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Sen. Frank Barnitz Honored with Missouri Corn Growers Award

JEFFERSON CITY – State Sen. Frank Barnitz, D-Lake Spring, is pleased to announce he has received the 2006 Public Servant Award from the Missouri Corn Growers Association (MCGA). Barnitz received the award at MCGA’s annual meeting on Feb. 14.

“I am honored to be recognized by the Missouri Corn Growers Association,” Barnitz said. “MCGA is instrumental in representing corn growers’ interests, and its support means a lot to me.”

The Feb. 14 meeting was held at the Capitol Plaza Hotel in Jefferson City. Along with attending the awards ceremony, members were briefed on the organization’s financial status and elected board members. There were also presentations on legislative priorities and the growth of biofuels, such as ethanol.

MCGA is a grassroots organization dedicated to increasing the profitability of corn production. Established in 1978, members focus on developing and expanding corn markets, keeping members informed of developments in their industry, building coalitions and representing corn growers.

“MCGA understand the importance of agribusiness on our economy, and they are working hard to serve the state of Missouri,” Barnitz said. “I give my sincere ‘thanks’ to MCGA for everything it does for hardworking Missourians.”

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Sen. Frank Barnitz poses with his 2006 Public Servant Award from the Missouri Corn Growers Association. A JPEG of the image is attached. If you have trouble with the photo, contact Senate Communications at (573) 751-3824 or twarren@senate.mo.gov.

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