



Senator Rupp Appointed to Commission Serving Missouri Children

JEFFERSON CITY — Sen. Scott T. Rupp, R-Wentzville, this week was appointed to the Missouri Children’s Services Commission. The commission evaluates and makes recommendations on programs and services affecting Missouri children.

“It is an honor to be given the opportunity to serve Missouri’s children on this important panel,” Rupp said. “By continuing to review state programs affecting our children, we can ensure Missouri is providing the resources they need.”

The Children’s Services Commission operates on the principle that the welfare of children is a shared responsibility of parents, families, communities, government and the private sector. The commission also promotes the belief that children have a right to health, safety, education, permanency and the stability of a significant adult.

The commission has four subcommittees focusing on mental health, early childhood development, parental responsibilities and incarcerated parents. In recent years, members have released a series of reports on these issues. Rupp was appointed to the Children’s Services Commission by Senate President Pro Tem Michael Gibbons.

“The Children’s Services Commission has done outstanding work,” Rupp said, “and I will continue those efforts for the benefit of our children.”

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