Gordon, Christopher A.**, director of library and archives, Missouri History Museum, St. Louis;  
**Neumann, Robert P.**, director, Greene County Archives and Records Center, Springfield;  
**Offord, Jerome Jr.**, dean, Library Services and University Archives, Lincoln University, Jefferson City;  
**Parks, Cynthia L.**, director of records management, University of Missouri, Columbia;  
**Richards, David E.**, head, Special Collections and Archives Department, Meyer Library, Missouri State University, Springfield;  
**Rhodes, Joel P.**, associate professor, Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau;  
**Sparks, Susan**, president, Polk County Genealogical Society, Humansville; and  
**Kremer, Gary R.**, executive director, State Historical Society of Missouri, Jefferson City, *ex officio*.

## Missouri Board on Geographic Names

The Missouri Board on Geographic Names was created by state statute in 1995 to coordinate place-naming activity among local, state and federal agencies. Additionally, the board provides uniformity in geographic nomenclature throughout the state, while retaining the significance, history and culture associated with the names of Missouri's geographic features. Proposed changes or additions to names of geographic features and places are received and evaluated, and recommendations are made to the U.S. Board on Geographic Names for approval. Members include both interested citizens and professionals.

## Missouri Board on Geographic Names Members

**Kander, Jason**, chair, secretary of state;  
**Dougan, John**, chair designee, state archivist;  
**Barnett, Christopher J.**, vice chair, University of Missouri, Columbia;  
**Carter, Joseph**, Missouri Department of Transportation, Jefferson City;  
**Claspihl, Gary**, Office of Administration, Jefferson City;  
**Fisher, John**, Kennett;  
**Foreman, Alan**, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, St. Louis;  
**Gillman, Joe**, Missouri Department of Natural Resources, Rolla;  
**Greene, Debra F.**, Lincoln University, Jefferson City;  
**Kremer, Gary R.**, State Historical Society of Missouri, Jefferson City;  
**McCann, Gordon**, Springfield;  
**Moorman, Amy**, Missouri State Archives, Jefferson City;  
**Morrow, Lynn**, Jefferson City;  
**Nickell, Frank**, Center for Regional History and Cultural Heritage, Cape Girardeau;  
**Silch, Shelley**, U.S. Geological Survey, Rolla;  
**Spicci, Tony**, Missouri Department of Conservation, Columbia;  
**Sweets, Henry**, Mark Twain Home Foundation, Hannibal;  
**Turner, Jay**, Mark Twain National Forest-Salem Ranger District, Salem;  
**Vineyard, Jerry**, Ozark; and  
**Weaver, Dwight**, Eldon.

## Records Management

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The mission of Records Management is to provide state agencies with the necessary instruments to effectively manage information and records, in order to promote the efficiency and continuity of government, document the rights of Missouri citizens and preserve the state's heri-

tage. To achieve this mission, the division is divided into three sections: Records Management Services, Imaging Services and the State Records Center.

Sound records management programs consist of a planned and coordinated set of policies, procedures and activities to manage recorded information in all media. Records Management Services assists state government agencies in identifying and effectively managing their official records. Section records analysts consult with agency officials to develop retention schedules that list the agency's records, specify their retention periods and determine the ultimate disposition of inactive records (those with limited use that do not warrant retention in expensive agency office space). They also advise agencies on cost and technical matters related to microfilm, digital imaging and low-cost storage of inactive and semi-active records.

Imaging Services provides micrographic and digital imaging services to state agencies and local governments. Agencies can reduce the volume of, improve access to, and ensure archival preservation for their long-term and significant records by utilizing these services. Micrographics services include microfilming, processing, quality control and duplication. Digital imaging includes image production from microfilm or original documents. The section also provides ideal storage for original microfilm within a climate-controlled vault.

The State Records Center provides state agencies with an economical storage solution for inactive records. Services provided by the section include pick-up; delivery; reference pulls and re-filing; and destruction of agency records. All records remain in the legal custody of the transferring agency, and access to stored documents is restricted to authorized personnel. The transfer of inactive files to the records center allows agencies to free up office space and equipment, saving Missouri taxpayers millions of dollars over the life of the records. As of October 2015, the State Records Center's two facilities stored 396,871 cubic feet of records.

## State Records Commission

The State Records Commission was established by statute in 1965 to guide records management in the determination of retention periods for all records in the executive branch of state government. Currently, more than 800 state agencies, commissions, bureaus and boards operate under approved record retention schedules. Additionally, the commission reviews, approves and recommends guidelines for the management of both paper and electronic records generated by the state of Missouri.

## State Records Commission Members

**Kander, Jason**, chair, secretary of state;  
**Dougan, John**, secretary, state archivist;  
**Beard, Nathan**, state representative;  
**Dixon, Bob**, state senator;  
**Galloway, Nicole**, state auditor;  
**Koster, Chris**, attorney general;  
**Kremer, Gary R.**, executive director, State Historical Society of Missouri;  
**Nelson, Doug**, commissioner, Office of Administration; and  
**Robyn, Tim**, chief information officer.

## Local Records

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The Local Records Division works to improve long-term management of local government records by advising, educating and encouraging records custodians in the use of sound records management and archival practices. Local Records archivists provide expertise to local government officials on the retention of records and conducting records preservation projects.

A part-time local records program was started in 1986 with legislation funding the creation of a separate division in 1989. Through Local Records, documents of great historical value have been identified and preserved, revealing long-lost local histories and enhancing the collection of the Missouri State Archives. Consultations, records inventories and preservation projects conducted by division staff make local public records more accessible. Records are properly organized, identified and, in many instances, space in public buildings is freed up for purposes other than storage.

More than 3,500 governmental entities, including all offices in county, municipal and local district government offices, rely on Local Records for assistance in managing records. Field archivists are located around the state to assist this effort. Local officials in every county have received assistance from Local Records.

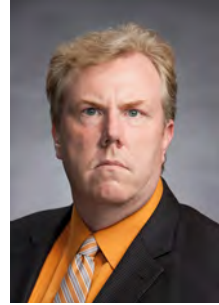
Local Records also houses the state document conservation lab, where staff provide advice to local government offices on all aspects of record care, preservation and disaster recovery. Conservation treatment is provided on the most historically significant and fragile documents as well.

## Local Records Board

The Local Records Board was created by statute in 1972. The Local Records Board, comprised of representatives from all local government classifications, reviews and establishes retention schedules for local governments records.



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Director of Local Records

## Local Records Board Members

**Barnard, Barbara**, Morgan County Historical Society, Versailles;  
**Chamberlain, Neal**, Kirksville County R-III Schools, Kirksville;  
**Diggs, Chris**, Columbia Public Schools, Columbia;  
**Hall, Crystal**, Lincoln County Clerk, Troy;  
**Harper, Kathryn**, Howard County Clerk, Fayette;  
**Koehn, Casey**, Butler City Administrator, Butler;  
**Littrell, Robin**, Riverside City Clerk, Riverside;  
**Matthews, Karen**, Christian County Treasurer, Ozark;  
**Parsons, Lili**, Tri-County Health Department, Stanberry;  
**Reese, Charles**, City of Kansas City Records Manager, Kansas City;  
**Rogers, Brett**, Columbia College, Columbia;  
**Roof, Jeneen**, Putnam County Recorder, Unionville; and  
**Stokely, David**, Ozark.

## Administrative Rules Division

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Since 1976, the Administrative Rules Division has been charged by state law with setting uniform standards, procedures and guidelines for the preparation and publishing of rules in the Missouri Register and the Missouri Code of State Regulations. The Administrative Rules Division initially publishes rulemakings proposed by state agencies in the Missouri Register. The rulemakings are published to provide public notice and allow agencies to receive comments and revise the proposed rulemakings based on comments. Agencies then file final versions of orders of rulemaking with the division for final publication in the Missouri Register and subsequently in the Missouri Code of State Regulations. The division

provides a user's guide for the proper preparation and filing of agency rules entitled Rulemaking 1-2-3, Drafting and Style Manual, which is available at [www.sos.mo.gov/adrules/manual/manual](http://www.sos.mo.gov/adrules/manual/manual) or in hard copy.

The Administrative Rules Division also publishes emergency rules in the Missouri Register. An agency may file an emergency rule if the agency finds an immediate danger to public health, safety or welfare or if the emergency rule is necessary to preserve a compelling governmental interest that requires an early effective date, prior to that allowed by the traditional rulemaking process. An emergency rule is only in effect for a limited period of time and normally has a corresponding proposed rulemaking that allows for public notice and comment. Once an emergency rule is approved and processed, it may be viewed on the secretary of state's website at [www.sos.mo.gov/adrules/EmergenciesforInternet/emergency](http://www.sos.mo.gov/adrules/EmergenciesforInternet/emergency) under the Emergency Rules section until it is published in the Missouri Register.

The Missouri Register is published twice a month, and updates to the 15-volume Missouri Code of State Regulations are published once a



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month. Both the Missouri Register and Missouri Code of State Regulations are available on the secretary of state's website. Additionally, Missourians who are interested in particular rules may sign up on the secretary of state's website at [www.sos.mo.gov/adrules/notifications](http://www.sos.mo.gov/adrules/notifications) for email notification of rule filings by rule number or subject matter.

## Historical Listing, Secretaries of State

|     | Name and (Party)                           | Term      | County              | Born       | Died       |
|-----|--------------------------------------------|-----------|---------------------|------------|------------|
| 1.  | Joshua Barton (D)                          | 1820–21   | St. Louis           | 7/28/1792  | 6/30/1823  |
| 2.  | William Grymes Pettus (D) <sup>1</sup>     | 1821–24   | St. Charles         | 12/31/1794 | 1867       |
| 3.  | Hamilton Rowan Gamble (D)                  | 1824–26   | St. Louis           | 11/29/1789 | 1/31/1864  |
| 4.  | Spencer Darwin Pettis (D)                  | 1826–28   | St. Louis           | 1802       | 8/27/1831  |
| 5.  | Priestly Haggin McBride (D)                | 1829–30   | Boone               | 1796       | 5/21/1869  |
| 6.  | John Cummins Edwards (D) <sup>5</sup>      | 1830–35   | St. Louis           | 6/24/1806  | 9/17/1888  |
| 7.  | Henry Shurlds (D)                          | 1835–37   | Washington          | 11/21/1796 | 8/2/1852   |
| 8.  | John Cummins Edwards (D)                   | 1837      | Cole                | 6/24/1806  | 9/17/1888  |
| 9.  | Peter Garland Glover (D)                   | 1837–39   | Callaway            | 1/14/1792  | 10/27/1851 |
| 10. | James Lawrence Minor (D) <sup>5</sup>      | 1839–45   | Marion              | 6/9/1813   | 6/2/1897   |
| 11. | Faulkland Heard Martin (D)                 | 1845–49   | Jefferson           | 1804       | 11/16/1856 |
| 12. | Ephriam Brevard Ewing (D)                  | 1849–53   | Ray                 | 5/1819     | 6/2/1873   |
| 13. | John M. Richardson (D) <sup>2</sup>        | 1853–57   | Greene              | 1820       | 5/1/1899   |
| 14. | Benjamin Franklin Massey (D)               | 1857–61   | Jasper              | 1811       | 12/18/1879 |
| 15. | Mordecai Oliver (U) <sup>3, 4</sup>        | 1861–65   | Greene              | 1819       | 4/25/1898  |
| 16. | Francis A. Rodman (R) <sup>5</sup>         | 1865–71   | Buchanan            | 1829       | 1/1/1888   |
| 17. | Eugene F. Weigel (D)                       | 1871–75   | St. Louis           | 1844       | 10/23/1896 |
| 18. | Michael Knowles McGrath (D) <sup>5</sup>   | 1875–89   | St. Louis           | 9/23/1833  | 1/29/1913  |
| 19. | Alexander A. Lesueur (D) <sup>5</sup>      | 1889–1901 | Lafayette           | 11/25/1842 | 1/29/1924  |
| 20. | Sam Baker Cook (D)                         | 1901–05   | Audrain             | 7/11/1852  | 2/5/1931   |
| 21. | John Ephriam Swanger (R)                   | 1905–09   | Sullivan            | 6/22/1864  | 10/19/1936 |
| 22. | Cornelius Roach (D) <sup>5</sup>           | 1909–17   | Jasper              | 8/9/1863   | 9/3/1934   |
| 23. | John Leo Sullivan (D)                      | 1917–21   | Pettis              | 10/14/1877 | 1/11/1936  |
| 24. | Charles U. Becker (R) <sup>5</sup>         | 1921–33   | Polk                | 10/21/1868 | 5/21/1934  |
| 25. | Dwight H. Brown (D) <sup>5</sup>           | 1933–44   | Butler              | 1/12/1887  | 5/8/1944   |
| 26. | Gregory C. Stockard (R) <sup>6</sup>       | 1944–45   | Cole                | 8/3/1904   | 10/14/1993 |
| 27. | Wilson Bell (D)                            | 1945–47   | Washington          | 5/24/1897  | 5/20/1947  |
| 28. | Edgar C. Nelson (D) <sup>7</sup>           | 1947–49   | Cooper              | 8/17/1883  | 10/9/1970  |
| 29. | Walter Hendricks Toberman (D) <sup>5</sup> | 1949–60   | St. Louis           | 4/19/1879  | 2/13/1960  |
| 30. | Robert W. Crawford (D) <sup>8</sup>        | 1960–61   | Vernon              | 11/11/1926 | 2/20/1991  |
| 31. | Warren E. Hearnese (D)                     | 1961–65   | Mississippi         | 7/24/1923  | 8/16/2009  |
| 32. | James C. Kirkpatrick (D) <sup>5</sup>      | 1965–85   | Henry, Barton, Cole | 6/15/1905  | 12/26/1997 |
| 33. | Roy D. Blunt (R) <sup>5</sup>              | 1985–93   | Greene              | 1/10/1950  |            |
| 34. | Judith K. Moriarty (D)                     | 1993–94   | Pettis              | 2/2/1942   |            |
| 35. | Richard Hanson (D) <sup>9</sup>            | 1994      | Cole                | 2/20/1940  |            |
| 36. | Rebecca McDowell Cook (D) <sup>5, 10</sup> | 1994–2001 | Cape Girardeau      | 7/18/1950  |            |
| 37. | Matt Blunt (R)                             | 2001–05   | Greene              | 11/20/1970 |            |
| 38. | Robin Carnahan (D) <sup>5</sup>            | 2005–2013 | Phelps              | 8/4/1961   |            |
| 39. | Jason Kander (D)                           | 2013–     | Jackson             | 5/4/1981   |            |

<sup>1</sup>Appointed when Barton resigned to become U.S. District Attorney for Missouri in September 1821.

<sup>2</sup>Richardson was the first secretary of state to be elected to the office. Prior to 1852, secretaries of state were appointed by the governor.

<sup>3</sup>Unionist

<sup>4</sup>Oliver was elected provisional secretary of state by the Missouri State Convention on July 31, 1861. The office had been declared vacated after Governor Jackson joined the Confederacy.

<sup>5</sup>Some held multiple terms as secretary of state. In consideration of space, some are listed here only once.

<sup>6</sup>Appointed upon death of Dwight H. Brown.

<sup>7</sup>Appointed upon death of Wilson Bell.

<sup>8</sup>Appointed upon death of Walter H. Toberman.

<sup>9</sup>Appointed upon impeachment of Judith K. Moriarty.

<sup>10</sup>Appointed upon resignation of Richard Hanson.





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# Nicole R. Galloway, CPA

## State Auditor

Appointed April 27, 2015

Term expires 2019

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NICOLE R. GALLOWAY (Democrat) is the 38th State Auditor of Missouri. She is a certified public accountant and certified fraud examiner. She took the oath of office on April 27, 2015.

Auditor Galloway believes government's purpose is to serve the citizens it represents. In her role as state auditor, she serves as the citizen's advocate, making sure government at all levels is efficient, effective and transparent. She brings her expertise to work for Missourians each day to be a strong, independent watchdog, holding government accountable.

Auditor Galloway's office is focused on bringing private-sector best practices to state government, including a focus on cybersecurity. As a mother of two young boys, she understands the benefits and risks of changing technology, and the responsibility governments at all levels owe their citizens to protect private data. As an experienced professional private-sector auditor, she will always shine a light when government fails to safeguard the information families expect to be kept safe and secure.

Prior to becoming state auditor, Galloway was Treasurer of Boone County for four years. She ran for election in 2012, winning unopposed. Galloway put her experience to use as treasurer to manage a \$100 million investment portfolio and nearly \$200 million in annual cash flows. She was responsible for debt issuance, and protected the county's top-tier bond rating, putting that financial strength to use to consolidate debt and save taxpayers more than \$4.6 million. Galloway launched the first online unclaimed property database for any county in the state, allowing citizens to claim their money faster and through a streamlined process. The initiative won the County Excellence Award from the Missouri Association of Counties. Galloway has worked tirelessly to ensure citizens know how their tax dollars are managed. She led the implementation of investment and debt management policies to protect taxpayers and make critical community investments. The debt management policy has become a model for other local governments in the state, providing transparency for the issuance process and the administration of the debt portfolio.

Prior to entering public service, Galloway was a corporate auditor at Shelter Insurance's national headquarters in Columbia. She began her career in public accounting at Brown Smith Wallace, a public accounting firm, headquartered in Creve Coeur. As an auditor in the private sector, Galloway audited Fortune 500 companies domestically and internationally by evaluating business risk, operational processes and internal controls surrounding asset management and revenue recognition. She performed financial statement, compliance and internal control audits of insurance and reinsurance companies throughout the country. She also worked as an actuarial analyst with Allstate Insurance.

A lifelong Missourian, Auditor Galloway is committed to improving the state. Galloway served as Secretary/Treasurer of the Missouri Technology Corporation, a public-private partnership that invests in entrepreneurs and small businesses to help create jobs and expand innovation in Missouri. She also served as Secretary/Treasurer of the Missouri County Employees' Retirement Fund, protecting the retirement benefits of nearly 16,000 participants in 111 counties. While on the retirement fund's board, she led the effort to ensure equal protection for the retirement benefits of county employees in same-sex marriages.

An active member of her local community, Auditor Galloway has served on the board of the Heart of Missouri United Way and on the Columbia Interfaith Resource Center's Finance Committee. She has been involved in Rotary Club and served as a youth mentor for Discovering Options in St. Louis.

Auditor Galloway received a Master of Business Administration from the University of Missouri and degrees in Applied Mathematics and Economics from Missouri University of Science and Technology.

Auditor Galloway was raised in the St. Louis region. She now lives in Columbia with her husband, Jon, and sons, William and Benjamin.



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## Duties

The Missouri state auditor's office is Missouri's independent watchdog agency, charged with auditing approximately 200 state agencies and programs, including departments, boards, commissions, statewide offices and the General Assembly. The state auditor conducts audits of the state's expenditure of state funds and federal awards, the court system, counties that do not have an elected county auditor and may also audit school districts. Upon receipt of a petition signed by local voters, the state auditor conducts audits of other political subdivisions in the state.

In addition to fulfilling the primary auditing duties of the office, the state auditor reviews all property tax rates set by local political subdivisions and drafts fiscal notes and fiscal note summaries for initiative petitions. The state auditor also examines and registers general obligation bonds issued by political subdivisions of the state to ensure each bond complies with state law.

The powers of the state auditor are derived from Article IV, Section 13 of the Missouri Constitution. Statutory authority and duties are outlined in Chapter 29 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri.

## Audits

Audits are performed to determine how well governmental agencies and elected officials are protecting taxpayers' dollars from fraud, waste and abuse, and whether tax dollars are being spent efficiently, economically and legally. All audits are conducted in an impartial, nonpartisan manner and in accordance with government auditing standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

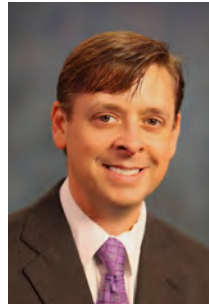
The state auditor's office performs financial and performance audits, which also include review of management practices. Financial records of auditees are examined to determine how the auditee accounted for funds under its control. The state auditor's office reviews the auditee's systems and controls to ensure taxpayer dollars



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are protected. The state auditor's office also reviews the auditee's compliance with constitutional provisions, laws, legislative appropriation levels and administrative rules and the efficiency and accountability of management practices.

Completed financial audits contain a formal opinion from the state auditor regarding the fair presentation of financial statements. A management advisory report listing any management weaknesses discovered during the audit is also included. Findings and recommendations in the management advisory report are reviewed with the auditee at an exit conference prior to the re-

lease of the audit so responses from the auditee may be included in the final report.

## Follow-Up Reports

Audit follow-up reviews are conducted to increase accountability in government for the taxpayers of Missouri. Audit follow-up reports document whether audit recommendations have been implemented as recommended by the auditor. The state auditor's office works with audited entities to establish a reasonable timeline for the implementation of audit recommendations, with a particular focus on findings requiring immediate action.

## Fraud Hotline

The state auditor may take immediate action when there is evidence of fraud; violation of state or federal law, rule or regulation; significant mismanagement or waste of public resources; or significant risk of loss of confidence by the public due to government fiscal abuse or mismanagement. Audit staff, under the guidance of general counsel and chief litigation counsel, may take immediate action, up to and including immediate referral to appropriate authorities, in order to preserve relevant evidence and/or prevent continued harm.

Missouri residents may contact the Auditor's Fraud Hotline with concerns related to fraud or waste in government operations by calling (800) 347-8597, Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

## Cybersecurity Initiative

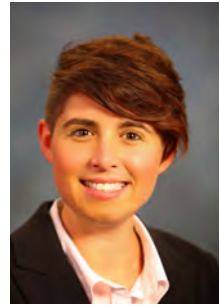
Advances in technology have led to an increased need for data protection. Auditor Galloway's Cybersecurity Initiative places an emphasis on government data protection practices when interacting with citizens and handling or storing personal or financial data. When information and records can be accessed from anywhere in the world, increased precautions must be taken to ensure criminals are not able to access data within schools or other government bodies. Government must be held accountable to keep sensitive information secure and protected for all Missourians.

## Public Engagement

Auditor Galloway is dedicated to helping government officials identify best practices and make lasting improvements for the taxpayers of Missouri. The state auditor and her representative staff regularly speak to groups and organizations on matters related to audit processes, financial controls and procedures and the importance of



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compliance and transparency in state government.

The state auditor also publicly announces the start of each new audit and requests information from citizens, legislators and government employees to assist in completing the audit process and identifying problems. Citizens are urged to contact the auditor's office if they have information they believe could be useful to audit staff.

Citizens may contact the auditor's office to provide information for an audit, request information on audit practices and priorities or sched-

ule a speaker for an upcoming event by calling (800) 347-8597 or by emailing [moaudit@auditor.mo.gov](mailto:moaudit@auditor.mo.gov).

### **Commitment to Transparency**

All audit reports issued by the state auditor are public documents. Reports are available on the

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## Historical Listing, State Auditors

|     | Name and (Party)                       | Term      | County         | Born       | Died       |
|-----|----------------------------------------|-----------|----------------|------------|------------|
| 1.  | William Christy (D)                    | 1820–21   | St. Louis      | 1/10/1764  | 4/3/1837   |
| 2.  | William V. Rector (D)                  | 1821–23   | St. Louis      | Unknown    | 9/16/1829  |
| 3.  | Elias Barcroft (D) <sup>5</sup>        | 1823–33   | St. Louis      | 1778       | 8/26/1851  |
| 4.  | Henry Shurlds (D)                      | 1833–35   | Washington     | 11/21/1796 | 8/2/1852   |
| 5.  | Peter Garland Glover (D)               | 1835–37   | Callaway       | 1/14/1792  | 10/27/1851 |
| 6.  | Hiram H. Baber (D) <sup>5</sup>        | 1837–45   | Cole           | 9/10/1795  | 10/23/1873 |
| 7.  | William Monroe (D)                     | 1845      | Morgan         | Unknown    | 4/9/1846   |
| 8.  | James W. McDearmon (D)                 | 1845–48   | St. Charles    | 8/31/1805  | 3/20/1848  |
| 9.  | George W. Miller (D)                   | 1848–49   | Cole           | Unknown    | 3/19/1879  |
| 10. | Wilson Brown (D)                       | 1849–52   | Cape Girardeau | 8/27/1804  | 8/27/1855  |
| 11. | Abraham Fulkerson (D)                  | 1852      | Cole           | Unknown    | 10/2/1892  |
| 12. | William H. Buffington (D)              | 1853–61   | Cole           | Unknown    | 9/26/1899  |
| 13. | W.S. Moseley (D)                       | 1861–65   | New Madrid     | Unknown    | 1/3/1879   |
| 14. | Alonzo Thompson (R)                    | 1865–69   | Nodaway        | 2/22/1832  | 4/9/1913   |
| 15. | Daniel M. Draper (R)                   | 1869–73   | Montgomery     | 1839       | 5/26/1915  |
| 16. | George Boardman Clark (D)              | 1873–75   | Washington     | Unknown    | 12/8/1903  |
| 17. | Thomas Holladay (D) <sup>5</sup>       | 1875–81   | Madison        | 1834       | 7/31/1904  |
| 18. | John Walker (D) <sup>5</sup>           | 1881–89   | Howard         | Unknown    | 9/30/1892  |
| 19. | James Monroe Seibert (D)               | 1889–1901 | Cape Girardeau | 2/3/1847   | 1/23/1935  |
| 20. | Albert Otis Allen (D)                  | 1901–05   | New Madrid     | 12/12/1842 | 4/4/1926   |
| 21. | William Werner Wilder (R)              | 1905–09   | Ste. Genevieve | 12/13/1857 | 8/26/1930  |
| 22. | John Pemberton Gordon (D) <sup>5</sup> | 1909–17   | Lafayette      | 4/29/1866  | 3/5/1949   |
| 23. | George Ernst Hackman (R) <sup>5</sup>  | 1917–25   | Warren         | 8/10/1877  | 12/29/1954 |
| 24. | Lorenzo Dow Thompson (R) <sup>5</sup>  | 1925–33   | Callaway       | 11/22/1873 | 10/1/1951  |
| 25. | Forrest Smith (D) <sup>5</sup>         | 1933–49   | Ray            | 12/14/1886 | 3/8/1962   |
| 26. | William Henry Holmes (D)               | 1949–53   | Maries         | 4/21/1883  | 3/31/1953  |
| 27. | Haskell Holman (D) <sup>1, 5</sup>     | 1953–71   | Randolph       | 11/29/1908 | 7/12/1974  |
| 28. | Christopher S. (Kit) Bond (R)          | 1971–73   | Audrain        | 3/6/1939   |            |
| 29. | John Ashcroft (R) <sup>2</sup>         | 1973–74   | Greene         | 5/9/1942   |            |
| 30. | George W. Lehr (D)                     | 1974–77   | Jackson        | 3/10/1937  | 3/21/1988  |
| 31. | Thomas M. Keyes (D) <sup>3</sup>       | 1977–78   | Jackson        | 2/4/1914   | 4/3/1987   |
| 32. | James Antonio (R) <sup>5</sup>         | 1978–84   | Cole           | 6/30/1939  |            |
| 33. | Margaret B. Kelly (R) <sup>4, 5</sup>  | 1984–99   | Cole           | 9/17/1935  |            |
| 34. | Claire McCaskill (D)                   | 1999–2007 | Jackson        | 7/24/1953  |            |
| 35. | Susan Montee (D) <sup>6</sup>          | 2007–2011 | Buchanan       | 7/06/1959  |            |
| 36. | Thomas A. Schweich (R)                 | 2011–2015 | St. Louis      | 2/10/1960  | 2/26/2015  |
| 37. | Nicole R. Galloway (D) <sup>7</sup>    | 2015–     | Boone          | 6/13/1982  |            |

<sup>1</sup>Appointed upon death of W.H. Holmes.<sup>2</sup>Appointed upon resignation of Christopher S. Bond.<sup>3</sup>Appointed upon resignation of George W. Lehr.<sup>4</sup>Appointed upon resignation of James Antonio.<sup>5</sup>Some held multiple terms as state auditor. In consideration of space, they are listed here only once.<sup>6</sup>Appointed upon resignation of Claire McCaskill to become U.S. Senator in November 2006.<sup>7</sup>Appointed upon the death of Thomas Schweich.





# Clint Zweifel

## State Treasurer

Elected November 4, 2008  
Term expires January 2017

CLINT ZWEIFEL (ZWY-ful) (Democrat) was elected Missouri's 45th State Treasurer on Nov. 4, 2008, the youngest in more than a century. He was re-elected to his second and final term as Treasurer on Nov. 6, 2012.

Throughout his administration, Treasurer Zweifel has focused on fiscal accountability, economic growth, and making government work better.

As the state's chief investment officer, Treasurer Zweifel has consistently sought simple yet meaningful reforms to ensure the government remains accountable to the public. He manages Missouri's \$3.5 billion portfolio, and through smart, conservative investing, he has protected Missouri's AAA credit rating through the worst economic downturn since the Great Depression.

The Treasurer uses his position as a board member for the Missouri State Employees' Retirement System (MOSERS) to advocate for Missouri taxpayers. In 2014, he successfully fought to make Missouri the first state to ban pension advances, which severely jeopardize public employees' retirement security. He has also worked to create a more transparent state pension fund, pushing for a more complete fee reporting system for taxpayers and retirees. While serving as chair of the pension committee within the National Association of State Treasurers (NAST), he brought awareness of responsible fee disclosures and the danger of pension advances to the national level.

Finally, the Treasurer has overseen several innovations to his Unclaimed Property division, improving Missourians' experience with one of his most popular services. He has returned more than half of all Unclaimed Property in state history, setting return records each year.

In addition to keeping government accountable to Missourians, Treasurer Zweifel has used the scope of his office to enhance economic growth in Missouri from the ground up. Immediately upon taking office, he developed a legislative package that improved and streamlined the Missouri Linked Deposit Program, a low-interest lending program which helps farms and small businesses access low-interest capital, resulting in the approval of nearly \$2 billion in loans.

In 2014, Treasurer Zweifel accepted an appointment by Governor Nixon to lead the Missouri Military Partnership's effort to retain and strengthen the military presence in Missouri,

which currently contributes \$40 billion in economic activity and 275,000 jobs in the state.

As a proponent of good government, the Treasurer has regularly sought creative ways to serve more Missourians. In 2010, as a board member of the Missouri Housing Development Commission, he successfully pushed the board to adopt a policy to provide quality, affordable housing for populations with special needs including individuals who are chronically homeless, mentally ill, veterans, children aging out of foster care, and most recently, survivors of domestic violence. Thanks to his efforts more than 1,000 special needs housing units have been built at no additional cost to taxpayers.

Treasurer Zweifel has also strived to make a college education more affordable for Missouri families. He launched a matching grant program in 2012 for low- and moderate-income families using MOST—Missouri's 529 College Savings Plan, which he chairs. Since then he has partnered with private and nonprofit organizations across the state to implement similar programs which have reached more than 1,000 students in Missouri.

Finally, in recognition of Missouri veterans' service to our state and nation, he championed legislation which forbids the sale of military medals and insignia held in Unclaimed Property. The measures also allow him to work with the public to return those medals. Through this effort he has returned more than 100 medals to the heroes who earned them or their families.

In two terms as State Treasurer, Clint Zweifel has maintained solid fiscal health, overseen economic growth and created more efficient and responsive government for Missourians.

Prior to serving as State Treasurer, Zweifel served in the Missouri House of Representatives for six years.

Born Nov. 3, 1973, in St. Louis, Treasurer Zweifel grew up in nearby Florissant. He graduated from Hazelwood West High School in 1992 and became the first member of his family to attend college. He graduated from the University of Missouri-St. Louis with a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science in 1996 and a Master of Business Administration in 2001. Treasurer Zweifel resides in Columbia with his wife, Janice, and their daughters, Selma and Ellie.



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## Duties

State Treasurer Clint Zweifel is Missouri's chief financial officer, making all investments for the State of Missouri. He oversees state banking services and its \$3.5 billion investment portfolio. Treasurer Zweifel safeguards more than \$874 million in unclaimed property, manages a \$720 million low-interest loan program and leads the state's 529 College Savings Plan. He also serves on a number of public boards. He is one of six statewide elected officials and serves a term of four years. A person may only serve as state treasurer for two terms.

## Protecting Missouri Taxpayers: Banking and Investments

As Missouri's chief financial officer, Treasurer Zweifel provides management of state revenue and investments that is critical to maintaining the state's AAA bond rating. Operating similarly to an official bank, he must authorize payments and balance accounts. To protect taxpayer money, Treasurer Zweifel maintains a separate accounting system to provide a check and balance on the state accounting system and distributes investment earnings to the proper funds. Treasurer Zweifel contracts with Missouri banks to process state receipts and disbursements; handles money and security transfers; reports on the state's accounts, balances and payment activities; and provides related banking services. Bidding for state banking services contracts is open to all qualifying Missouri banks.

Treasurer Zweifel determines the amount of state funds not needed for current operating expenses and invests those funds in interest-bearing time deposits in Missouri banks, U.S. Treasury and federal agency securities, repurchase agreements, banker's acceptances and top-rated commercial paper. Safety is Treasurer Zweifel's top priority in the investment of public funds. Treasurer Zweifel has an average of \$3.5 billion invested daily.



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Director of Banking



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Communications

## Helping Missouri Farmers and Entrepreneurs: Missouri Linked Deposit Program

The Missouri Linked Deposit Program provides low-interest loans to small businesses and farms through partnerships with qualified Missouri lenders. Loan savings are usually 30 percent to the borrower. The loans can be used by small businesses with fewer than 100 employees, agricultural operations, beginning farmers, businesses adding jobs, entities making alternative energy investments, multi-family housing developments and local governments making community improvements.

Treasurer Zweifel expanded this program through his 2009 jobs and economic development legislative package, which has a \$720 million statutory cap. The legislation enhanced program eligibility to incentivize job creation, job retention and community reinvestment. Since taking office in 2009, Treasurer Zweifel has approved nearly \$2 billion in loans impacting 34,000 jobs and farmers. Of that, \$444 million in loans were approved that would not have been allowed before Treasurer Zweifel developed and worked to pass his 2009 jobs and economic de-



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velopment package that allows more farmers and businesses to qualify for loans.

In May 2011, Treasurer Zweifel implemented the Harmed-Area Emergency Loan Priority system, or HELP. HELP provides 24-hour loan approval for counties dealing with disasters. Since its inception, more than \$80 million in loans have been approved.

Financial institutions and borrowers should visit [www.treasurer.mo.gov](http://www.treasurer.mo.gov) to learn more about the program. Borrowers can find a list with more than 130 participating lenders and 350 branches throughout Missouri. The application process has been streamlined and takes about one week to complete.

## Returning Missourians' Money: Unclaimed Property

Treasurer Zweifel is responsible for Unclaimed Property: Missouri's Largest Lost and Found. State law requires financial institutions, insurance companies, public agencies and other business entities to turn over assets that belong to a customer, client, employee or other owner if there have been no documented transactions or contact with the owner for five or more years. Treasurer Zweifel operates an aggressive program to return unclaimed assets to the original owners or their legal heirs. He set another unclaimed property record during fiscal year 2015 by returning nearly \$42 million to account owners.

Most unclaimed property consists of cash from bank accounts, stocks, bonds and contents of safe deposit boxes that have been abandoned. It also can include uncollected insurance policy proceeds, government refunds, utility deposits and wages from past jobs. Unclaimed property does not include real property such as land or houses, or personal property such as cars or boats.

Treasurer Zweifel is dedicated to protecting the military medals and honors turned over to



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Legislative Liaison and  
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his office in safe deposit boxes. When Treasurer Zweifel took office, he found unclaimed military medals were being sold as part of the statutorily required unclaimed property auctions. He immediately put a stop to this practice and set to work on legislation that would ensure no future treasurer could sell medals either. In June of 2010, the Veterans Medal Bill was signed into law after passing through the House and Senate unanimously.

In June 2011, Treasurer Zweifel placed the first Unclaimed Property military medals on display as part of a partnership with the Missouri State Museum made possible by the Veterans Medal Bill. The Distinguished Service Cross and French Cross of War earned by a World War I doctor represent the hundreds of servicemen and women who have sacrificed for the State of Missouri and the country. Treasurer Zweifel continues to work with veterans' organizations and museums to locate and preserve the medals and to honor those that remain in his care.

Building off of his initial efforts, Treasurer Zweifel worked with the legislature in 2013 to pass the Military Medal Return Act. Passed with strong bipartisan support, this bill allows him to share further information about the owners of the

medals on his website and with veterans' organizations.

Treasurer Zweifel currently holds more than \$874 million in unclaimed property in nearly five million owner accounts. All unclaimed property is held in trust forever and may be claimed at any time. To recover unclaimed property, claimants must be either the original owner of the property or a legal heir. Treasurer Zweifel provides all services free of charge. Individuals can check to see if Treasurer Zweifel is holding unclaimed property that may belong to them, sign up for email notifications and file paperless claims at [www.showmemoney.com](http://www.showmemoney.com).

### **Building Access to an Affordable College Education: MOST–Missouri's 529 College Savings Plan**

Treasurer Zweifel chairs the Missouri Higher Education Savings Program Board, which oversees MOST–Missouri's 529 College Savings Plan. Developed in 1999, MOST 529 encourages Missouri families to save for higher education while taking advantage of significant federal and state tax benefits. Accounts can be opened through the do-it-yourself, direct-sold MOST 529 Plan or through the advisor-sold MOST 529 Plan with as little as \$25 or \$15 through payroll deduction. Contributions of up to \$8,000 (\$16,000 for married couples) annually can be deducted from Missouri income taxes, and all earnings are free of federal and state income taxes for qualified withdrawals. Funds from MOST 529 accounts can be used to pay for all eligible educational expenses at virtually any two-year or four-year college or university, vocational, technical or professional school anywhere in the country. As of July 2013, MOST 529 had more than \$2.2 billion in assets, with more than 150,000 account owners.

To open a direct-sold MOST 529, call toll free at (888) 414-MOST or (800) 414-6678), or visit [www.missourimost.org](http://www.missourimost.org). To open a MOST 529 advisor-sold account, contact your financial advisor, call 1-800-617-5097 or visit [www.most529advisor.com](http://www.most529advisor.com).

### **Representing Taxpayers: Boards and Commissions**

Treasurer Zweifel serves on the governing boards of four large public entities: the Missouri Housing Development Commission, which assists in the creation of affordable housing for Missourians; the Missouri State Employees' Retirement System, which manages retirement funds for more than 111,000 state employees and retirees; the Board of Fund Commissioners, which issues, redeems and cancels state general obligation bonds and other debt; and the Missouri Higher Education Savings Program Board, which oversees MOST–Missouri's 529 College Savings Plan. Treasurer Zweifel also serves on the Missouri Cultural Trust Board.

### **Staying Accountable to Missouri Tax Payers**

Treasurer Zweifel is committed to a transparent and accountable administration. He maintains an open government portal at [www.treasurer.mo.gov/content/about-the-office/open-government](http://www.treasurer.mo.gov/content/about-the-office/open-government). Citizens may access investment returns, office policies, meeting minutes and other public information through this portal. Sunshine requests may also be filed electronically through the site.

## Historical Listing, State Treasurers

|     | Name and (Party)                         | Term      | County         | Born       | Died       |
|-----|------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------|------------|------------|
| 1.  | John Peter Didier (D)                    | 1820–21   | St. Louis      | Unknown    | 8/25/1823  |
| 2.  | Nathaniel Simonds (D) <sup>1</sup>       | 1821–29   | St. Louis      | 1775       | 4/7/1850   |
| 3.  | James Earickson (D)                      | 1829–33   | Howard         | 1792       | 1844       |
| 4.  | John Walker (D)                          | 1833–38   | Cole           | 10/17/1772 | 5/26/1838  |
| 5.  | Abraham McClellan (D)                    | 1838–43   | Jackson        | 1775       | 9/18/1851  |
| 6.  | Peter Garland Glover (D) <sup>1</sup>    | 1843–51   | Cole           | 1/14/1792  | 10/27/1851 |
| 7.  | Alfred William Morrison (D) <sup>1</sup> | 1851–61   | Howard         | 11/25/1802 | 8/24/1883  |
| 8.  | George Caleb Bingham (D) <sup>1, 2</sup> | 1862–65   | Jackson        | 3/20/1811  | 7/7/1879   |
| 9.  | William Bishop (R)                       | 1865–69   | Clark          | 1822       | 5/2/1879   |
| 10. | William Quintilis Dallmeyer (R)          | 1869–71   | Gasconade      | 10/23/1829 | 3/15/1908  |
| 11. | Samuel Hays (R)                          | 1871–73   | Buchanan       | Unknown    | 10/8/1897  |
| 12. | Harvey Wallis Salmon (D)                 | 1873–75   | Henry          | 2/26/1839  | 4/27/1927  |
| 13. | Joseph Wayne Mercer (D)                  | 1875–77   | Jackson        | 2/25/1846  | 3/13/1906  |
| 14. | Elijah Gates (D)                         | 1877–81   | Buchanan       | 1827       | 3/4/1915   |
| 15. | Phillip Edward Chappel (D)               | 1881–85   | Cole           | 8/18/1837  | 2/23/1908  |
| 16. | James Monroe Seibert (D)                 | 1885–89   | Cape Girardeau | 12/3/1847  | 1/23/1935  |
| 17. | Edward T. Noland (D)                     | 1889–90   | Cape Girardeau | 3/24/1847  | 6/20/1926  |
| 18. | Lon Vest Stephens (D)                    | 1890–97   | Cooper         | 12/1/1855  | 1/10/1923  |
| 19. | Frank Littleton Pitts (D)                | 1897–1901 | Monroe         | 4/25/1841  | 2/4/1905   |
| 20. | Robert Prewitt Williams (D)              | 1901–05   | Howard         | 9/8/1841   | 7/11/1910  |
| 21. | Jacob Friedrich Gmelich (R)              | 1905–09   | Cooper         | 7/23/1839  | 2/21/1914  |
| 22. | James Cowgill (D)                        | 1909–13   | Jackson        | 4/2/1848   | 1/20/1922  |
| 23. | Edwin P. Deal (D)                        | 1913–17   | Mississippi    | 4/19/1859  | 12/10/1945 |
| 24. | George H. Middlekamp (D)                 | 1917–21   | Warren         | 4/20/1880  | 10/5/1966  |
| 25. | Lorenzo Dow Thompson (R)                 | 1921–25   | Callaway       | 11/22/1873 | 10/1/1951  |
| 26. | C. Eugene Stephens (R)                   | 1925–29   | St. Louis      | 12/20/1889 | 6/25/1970  |
| 27. | Larry Brunk (R)                          | 1929–33   | Lawrence       | 2/9/1883   | 11/22/1956 |
| 28. | Richard R. Nacy (D)                      | 1933–37   | Cole           | 11/7/1895  | 1/10/1961  |
| 29. | Robert William Winn (D)                  | 1937–41   | Ralls          | 6/9/1895   | 8/13/1948  |
| 30. | Wilson Bell (D)                          | 1941–45   | Washington     | 5/24/1897  | 5/20/1947  |
| 31. | Robert William Winn (D)                  | 1945–48   | Ralls          | 6/9/1895   | 8/13/1948  |
| 32. | Richard R. Nacy (D) <sup>3</sup>         | 1948–49   | Cole           | 11/7/1895  | 1/10/1961  |
| 33. | Mount Etna Morris (D)                    | 1949–53   | Grundy         | 9/1/1900   | 7/8/1988   |
| 34. | George Hubert Bates (D)                  | 1953–57   | Lafayette      | 12/8/1884  | 7/22/1978  |
| 35. | Mount Etna Morris (D)                    | 1957–61   | Grundy         | 9/1/1900   | 7/8/1988   |
| 36. | Milton Carpenter (D)                     | 1961–65   | St. Louis City | 3/4/1905   | 11/19/1996 |
| 37. | Mount Etna Morris (D)                    | 1965–69   | Grundy         | 9/1/1900   | 7/8/1988   |
| 38. | William Edmond Robinson (D)              | 1969–73   | Cole           | 6/1/1920   | 10/16/1992 |
| 39. | James I. Spainhower (D) <sup>1</sup>     | 1973–81   | Cole           | 8/3/1928   |            |
| 40. | Mel Carnahan (D)                         | 1981–85   | Phelps         | 2/11/1934  | 10/16/2000 |
| 41. | Wendell Bailey (R) <sup>1</sup>          | 1985–93   | Howell         | 7/31/1940  |            |
| 42. | Bob Holden (D) <sup>1</sup>              | 1993–2001 | Shannon        | 8/24/1949  |            |
| 43. | Nancy Farmer (D)                         | 2001–05   | St. Louis City | 9/11/1956  |            |
| 44. | Sarah Steelman (R)                       | 2005–09   | Phelps         | 5/3/1958   |            |
| 45. | Clint Zweifel (D) <sup>1</sup>           | 2009–     | St. Louis      | 11/3/1973  |            |

<sup>1</sup>Some held multiple terms as state treasurer. In consideration of space, they are listed here only once.

<sup>2</sup>Bingham was appointed state treasurer by provisional Governor Gamble when Morrison refused to take a loyalty oath.

<sup>3</sup>Appointed upon the death of Robert William Winn.





# Chris Koster

## Attorney General

Elected November 4, 2008  
Term expires January 2017

CHRIS KOSTER (Democrat) was sworn in as the 41<sup>st</sup> attorney general for Missouri on Jan. 12, 2009, and was subsequently re-elected in 2012. Since becoming attorney general, Koster has focused efforts on detecting and prosecuting Medicaid fraud, cracking down on fraudulent auto service contract businesses, using Missouri's legal authority to protect the state's water resources, educating young people about Internet safety and making local public officials aware of their obligations under Missouri's open records laws.

Through the office's Consumer Protection Division, Koster is working to focus efforts on the biggest threats to consumers. Early in his term, as the state and nation were deep in a housing-foreclosure crisis, the attorney general demanded a "zero tolerance" campaign against businesses that promised foreclosure relief without delivering services, as well as against businesses that used deceptive practices to entice consumers to refinance. The attorney general also is aggressively targeting businesses that violate Missouri's no-call list, pursuing substantial penalties against them.

As attorney general, Koster argued before the United States Supreme Court and personally prosecuted two murder cases. Koster has conducted statewide conferences on the issues of domestic violence, public safety and representative policing.

Before his election as attorney general, Koster represented the 31<sup>st</sup> district in the Missouri Senate from 2004 to 2008, which covers Cass, Johnson, Bates and Vernon counties.

During his time in the General Assembly, Koster played key roles in the debates over stem cell research, tort reform and the elimination of Medicaid fraud. Additionally, in 2006, Koster successfully carried legislation in the Senate to dramatically overhaul Missouri's eminent domain laws.

Prior to his election to the Missouri Senate in 2004, Koster served as prosecuting attorney of Cass County for 10 years. He was first elected prosecutor in 1994 and was subsequently re-

elected in 1998 and 2002 by wide margins. As prosecutor, Koster supervised a staff of 20 individuals dedicated to enforcing Missouri's criminal laws in Cass County. His office also served as the civil counsel for all non-criminal matters before the county government.

During his tenure, Koster supervised litigation in approximately 20,000 cases. He led investigations into many of Kansas City's most notorious criminal cases, including the investigation and prosecution of serial killer John E. Robinson. He has developed extensive trial experience and has argued and won cases before the Missouri Supreme Court. He played a leading role in the construction of the Cass County Justice Center, which opened in 2002 in Harrisonville.

Koster is active in his community. He has served on the Missouri Sentencing Advisory Commission and the state's Bioterrorism Task Force. Additionally, Koster has served as a director of the Missouri Association of Prosecuting Attorneys, a member of the U.S. Attorney's Anti-Terrorism Task Force and director of the Hope Haven Women's Shelter. In 2002, *Ingram's* magazine named Koster "one of Kansas City's most influential citizens under 40 years old." In 2004, the *Kansas City Business Journal* named Koster to its list of Kansas City's best attorneys. On multiple occasions, he has been included among Missouri's most influential lawyers by *Missouri Lawyers Weekly*.

Prior to becoming prosecuting attorney, Koster practiced law with the Kansas City law firm of Blackwell Sanders from 1993 to 1994. He also served as a Missouri Assistant Attorney General from 1991 to 1993.

Koster was born and raised in St. Louis. After graduating from St. Louis University High School in 1982, he received a liberal arts degree from the University of Missouri-Columbia in 1987 and his law degree from University of Missouri-Columbia School of Law in 1991. Additionally, Koster earned a Master in Business Administration from Washington University in St. Louis in 2002.



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The attorney general is the attorney for the state, representing the legal interests of Missouri and its state agencies.

As the state's chief legal officer, the attorney general must prosecute or defend all appeals to which the state is a party, including every felony criminal case appealed to the Missouri Supreme Court and Courts of Appeal. The attorney general also is required to institute, in the name and on behalf of the state, all civil suits and other proceedings that are necessary to protect the state's rights, interests or claims. The attorney general may appear, interplead, answer or defend any proceedings that involve the state's interests or appear on behalf of the state in declaratory judgment proceedings when the constitutionality of a statute is challenged.

The attorney general also renders official opinions to the executive and legislative branches and county prosecuting attorneys on questions of law relating to their duties. The attorney general may institute *quo warranto* proceedings against anyone unlawfully holding office or move to oust any public official for malfeasance in office.

The attorney general's office was created in 1806 when Missouri was part of the Louisiana Territory. The first Missouri Constitution in 1820 provided for an appointed attorney general, but since the 1865 Constitution, the attorney general has been elected.

By law, the attorney general is a member of the Board of Fund Commissioners, the Board of Public Buildings, the Governor's Committee on Interstate Cooperation, the Missouri Highway Reciprocity Commission and the Missouri Housing Development Commission.

To fulfill these and other responsibilities, the attorney general's office is organized into nine divisions.



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Legislative Director

## Agriculture and Environment Division

The Agriculture and Environment Division aggressively protects Missouri's natural resources and agricultural productivity. The division's attorneys take legal action to stop pollution, seek monetary fines and penalties and, in the most serious cases, to criminally prosecute those who violate Missouri's environmental laws.

The division works to protect and enhance agriculture and the quality of life for rural Missourians by enforcing Missouri's agricultural laws and advocating responsible public policy. The attorney general protects the state's interests in

the Missouri River and other valuable resources, including state parks and waterways such as the Meramec River and White River basin.

Division attorneys represent the Department of Natural Resources and its constituent boards and commissions, as well as the Department of Agriculture, in hundreds of active enforcement cases and administrative appeals. The division also cooperates with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, the U.S. Department of Justice and the U.S. Attorney's Office to enforce state and federal environmental laws.

## Consumer Protection Division

The attorney general is responsible for protecting the public's interests in an open and honest marketplace. The Consumer Protection Division enforces Missouri's Consumer Protection Act and antitrust laws, and has the responsibility of representing the commissioner of securities of the secretary of state's office. Missouri's consumer protection statutes prohibit deception, fraud, unfair practices and misrepresentation or concealment of material facts in the sale or advertisement of goods or services. These laws authorize the attorney general to take action against such fraud and ensure consumers' rights are protected.

The division also has an active consumer education program. Consumers can file complaints or obtain information by calling the Attorney General's Consumer Hotline at (800) 392-8222 or online at [www.ago.mo.gov](http://www.ago.mo.gov). The division receives more than 90,000 consumer complaints and inquiries each year.

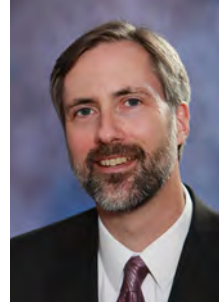
Under Missouri antitrust laws, the attorney general has the authority to represent the state or any of its political subdivisions, public agencies, school districts or municipalities in actions to prohibit monopolies and trade restraints. The attorney general also may act under federal antitrust statutes to bring civil actions in the name of the state and on behalf of Missouri residents to recover damages for injuries caused by certain antitrust violations.

The attorney general is the state's chief prosecutor for securities fraud, and may initiate legal actions for civil injunctive relief, penalties and restitution under the Missouri Merchandising Practices Law. Attorneys in this division also protect Missourians by enforcing compliance with state laws by trusts, foundations and nonprofit corporations.

The No Call program to reduce unwanted telemarketing calls also is under the Consumer Protection Division. Missourians may register for No Call by calling (866) 662-2551 or online at [www.ago.mo.gov](http://www.ago.mo.gov).



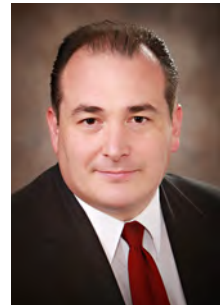
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## Criminal Division

The attorney general represents the state in every felony case appealed to the Supreme Court of Missouri and Missouri Court of Appeals. Each year, attorneys in the Criminal Division brief and argue more than 700 cases in the Missouri Court of Appeals and the Missouri Supreme Court. Division attorneys also assist local and state authorities with extraditions to and from Missouri of those charged in criminal cases.

## Financial Services Division

The Financial Services Division protects Missourians by recouping money owed to the state or state agencies, including providing collection services to several divisions of the attorney general's office and more than 40 other state agencies. Division attorneys also take legal action to establish, maintain and modify child support obligations and work to recover money owed by inmates to reimburse the state for the cost of their care.

## Governmental Affairs Division

The Governmental Affairs Division protects the safety and well-being of Missourians by en-

sureing regulated professionals adhere to state laws and disciplinary rules by enforcing state ethics and campaign finance laws and enforcing penalties against nursing homes for violating standards of care and removing caregivers who abuse or neglect vulnerable citizens. They also help mentally ill and physically challenged Missourians obtain guardians to help obtain care.

The division provides legal representation to state officers—including the secretary of state, treasurer and auditor—as well as several state agencies, including the departments of health and senior services, mental health and social services; the Missouri Ethics Commission; the Health Facilities Review Committee; and more than 30 professional licensing boards. Division attorneys also defend constitutional challenges to state laws and ballot issues. Division attorneys enforce the provisions of the tobacco Master Settlement Agreement, which has brought in more than \$1.5 billion to the state as of April 2009. Attorneys in the division also address questions from the public, from government officials and from the media about Missouri's open meetings and records law, commonly known as the Sunshine Law.

## Labor Division

The Labor Division provides general counsel and litigation services for the Missouri Department of Labor and Industrial Relations and its officers and agencies. The division also represents the state in crime victims' claims and workers' compensation cases of state employees, including claims involving the Second Injury Fund.

## Litigation Division

Litigation division attorneys handle major and complex litigation for Missouri, providing legal defense to state officials, state agencies and their employees. Cases in the division include damage claims, contract actions, class-action lawsuits, employment issues, constitutional challenges, suits seeking injunctive relief and other types of civil litigation.

The division defends the state in lawsuits brought by inmates of Missouri's correctional facilities. Division attorneys also defend constitutional challenges to state laws and ballot issues. Attorneys in the litigation division defend lawsuits filed against the police boards and the police officers of the cities of St. Louis and Kansas City, Mo.

The division also represents the Missouri Commission on Human Rights in cases before the Administrative Hearing Commission and in all subsequent court actions. The division enforces the Missouri Human Rights Act and takes action on behalf of Missouri citizens in discrimination cases. The division enforces state interests



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regarding the Americans with Disabilities Act and the Federal Fair Housing Act.

Finally, the division protects and enforces workers' rights in Missouri under the prevailing wage and minimum wage laws, and Missouri's unauthorized workers law.

## Medicaid Fraud Control Unit

The Medicaid Fraud Control Unit prosecutes cases involving fraud of the state Medicaid program by health professionals, and prosecute abuse or neglect of Medicaid recipients by caregivers. The unit has obtained more than \$278 million in Medicaid fraud judgments and recoveries since 2009.

## Public Safety Division

The Public Safety Division is involved in a wide range of criminal prosecutions at the trial level. The division's special prosecution unit prosecutes or assists in the prosecution of cases throughout Missouri, many of them homicide cases. In 2010, division attorneys had more than 483 active special prosecutions throughout the state's 114 counties and the City of St. Louis. The unit also specializes in handling criminal cases

involving the manufacture, sale or possession of methamphetamine.

The Workers' Compensation Fraud Unit prosecutes fraud or misconduct involving workers' compensation, and the division's High Technology and Computer Crime Unit assists local law enforcement with investigations and prosecutions of computer and Internet crime cases. The Sexually Violent Predator Unit seeks the civil commitment of sexual predators who suffer from a mental abnormality making them more likely to commit additional predatory acts of sexual violence.

Attorneys in the division also serve as legal counsel for the Department of Public Safety, the Missouri State Highway Patrol, the Missouri State Water Patrol and other state law enforcement agencies, and represent those agencies in all civil litigation to which they are a party. Division attorneys also defend the state in all habeas corpus actions filed by prison inmates in state and fed-



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eral courts. Each year, they litigate some 500 federal habeas corpus actions in the federal district courts, the Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals and the U.S. Supreme Court.

# Historical Listing, Attorneys General

|     | Name and (Party)                            | Term      | County          | Born       | Died       |
|-----|---------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------|------------|------------|
| 1.  | Edward Bates (D)                            | 1820–21   | St. Louis       | 9/4/1793   | 3/25/1869  |
| 2.  | Rufus Easton (D)                            | 1821–26   | St. Louis       | 3/4/1774   | 7/5/1834   |
| 3.  | Robert William Wells (D)                    | 1826–36   | St. Charles     | 11/29/1795 | 9/22/1861  |
| 4.  | William Barclay Napton (D)                  | 1836–39   | Howard          | 1808       | 1/8/1883   |
| 5.  | Samuel Mansfield Bay (D)                    | 1839–45   | Cole            | 1810       | 7/1849     |
| 6.  | Benjamin F. Stringfellow (D)                | 1845–49   | Chariton        | 9/3/1816   | 4/25/1891  |
| 7.  | William A. Robards (D)                      | 1849–51   | Boone           | 5/3/1817   | 9/3/1851   |
| 8.  | James B. Gardenhire (Whig)                  | 1851–57   | Buchanan        | 1821       | 2/20/1862  |
| 9.  | Ephraim B. Ewing (D)                        | 1857–58   | Ray             | 5/1819     | 6/2/1873   |
| 10. | J. Proctor Knott (D)                        | 1858–61   | Scotland        | 8/29/1830  | 6/18/1911  |
| 11. | Aikman Welch (D) <sup>1</sup>               | 1861–64   | Johnson         | 5/25/1827  | 7/28/1864  |
| 12. | Thomas Theodore Crittenden (D) <sup>2</sup> | 1864      | Johnson         | 1/22/1832  | 5/29/1909  |
| 13. | Robert Franklin Wingate (D)                 | 1865–69   | St. Louis       | 1/24/1822  | 11/12/1897 |
| 14. | Horace B. Johnson (R)                       | 1869–71   | Cole            | 8/14/1842  | 3/30/1904  |
| 15. | Andrew Jackson Baker (R) <sup>3</sup>       | 1871–72   | Schuyler        | 6/6/1832   | 4/23/1911  |
| 16. | Henry Clay Ewing (D)                        | 1873–75   | Cole            | 8/15/1828  | 3/22/1907  |
| 17. | John A. Hockaday (D)                        | 1875–77   | Callaway        | 1837       | 11/20/1903 |
| 18. | Jackson Leonidas Smith (D)                  | 1877–81   | Cole            | 1/31/1837  | 11/13/1908 |
| 19. | Daniel Harrison McIntyre (D)                | 1881–85   | Audrain         | 5/5/1833   | 1/1/1910   |
| 20. | Banton Gallitin Boone (D)                   | 1885–89   | Henry           | 10/23/1838 | 2/11/1900  |
| 21. | John McKee Wood (D)                         | 1889–93   | Clark           | 8/8/1850   | 1/24/1926  |
| 22. | Robert Franklin Walker (D)                  | 1893–97   | Morgan          | 11/29/1850 | 11/19/1930 |
| 23. | Edward Coke Crow (D)                        | 1897–1905 | Jasper          | 12/19/1861 | 5/9/1945   |
| 24. | Herbert Spencer Hadley (R)                  | 1905–09   | Jackson         | 2/20/1872  | 12/1/1927  |
| 25. | Elliott Woolfolk Major (D)                  | 1909–13   | Pike            | 10/20/1864 | 7/9/1949   |
| 26. | John Tull Barker (D)                        | 1913–17   | Macon           | 8/2/1877   | 12/7/1958  |
| 27. | Frank Winton McAllister (D)                 | 1917–21   | Monroe          | 1/26/1873  | 6/11/1948  |
| 28. | Jesse W. Barrett (R)                        | 1921–25   | Lewis           | 3/17/1884  | 11/12/1953 |
| 29. | Robert William Otto (R) <sup>4</sup>        | 1925      | Franklin        | 12/25/1892 | 5/5/1977   |
| 30. | North Todd Gentry (R)                       | 1925–28   | Boone           | 3/2/1866   | 9/18/1944  |
| 31. | Stratton Shartel (R)                        | 1928–33   | Newton          | 12/25/1895 | 2/2/1956   |
| 32. | Roy M. McKittrick (D) <sup>5</sup>          | 1933–45   | Chariton        | 8/24/1888  | 1/22/1961  |
| 33. | Jonathan E. (Buck) Taylor (D) <sup>5</sup>  | 1945–53   | Livingston      | 11/26/1906 | 12/27/1981 |
| 34. | John M. Dalton (D)                          | 1953–61   | Dunklin         | 11/9/1900  | 7/7/1972   |
| 35. | Thomas F. Eagleton (D)                      | 1961–65   | St. Louis City  | 9/4/1929   | 3/4/2007   |
| 36. | Norman H. Anderson (D)                      | 1965–69   | St. Louis       | 3/24/1924  | 6/16/1997  |
| 37. | John C. Danforth (R)                        | 1969–77   | St. Louis, Cole | 9/5/1936   |            |
| 38. | John D. Ashcroft (R)                        | 1977–85   | Greene          | 5/9/1942   |            |
| 39. | William L. Webster (R) <sup>5</sup>         | 1985–93   | Jasper          | 9/17/1953  |            |
| 40. | Jeremiah W. (Jay) Nixon (D) <sup>5</sup>    | 1993–2009 | Jefferson       | 2/13/1956  |            |
| 41. | Chris Koster (D) <sup>5</sup>               | 2009–     | Cass            | 8/31/1964  |            |

<sup>1</sup>Welch was appointed attorney general by provisional Governor Gamble when Knott refused to take a loyalty oath.  
<sup>2</sup>Crittenden was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Aikman Welch, who died in office. Crittenden only served until the end of that year.  
<sup>3</sup>Baker ran and was elected as a Liberal Republican.  
<sup>4</sup>Otto left office to become a Supreme Court Judge.  
<sup>5</sup>Some held multiple terms as attorney general. In consideration of space, some are listed here only once.

Note: Like other state offices, except governor and lieutenant governor, the attorney general's office was filled by appointment from 1820-1852. The offices then became elective for four-year terms. They changed to two-year elective terms in 1868, and changed back to four-year elective terms in 1875.