



Education

The Platte County EDC

1. strives to be a partner with our school districts. We oppose any legislation that mandates open enrollment of students and urge repeal of current legislation mandating open enrollment. Impacted stakeholders should be engaged in creating such a policy which would address and not cause complications such as funding, overcrowding, transportation, test score accountability and athletic participation.
2. supports a fully funded Foundation Formula.

Safety

The Platte County EDC

1. supports legislation which would allow counties to go to voters to apply a fee to all devices, wireless and wire line alike to fund 911 services.

Transportation

The Platte County EDC

1. supports efforts to resolve Missouri's crisis in transportation infrastructure.
2. Supports design/build projects at the county level.

Economic Development

The Platte County EDC

1. supports fully funding the Missouri Partnership which serves as a critical partner in our business attraction efforts.
2. supports updating Missouri's tax system in order for the state to fully compete for business.
3. supports tax credits for key economic development initiatives, including the data center industry or industries using similar technology.
4. supports the effort to retain Fort Leavenworth as the brain center of U.S. armed services and thus does NOT support the cutting of 2500 jobs at the Fort.
5. supports legislation which allows Community Improvement Districts to cover more than one jurisdiction i.e. Platte & Clay Counties, Kansas City & other Platte County communities.
6. supports our state association, MEDC, in its high priority item for a training hybrid to expand the workforce training model which would enhance Missouri's incentive offering for new and expanding businesses. We will continue to advocate for additional state appropriations for job training.