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MCBRIDE ATTENDS NACCTFO ANNUAL MEETING, UMSL CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

ST. CHARLES COUNTY, MO --- Michelle McBride, Collector of Revenue, recently attended the annual legislative meeting of the National Association of County Collectors, Treasurers and Finance Officers (NACCTFO). The meeting includes continuing education courses in policy and management offered by the Public Policy Administration certification program at the University of Missouri St. Louis (UMSL). Session topics included economic development policy, handling public information requests in the information age, recruiting good employees, and strategic planning. The legislative meeting included discussion on the new tax laws and repeals.

“As the Collector of Revenue, I feel it’s important to keep abreast of both federal and state legislation that could positively and negatively impact citizens,” says McBride. “This meeting and the educational sessions enable me to better serve the community and advocate for positive and productive legislation.”

McBride has served as Collector of Revenue since 2007. She earned a Chancellor’s Certificate of Public Administration: Finance Master III from UMSL in 2017 after completing 200 hours of training through the university’s program in Public Policy Administration in partnership with NACCTFO. McBride holds a Bachelor of Science in Accountancy from the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign and a Master of Science in Administration with a Management Focus from Lindenwood University. Additionally, she serves as First Vice President of NACCTFO, Chair of the Newsletter Committee, and as a member of the Property Assessed Clean Energy Committee (PACE). She also is the Immediate Past President of the Missouri County Collectors’ Association (MCCA), Chair of the MCCA PACE Committee, and serves on the organization’s Legislative, Constitution and ByLaws/Policies and Procedures and Conference Committees.

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About St. Charles County

Founded in 1812, St. Charles County is one of the fastest growing counties in Missouri, and the state’s third largest county in both population and economic share. St. Charles County consistently ranks one of the healthiest places to live in Missouri in the County Health Rankings report published by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and the University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute. It is home to 12 scenic county parks encompassing more than 2,800 acres with additional land under development and more in reserve for future development.

With a population of 385,840, St Charles County is home to large employers including General Motors, Citi, MasterCard Worldwide and Boeing. It is ranked among the top 25 counties in the nation in high-tech job growth by the Progressive Policy Institute and consistently has the lowest unemployment rate in the Metropolitan St. Louis area.

St. Charles County Government employs nearly 1,100 in more than 30 departments and offices, who work to make the county an excellent place to live, work and shop. For more information, please visit www.sccmo.org.