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## Senator Rita Heard Days Appointed to Missouri Women's Council

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JEFFERSON CITY – State Senator Rita Heard Days, D-St. Louis, has recently been appointed to serve on the Missouri Women's Council. The council provides referrals and resources to help encourage, educate, and support Missouri women as they pursue their economic goals.

The council was created in 1985 and charged with addressing specific issues that affect the economic and employment status of women in this state. The organization works closely with other agencies and community-based organizations to help build awareness, educate, and enhance the lives of Missouri's women and their families.

"I am honored to be selected to serve on this council, which is dedicated to improving the lives of all women living here in our state," Sen. Days said. "My years in the Senate and House have provided me with a unique insight that will help me in my service on this committee."

The council offers a list of resources and informative links on their website including how to start a new business, find great jobs, upgrade skills, work from home, and obtain state contracts. The site also hosts the informative publication "Women's Resource Guide," which lists a directory of programs, services, and websites related to issues of interest to women.

The bipartisan organization is made up of 15 members: 2 senators, 2 representatives, and 11 citizens appointed by the governor. Visit [www.womenscouncil.org](http://www.womenscouncil.org) to see a list of the informative links mentioned in this release.

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