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Phyllis Wolfram Appointed to Missouri Autism Commission

JEFFERSON CITY – Senator Dan Clemens (R-Marshfield) recently sponsored the governor's appointment of Phyllis Wolfram of Springfield to the Missouri Commission on Autism Spectrum Disorders. The Missouri Senate confirmed Wolfram's appointment on May 7.

The Missouri Commission on Autism Spectrum Disorders was created by the General Assembly in 2008 to make recommendations for developing a comprehensive statewide plan for an integrated system of training, treatment and services for individuals of all ages with autism spectrum disorders.

Wolfram, who has 26 years of experience in education, is the director of special services for the Ozark School District. She served as state president of the Missouri Council of Administrators of Special Education from 2006 to 2008 and has served on state and national committees addressing issues in special education.

"Phyllis is a caring, compassionate individual who will bring a great deal of experience working with special needs children to the Missouri Commission on Autism Spectrum Disorders," Sen. Clemens said. "Her dedication to special education will serve the commission well, and I am honored to have sponsored her appointment."



Senator Clemens speaks on behalf of Phyllis Wolfram at the Gubernatorial Appointments Committee hearing.

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