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## Missouri House of Representatives

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### **Rep. Bob Dixon Receives Special Recognition Award from Missouri Judicial Conference**

**Jefferson City** – At its recent annual meeting in Springfield, the Missouri Judicial Conference took time to honor Rep. Bob Dixon, R-Springfield, as one of six legislators who have provided outstanding legislative service. Rep. Dixon received a Special Recognition Award during the Missouri Legislative Recognition Breakfast, which was held September 27<sup>th</sup>.

Rep. Dixon was honored for his significant contributions to the advancement of the administration of justice in Missouri. An amendment offered during legislative session would have eliminated the statutorily created body that represents the state's judges. Rep. Dixon boldly opposed the amendment, which was defeated.

“We honor them because we so greatly appreciate their willingness to take time to research and think critically about not only judicial matters but all matters,” said Laura Denvir Stith, Chief Justice of the Missouri Supreme Court.

“I am incredibly appreciative of this recognition and honored to be chosen by the Judicial Conference as an outstanding legislator,” said Rep. Dixon. “The judiciary is a separate branch of government and it is critical we maintain and preserve the integrity of the vision our founding fathers had. The Missouri Judicial Conference plays an integral role in ensuring that our judicial system performs its role properly. It serves the best interests of all Missourians to ensure the courts can function properly.”

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