



## **MIDWEST REGIONAL BANK DONATES TO LOCAL SCHOOLS**

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Midwest Regional Bank has made its annual charitable donations to area schools, bringing the program's total donations to \$123,870 since its inception in 2011. Bank representatives delivered checks to 29 local schools, providing funds for 77 different initiatives. This year's beneficiaries of MWRBank's We Care About Kids Program were: Antonia Middle School, Crystal City Elementary, Crystal City Jr High, Crystal City High School, Dunklin School District, Festus Elementary, Festus Middle School, Festus Intermediate School, Festus High School, Hodge Elementary School, Simpson Elementary School, Clyde Hamrick Elementary, Fox Middle School, Fox High School, Ridgewood Middle School, Meramec Heights Elementary School, Seckman Middle School, Seckman High School, Lone Dell Elementary, Platin Primary, Telegraph Intermediate, Twin City Christian Academy, Windsor Elementary, Windsor Middle School and Windsor High School.

Each fall, Midwest Regional Bank invites all local schools to request funds for any needs that they are unable to meet with their current budgets. The administrators, coaches, teachers, department heads or counselors are asked to submit their requests to the bank in September. In October, MWRBank allocates and distributes money to the schools to provide the programs, equipment or services that are needed most. The donations provide for such things furniture, athletic equipment, incentive programs, library books, electronics, art supplies and new technology.

Midwest Regional Bank's We Care About Kids program is an ongoing charitable effort to help local schools by creating a richer learning environment for the kids and reducing strain on teachers and administrators. MWRBank is focused on investing in the community it serves, and believes that children are the foundation of a successful future. Since its inception, Midwest Regional Bank has donated \$123,870 to local schools.

Midwest Regional Bank is a Missouri state-chartered full-service bank providing products and services to the retail and commercial markets. Operating since 1894, Midwest Regional Bank has assets of over \$548 million and has Missouri offices in Festus, Kirkwood, Arnold, Chesterfield, Sunset Hills, Clayton, Kansas City, Otterville, and across the country in Illinois, Colorado, Arizona and Florida.