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Dr. David Crowe Appointed to the Missouri Commission on Autism Spectrum

JEFFERSON CITY — Sen. Jason Crowell, R-Cape Girardeau, recently sponsored the nomination of Dr. David Crowe to the Missouri Commission on Autism Spectrum. Crowe's nomination was confirmed by the full Senate today (4-9).

The Missouri Commission on Autism Spectrum was created by the Legislature 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 disorder.

Crowe is the founder of the Tailor Institute in Cape Girardeau, a non-profit organization dedicated to improving the lives of individuals with high-functioning autism. He became involved in the cause when his son was diagnosed with autism at age four. His son, Taylor Crowe, is now a 26-year-old autism advocate who graduated from the California Institute of Arts.

“David is a knowledgeable and dedicated advocate for those with autism, especially considering his personal experience with diagnosis and treatment,” said Sen. Crowell. “As someone who has worked with him on a variety of projects, I know that he will be a dedicated and valuable member of the commission.”



Sen. Crowell with Dr. David Crowe during the Gubernatorial Appointments Committee meeting.

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