



NORTHWEST NEWSFLASH

NORTHWEST MISSOURI REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS

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REGIONAL COUNCIL OFFERING ASSISTANCE WITH STRATEGIC PLANS

If your jurisdiction has a Strategic Plan in place that needs updated, or if you don't have an existing Plan but would like one, the Regional Council staff is here to help. A strategic plan is intended to position a county or city to address the needs of the jurisdiction for some foreseeable time in the future. Traditionally, strategic plans range from five-10 years, with a built in process for review and modification. A strategic plan should be dynamic and recognize that unforeseen changes can and will necessitate modifications of the plan. The plan development process typically includes an assessment of strengths and weaknesses, stakeholder input, developing a mission statement and a vision for the future, and setting goals. Please reach out to Jerri via email at jerri@nwmorcog.org if your jurisdiction is interested in updating or creating a Strategic Plan.

THE REGIONAL COUNCIL IS HIRING!!

Northwest Missouri Regional Council of Governments is seeking applicants for a part-time position to manage the Solid Waste Program and assist with other office duties in our Maryville, Missouri office. The right person will work with the five-county area consisting of the cities, schools, and businesses on ways to reduce, reuse and recycle goods through the solid waste program. The position will also include general office duties within our agency. As an entry level position, the right candidate will start with a wage of \$16/hr. If you like to help people and work with communities, this is a great opportunity for you to get started with a career as a planner and administrative assistant. The Northwest Missouri Regional Council of Governments is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Applicants for employment who feel they are the subject of discrimination may contact the NWMORCOG Executive Director or the Missouri state EO officer. For a full job description, visit www.nwmorcog.org. Deadline for consideration is December 7, 2022. To apply for the position, please email a resume and cover letter to jerri@nwmorcog.org.

SHERIDAN RECYCLING SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3

David Chesnut of Nodaway Co Recycling will hold another event on December 3 from 8–10 a.m. in Sheridan on the west side of the park. This is the final collection date. Education will be provided on site as to which materials will be collected, the processing of materials, removing contaminated items and labels, and how to sort materials. There is no fee to drop-off. For further information, contact Jessie Smock at 660-582-5121, ext. 4 or email jessie@nwmorcog.org. All metals will be accepted with the following guidelines:

- Aluminum cans – rinsed
- Metal containers – emptied, labels removed, rinsed
- Tin food cans – rinsed and labels removed, no food or liquid
- Lids placed inside the can
- Contact in advance for large metals, white goods, electronics, etc.

VOTE FOR US!

The Regional Council is participating in the Downtown Maryville Window Display Contest... but since we don't have windows like a traditional storefront, we decorated our whole exterior. Staff spent time following our Thanksgiving lunch creating the decorations from scratch so a lot of team bonding, team building, and teamwork went into the decorations. We are so excited for you to see what we've come up with. Photos of the displays have been posted on the Downtown Maryville Facebook page. To vote, please go to <https://www.facebook.com/maryvillemodowntown> and "like", comment or share the photo of the Regional Council building. Voting ends December 3. Here is a sneak peek...



Other Upcoming Events

November 28: MoDOT Northwest District Public Meeting on Unfunded Needs Lists, 1-3 p.m., East Hills Public Library, St. Joseph, MO

December 3: Sheridan Recycling Collection, 8-10 a.m., west side of Sheridan Park

December 6: Northwest Workforce Development Board Meeting, 6 p.m., virtual

December 8: RDC and RCOG quarterly board meetings, 6 p.m., Nodaway County Administration Building, Maryville

December 23: RCOG Office Closed

December 26: RCOG Office Closed

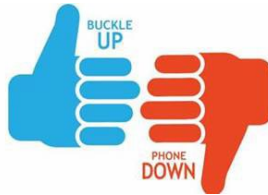
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