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Senator Bill Stouffer Announces \$300,000 Grant for Macon County

JEFFERSON CITY – State Sen. Bill Stouffer, R-Napton, today announced that Macon County has been awarded a \$300,000 grant. The Community Development Block Grant was issued by the Missouri Department of Economic Development. The funding will go toward the Community Child Development Center in Macon for the acquisition and renovation of a new facility.

“The Community Child Development Center provides an essential learning environment for the children of Macon County,” Stouffer said. “This grant provides needed funding to further that effort.”

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. It offers funds for projects ranging from housing and street repairs to industrial loans and job training.

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.

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