

**RESOLUTION NO. 1562**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEVADA, MISSOURI APPROVING MEMBERSHIP IN THE KAYSINGER BASIN REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Nevada, Missouri desires membership in the Kaysinger Basin Regional Planning Commission, and;

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Nevada, Missouri authorizes such membership and financial participation, and;

**WHEREAS**, the City of Nevada, Missouri has determined that the regional program can assist in guiding unified development, eliminate planning duplication and will provide economy and efficiency in the coordinated economic development of the area.

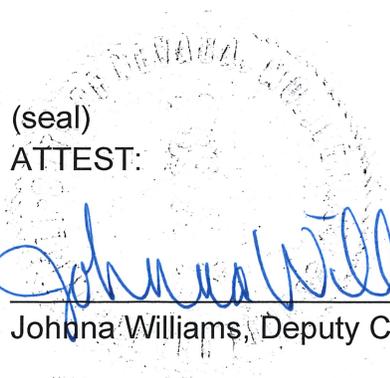
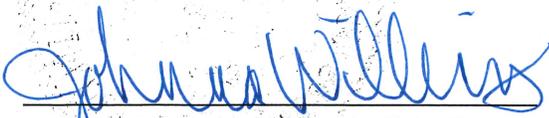
**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT**, the City of Nevada, Missouri, participate through membership in the Kaysinger Basin Regional Planning Commission, and that financial contribution of \$.22/Capita (total \$1844.92) as has been determined by the Commission.

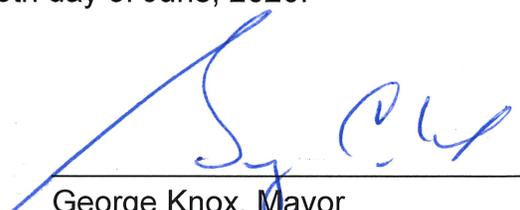
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT**, the City Council hereby appoints, Randy Marti, Administrative Services Director, to represent the City of Nevada, Missouri on the Kaysinger Basin Regional Planning Commission.

**PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED**, this 16th day of June, 2020.

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ATTEST:

  
  
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Johana Williams, Deputy City Clerk

  
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George Knox, Mayor



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Memo: Kaysinger Basin RPC Region Counties and Communities  
From: Sheridan Garman-Neeman, Executive Director  
Subject: 2020-21 KBRPC Membership  
Date: May 12, 2020

To all of our local government partners in the Kaysinger region:

As the new fiscal year approaches, Kaysinger staff are gearing up for another busy year, and we are very excited about the direction planned for our projects and programs. In 2019 we secured nearly half a million dollars in local and federal grant funding for economic development in the region. We don't want to stop there and are working on regional economic development funding for projects such as preserving the MNA short line that runs between Clinton and Nevada, updating our regional economic development plan to reflect a response to the economic stress caused by COVID-19, and working with the cities and counties in our region to develop a long-term economic pandemic response.

In order to support that work and to better support our counties and cities we will be hiring an emergency planner/emergency response coordinator and an additional grant writer. Our work in transportation planning, solid waste management, and hazard mitigation planning is more vital than ever before and I think you will find those services are now more responsive to your needs as cities and counties. Your membership is vital for Kaysinger to bring these projects and future opportunities to this region, and for the success of our region as a whole. In addition to the programs listed above, your annual membership entitles your county to the following services:

1. Partnership with MoDOT including the annual prioritization of projects
2. Updated Hazard Mitigation Plans every 5 years
3. Grant writing services
4. Opportunities associated with the Missouri Association of Councils of Governments (MACOG)
5. Kaysinger acting as a liaison between federal and state opportunities and you our local governments- we can help you navigate bureaucracy!
6. Economic Development assistance, including EEZ management
7. Mapping services
8. Consultations at any time with the Director or staff
9. Educational events/trainings
10. A constant resource for funding opportunities and ideas- tell us about your project and we will work to find a way to fund it.
11. Access to a foundational funding database

We ask that you please return your assessment in conjunction with the enclosed invoice by June 30, 2020. Along with your remittance, please be sure to include the completed Resolution of Membership for cities/villages or the Resolution of Membership for Commissioners. This form requests an officially designated representative from your governing body to be a member of the Kaysinger Full Commission, which is comprised of a representative from each member community, and meets twice a year. This representative will be the point of contact for Kaysinger staff, have the opportunity to attend all board meetings, and can relay vital information back to their city councils. The Kaysinger Board of Directors itself is then made up of three (3) members of each county that meets bimonthly. Thank you for your continued support of Kaysinger and your investment in your community and our entire region. We have made significant progress in the region in terms of community and economic development and we could not have done it without you.

As your communities move forward in the wake of the pandemic, Kaysinger will be there to support you every step of the way. Please reach out to me if I can be of help in any way or if you can think of different ways that Kaysinger can support your communities.

Most Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sheridan Garman-Neeman".

Sheridan Garman-Neeman