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## Sen. Frank Barnitz Announces \$417,100 Grant for the City of Cuba

JEFFERSON CITY – State Senator Frank Barnitz, D-Lake Spring, is proud to announce that the City of Cuba will receive a \$417,100 community grant. The Community Development Block Grant will be used for housing rehabilitation.

"These funds can be used to improve the living conditions of hard-working families," Barnitz said. "With these improvements, the people of Cuba will have an even better place to call home."

The Community Development Block Grant Program offers grants to Missouri communities to improve local facilities, address critical health and safety concerns, and develop a greater capacity for growth. Grants provide funds for projects that range from housing and street repairs to industrial loans and job training.

Community Development Block Grants are issued by the Missouri Department of Economic Development. Block grant staffers at the Community Development division rely on communication with community leaders to determine which areas are most deserving of development grants.

"I congratulate the people of Cuba for working to obtain these needed funds," Barnitz said.

"They have taken the responsibility of improving their city and the lives of residents."

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