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### **Senator Keaveny Encourages Nominations for 2010 Governor's Humanities Awards**

JEFFERSON CITY — Senator Joe Keaveny, D-St. Louis, is encouraging his constituents to apply for the 2010 Governor's Humanities Awards, which is now accepting nominations until February 15.

"The Governor's Humanities Award recognizes community contributions, education excellence, and achievement in literary works," said Sen. Keaveny. "All too often, these important contributions get overlooked, and I want to be sure that anyone who is qualified in my district gets nominated."

Categories include: **Excellence in Education**, which recognizes one or more teachers of English, history, languages, or social studies, grades K-12, in Missouri's public or private schools; **Exemplary Community Achievement**, which honors an individual or group who has made a special contribution to a community's understanding of and support for humanities-related endeavors on the local and/or state level; and **Distinguished Literary Achievement** for an individual or group whose book or publication (fiction, non-fiction, or poetry) has increased our understanding and appreciation of Missouri's history and culture.

Nominations must include letters of support and additional materials. Full details and the nomination form are available at <http://pontiac.websitewelcome.com/~wwwmohu/resources> or [www.mohumanities.org](http://www.mohumanities.org).

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