

MU Extension faculty and council members have access to a wide range of expertise through collaboration with state agencies and other organizations and groups. As members of the nationwide Cooperative Extension System, MU Extension faculty can draw from research and knowledge centers across the nation and the world.

Your Responsibilities

If you choose to be nominated for this partnership and are elected, you will be expected to:

- Understand and advocate for the goals, aspirations and concerns of people of Cedar County.
- Provide regular, thoughtful participation in developing educational programs to assist people in reaching their goals.
- Be an advocate for access to education that empowers people.
- Learn about the wealth of resources provided by MU and the University of Missouri System.
- Assist with council elections.
- Work with MU Extension faculty and others to generate support from outside sources. Secure and administer the county's share of funding for MU Extension programming in collaboration with the county commission.
- Advise and consult with University administration concerning the assignment of MU Extension faculty to Cedar County.
- Attend council meetings regularly and

Your Rewards

Many people gain great satisfaction as an MU Extension council member. First, you will have the satisfaction of knowing that you are making a positive difference in the lives of people in your community. Second, you will enjoy the friendship and camaraderie of other knowledgeable leaders.

Here is what you, as an extension council member, can expect from MU Extension:

- A continuous flow of information about University and council programs, resources and activities.
- Social and economic data that outline trends and conditions in Cedar County and surrounding area.
- Opportunities to learn about your role, responsibilities and opportunities through county, regional and state training and other experiences.
- A network that connects you with people in other counties and states.

MU Extension cannot fulfill its mission of extending the educational resources and knowledge base of the University of Missouri to people without a full partnership with local residents.

We Need Each Other

You have been identified as someone who could fulfill the partnership role well. We invite you to fill out and return the nomination form. You can call an MU Extension faculty member or Cedar County



To: The Nominating Committee of the University
of Missouri Extension Council of Cedar County

I hereby submit my name in nomination as a member of the University of Missouri Extension Council of Cedar County. I understand that if I am nominated, I will stand for election in January 2012. If elected, I agree to serve.

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and it shows in our history,
in our programs,
and most importantly,***