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Greene County Flag Day Celebration

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. – The Greene County Commission, officeholders and department heads invite the public to attend the annual County Flag Day celebration on Wednesday, June 14 at 10:00 AM in the Rotunda of the Historic Courthouse.

The celebration will honor the establishment of the U.S. flag dating back to June 14, 1777, by the second Continental Congress.

The celebration will include a presentation from the Ozark Mountain chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution, a musical performance by the Courthouse Chorale and a proclamation given by the Commission.

"The County Commission is pleased to partner once again with the Ozark Mountain Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution in an effort to enliven the patriotic spirit of our citizens and to invest our people with a deeper sense of heritage and community roots," said Greene County Presiding Commissioner, Bob Dixon. "We invite all citizens to join us."

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Greene County is the State of Missouri's fourth most populous county, serving approximately 295,000 people. Its mission is to provide all citizens of Greene County, including those in its cities, a safe and thriving community through excellent customer service, unparalleled dedication, and the efficient use of taxpayer dollars. The Greene County Commission is the executive body of Greene County operating under guidelines established in the Revised Statutes of the State of Missouri. Within that authority the Commission enacts ordinances, resolutions

and policies, supervises the activities of county departments, fixes salaries, adopts the annual budget, provides for construction and other services, and conducts hearings on planning and zoning matters.

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