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## Sen. Frank Barnitz Welcomes Constituents During OATS Day at the Capitol

JEFFERSON CITY – Sen. Frank Barnitz, D-Lake Spring, recently welcomed a group of constituents to the Capitol on OATS Day. A group of residents from Pulaski County met with the Senator and enjoyed the sights at the Capitol.

"The OATS system provides transportation for seniors in areas where transportation might not otherwise be available," said Sen. Barnitz. "I was pleased to meet with the Pulaski County residents who utilize this important system."

OATS, Incorporated is a public transportation system serving 87 counties Missouri. The program was started by a group of seniors wanting to provide transportation, especially in rural communities. The Pulaski County group that visited the Capitol on February 19 included Estella Collins of Richland, Roberta Stephens of Richland, David Vantassell of Richland, Sylvia Young of Richland, Rose Walters of Crocker, Paul Kinsley of Crocker, Clara Weyand of Crocker, Annette Bartlett of Dixon, Ted Bartlett of Dixon, Bertha Johnson of Dixon, Maggie Bonar of Waynesville, Curley Mamon of Waynesville, Susan Davidson of Saint Robert, Manuel Cardone of Saint Robert, and Margaret Prewitt of Dixon. The two busses that brought the group were driven by Ted Helms and Margaret Monroe.



In the picture are the visitors from Pulaski County who met with Sen. Barnitz on OATS Day.

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