



The Neighborhood Engagement Newsletter!

"Helping Neighbors Connect"

October 2026

Missouri Good Neighbor Week results are in!

***Excelsior Springs
is named Most
Neighborly City
in Missouri!!!***

(Medium size category)



***Cora Boothe
named one of
Missouri's Most
Engaged
Neighbors!***





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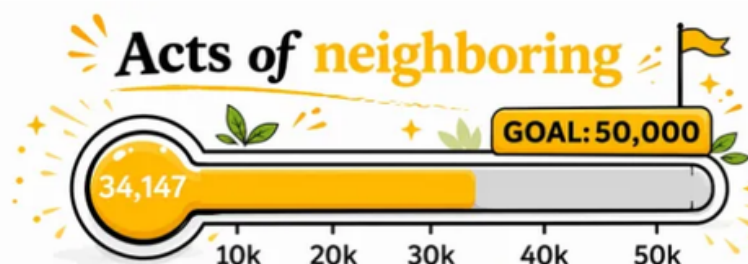
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6,143 residents of Excelsior Springs were impacted by Acts of Neighboring, and that pushed ES to the #1 spot for medium sized cities (5,000-15,000)!



**A Year of Neighboring Activity,
A Week to Celebrate It.**

The Missouri Good Neighbor Week program set a goal of 50,000 people impacted by acts of neighboring. The total was.....84,541!!!





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THRIVE EXCELSIOR CURB APPEAL CONTEST



Two Curb Appeal Contests in October are brought to
you by
FAMILY WEALTHCARE CENTER
AND
MCLENDON SEAMLESS GUTTERING AND
EXTERIORS!

Nominate Spooky or Festive Fall
properties here:
[Curb Appeal Nomination Form](#)





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Contact
Neighborhood
Specialist, Laura
Mize, for assistance
and tools in planning
your neighborhood
gathering!
816-629-7011



Upcoming engagement events!

- Oct. 31 Halloween, Mayor's Block Party Challenge ends
- Nov. 1 Out & About
- November Friendsgiving Celebrations



NEIGHBORING AND HALLOWEEN

What could be easier? Neighbors literally come to your door! Take the opportunity to introduce yourself. Set up a "Parent Relief Station" with water or cider. It may be the beginning of a neighborly friendship!





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A YEAR OF NEIGHBORING

- **January:** Joining Fair (coming in 2027!)
- **February:** “Dear Excelsior Springs,” Write down a favorite memory, place, event, or tell about a kind neighbor (coming in 2027!)
- **March:** March Neighborliness Bracket
- **March-November:** Out & About in Your Neighborhood
- **April:** The Mayor’s Block Party Challenge begins
- **May-August:** Block Parties
- **June:** Show Me Neighborhood Art Month
- **July:** Independence Day Block Parties!
- **September:** Missouri Good Neighbor Week Sept 28-Oct 4
- **October:** Halloween ends The Mayor’s Block Party Challenge
- **November:** Friendsgiving
- **December:** Advent Neighboring, 31 Days of Neighboring



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