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Sen. Jason Crowell Presents Resolutions to Zonta Club Women of Achievement Honorees

JEFFERSON CITY— Sen. Jason Crowell, R-Cape Girardeau, today (10/24) attended The Zonta Club of Cape Girardeau's fifth annual Women of Achievement luncheon and presented Senate resolutions to the women being recognized.

Sen. Crowell presented nine nominees with Senate resolutions to honor their contributions to the Cape Girardeau community and to their professions. The nominees included Jane Clark, Linda Garner, Jane Randol Jackson, Cheryl Klueppel, Denise Lincoln, Vida Mays, Carol Sparkman, Denise Stewart and Cheryl Wormington.

"These women are being honored because they have gone above and beyond, both in their professional achievements and in their service work for our area," said Sen. Crowell. "I thank these individuals for their dedication to bettering our community."

Sen. Crowell also presented a resolution to the keynote speaker at the event, Michele Stauffer. Stauffer is president and CEO of Kansas Aircraft Corporation, as well as one of the founding members of Angel Flight Central, an organization that provides free air transportation to people in need.

Zonta International is a global organization of executives and professionals working to advance the status of women through service and advocacy. The Zonta Club of Cape Girardeau has raised more than \$270,000 in contributions to community and international projects and members have donated more than 37,000 hours in service.

"The Zonta Club is made up of hard-working and focused women who want to make a difference in their community," said Sen. Crowell. "Their on-going efforts in areas such as literacy, sexual violence prevention, and advocacy for victims of domestic violence are earnestly appreciated."