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County Extension Council Members***

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***University of Missouri Extension
Improves Benton County Lives***

Benton County residents contact their Extension center more than 10,000 times annually for research-based resources to:

* *Build strong individuals, families and communities;*
* *Create and sustain healthy environments;*
* *Enhance the economic viability of residents, businesses, farms and communities.*

***Educational Program Highlights***

* ***Benton County producers are improving product quality***and value through management strategies taught in the Beef Quality Assurance program.
* ***One in five young people in Benton County participate in*** 4-H youth development activities with the support of 58 adult volunteers. "4-H has helped me grow by teaching me patience, sportsmanship, and how to present myself when in front of a group of people," says one member.
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*“Serving on the Extension council is a great way to make our community a better place to live. As a council member, I have been involved in …”*

*Firstname Lastname*

*Council Member*

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**Deadline for Nominations**(optional)

The Extension council improves people’s lives by linking Benton County residents with information and educational programs based on research from the University of Missouri and Lincoln University.

The Benton County Extension Council is designated by state statutes as the official body to cooperate with the University of Missouri in delivery of Extension programs in the county. Members, who are elected and appointed, represent the broad educational needs and walks of life of Benton County residents.

As a member of the Benton County Extension Council, you can improve the social and economic well-being of our county by connecting your neighbors, family and friends with educational resources to improve their lives.

***Join the Benton County Extension Council***

The Benton County Extension Council invites you to become an educational leader in our community by allowing your name to be placed on the 2020 council election ballot.