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Sen. Frank Barnitz Announces \$105,000 in Funding for Owensville Arts Program

JEFFERSON CITY – State Senator Frank Barnitz, D-Lake Spring, is proud to announce that the Owensville Arts Council has been approved for \$105,000 in tax credits through the Missouri Department of Economic Development’s Neighborhood Assistance Program.

“This is an outstanding opportunity to enrich the lives of Owensville and Gasconade County residents,” Barnitz said. “Whether citizens utilize these funds for artistic achievement or simple entertainment, all members of the community will benefit.”

The Owensville Arts Council is raising funds to renovate the Gasconade Theatre in order to show weekend movies and accommodate community activities, such as live theatre, civic events, workshops and art shows.

The Neighborhood Assistance Program provides assistance to community-based organizations for the implementation of community projects focusing on community service, education, crime prevention, job training and physical revitalization. Applications for funding may be submitted any time after March 15 to qualify for a project for the following fiscal year, which begins July 1 of each year.

For more information about the program, contact Neighborhood Assistance Program manager Brenda Horstman at (573) 751-4539.

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