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Sen. Nodler Successfully Sponsors Appointment of Jane B. Wyman to the MSSC Board of Regents

JEFFERSON CITY -- State Sen. Gary Nodler, R-Joplin, has successfully sponsored the appointment of Jane B. Wyman of Alba to the Missouri Southern State College Board of Regents.

“Jane will be a great asset to the Missouri Southern board,” said Nodler. “She has a long history with MSSC and has worked hard to help promote the college.”

A graduate of MSSC, Wyman is a former member of the Board of Regents. A former Jasper County Associate Circuit Judge, she is currently an attorney in Carthage.

Wyman has been active in the Joplin community, and is a member of the Jasper County Women’s Law Association and is the director of the Jasper County Association for Social Services, Inc.

The Missouri Southern State College Board of Regents governs the Joplin college and is responsible for hiring the college president and reviewing his performance every year; clarifying the institution’s mission; approving the institution’s long-term mission and plans; preserving institutional independence; ensuring the institution’s financial solvency; and enhancing the college’s public image.

“As a graduate of Missouri Southern, Jane has a unique insight into the college,” Nodler said. “We are fortunate to be able to have her serve on the board again.”

The governor makes appointments to state boards and commissions with the advice and consent of the Senate.

The Senate Committee on gubernatorial appointments usually meets weekly during the legislative session. Their sponsoring senator presents each appointee to the committee.

Appointees must be approved by the committee and confirmed by the full Senate before taking the position on the board or the committee.

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