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THERE'S MORE TO GIS THAN YOUR GPS! GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS DAY RETURNS TO ST. CHARLES COUNTY NOV. 19

ST. CHARLES COUNTY, MO – St. Charles County's Information Systems Department will host GIS Day on Tuesday, Nov. 19, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at St. Charles County's Administration Building, 201 N. Second St., Suites 115-116, St. Charles. The event is free and open to the public, no reservations required.

GIS Day is celebrated worldwide and provides an international forum for users of geographic information systems (GIS) technology to demonstrate real-world applications that are making a difference in our society. During GIS Day, attendees will learn about how GIS is used in emergency response, social and health services and administration to make life better in St. Charles County. The event, which features demonstrations, map galleries and more, is designed for county residents, government employees, and students to:

- Show how county and city governments use GIS to make better decisions
- Learn about opportunities for studying GIS at local colleges and universities
- Discover how this technology is affecting and can benefit all citizens

GIS Day presenters and vendors include: St. Charles County Information Systems - GIS Services, St. Charles County Assessor, St. Charles County Dispatch & Alarm, St. Charles County Highway Department, St. Charles County Parks & Recreation, Central County Fire & Rescue, City of Lake St. Louis, City of O'Fallon, City of St. Charles, City of St. Charles Police Department, City of St. Charles Public Works, City of St. Peters, City of Wentzville, Duckett Creek Sanitary District, ESRI, Lindenwood University, Missouri Botanical Garden, and Seiler Instruments.

For questions or more information, call (636) 949-7466 or visit <http://is.sccmo.org/is/>. For more information about international GIS Day, visit <http://www.gisday.com>.

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