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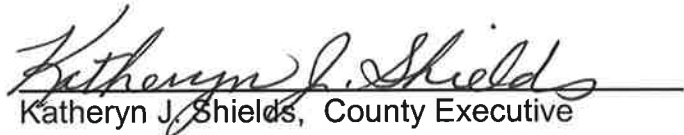
**TO: MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE
CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE**

**FROM: KATHERYN J. SHIELDS
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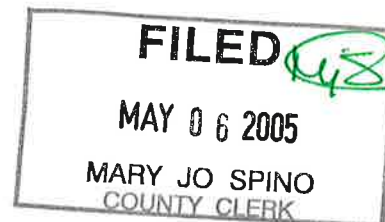
DATE: MAY 5, 2005

**RE: APPOINTMENT TO TRUMAN MEDICAL CENTER BOARD
OF DIRECTORS**

I hereby reappoint John Rizzo to the Truman Medical Center Board of Directors for a term to expire on May 31, 2006. A copy of Mr. Rizzo's resume is attached.


Katheryn J. Shields, County Executive

Date: 5-06-05



John Rizzo
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SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

Extensive leadership, marketing, organizational, and communications skills. Active in the community, in politics, and neighborhood improvement. Proven ability working in with local and national media for a U.S. Congressman (Gephardt), which included setting up press conferences, research, and web posting. Strong analytical and planning skills, combined with the ability to coordinate group efforts to meet organizational goals. Productive and efficient work habits without supervision. Self-motivator with high energy.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Candidate for State Representative (August 2004)

- Organizational skills
- Marketing skills
- Public speaking
- Canvassing

Elected Democratic Committeeman, 11th Ward, Kansas City, MO (2002-2004)

- Represented Democratic residents of the 11th Ward
- Helped elect Democratic candidates to public office

President, Old Northeast Democrats, (Sept. 2004 – Present)

- Leadership skills
- Organized rallies
- Garnered support for endorsed candidates

Board Member, Old Northeast Inc. (Sept. 2004 – Present)

- Assist with operations of Old Northeast Community Development Corporation
- Organize various activities relating to neighborhood development in the Northeast

Intern to Congressman Richard Gephardt (Summer 2001)

- Served on media team for Gephardt - Public Relations
- Coordinated news conferences
- Recorded statements by Congressman and posted to web site
- Research and meeting organization

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Clerk, Department of Records

Polsinelli, White, Vardeman, and Shalton – Kansas City, MO

Summers of 1998, 1999

Consultant, computer specialties

Self-employed

Present

EDUCATION

Degrees in Political Science & English

August 2004

Rockhurst University

Kansas City, MO

High School Diploma

May 1999

St. Pius X High School

Kansas City, MO

REFERENCES

References available upon request.