



# Jackson County Missouri

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## Request for Legislative Action

Resolution No.: 22036

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Sponsor: Megan L. Smith

Date: September 22, 2025

### IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION honoring the Kansas City Police Department Crisis Negotiation Team and congratulating their placement in the 14<sup>th</sup> annual Missouri Association Crisis Negotiation Challenge.

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**INTRODUCED BY** Sean Smith, Jackson County Legislator

WHEREAS since 2011 the Missouri Association of Crisis Negotiators (MACN) has been a 501(c)(3) committed to providing quality training to crisis negotiators and first responders; and,

WHEREAS on June 24, 2025, the KCPD Crisis Negotiation Team did compete in the 14<sup>th</sup> annual Missouri Association Crisis Negotiation Challenge in Columbia, Missouri; and,

WHEREAS the challenge demonstrated real-life scenarios that involved various situations including some with civilians, children, cryptic phone calls, cooperating and uncooperating subjects; and,

WHEREAS performance in the challenge is composed of scoring in the following categories; Intel Development, Threat Assessments, Rapport with Subjects, Identification of Subjects, Teamwork, Leadership by the Team Leader, Peaceful Surrenders and the Upkeep of Intel Information; and,

WHEREAS the team demonstrated tactical skills in acquiring intel information that earned high scoring points in all categories of the competition and accumulated to a final score higher than the average; and,

WHEREAS the KCPD Crisis Negotiation Team's outstanding performance resulted in a first-place win for the third time in the last four years; and,

WHEREAS the performance qualified the team to compete in the National Tactical Officers

Association's challenge in October 2025; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED that the Jackson County Legislature does hereby recognize and honor the Kansas City Police Department Crisis Negotiation Team for their competition and victory in the 14<sup>th</sup> annual Missouri Association Crisis Negotiation Challenge.

Effective Date: Enter Effective Date.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. Enter Number and Date, was duly passed on Click or tap to enter a date. By the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas

Nays \_\_\_\_\_

Abstaining \_\_\_\_\_

Absent \_\_\_\_\_

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Date Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature