# ST. CHARLES COUNTY PARKS

# **NEWS RELEASE**

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### ST. CHARLES COUNTY SEEKING VETERAN INFORMATION FOR MEMORIAL GARDEN

**ST. CHARLES COUNTY, MO** – The St. Charles County Parks and Recreation Department is seeking information from the public for the Veterans Memorial Garden being planned at Veterans Tribute Park, 1031 Kisker Road in Weldon Spring. Information is needed regarding veterans from St. Charles County who were killed during active duty in service to our nation from World War I to current conflicts.

A current list of veterans, compiled by the Parks Department, is located at <a href="Sccmo.org/VeteransTributeMemorialList">Sccmo.org/VeteransTributeMemorialList</a>. Those knowing someone to add to the list or who can contribute information about a veteran should follow the instructions on the website and submit the form provided before Monday, Dec. 31, 2018. If you have questions, please feel free to contact Parks Historian Pardis Zahedi at <a href="mailto:pzahedi@sccmo.org">pzahedi@sccmo.org</a>.

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### **About St. Charles County Parks & Recreation**

The St. Charles County Parks & Recreation Department offers unique parks, diverse facilities and a broad range of programs and special events for all ages. The County currently operates 15 parks, including a Youth Activity Park and The Historic Daniel Boone Home.

For more information and specifics about each park, visit stccparks.org.

### **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. It is home to 15 scenic county parks encompassing more than 3,643 acres with additional land under development and more in reserve for future development.

With a population of 395,504, 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 <a href="sccmo.org">sccmo.org</a>.