

SeniorsCount

Jackson County



WHAT IS THE PROBLEM?

Jackson County is the **ONLY** county in the Kansas City Metro with **NO** dedicated public funding to support seniors.

21.7%



Seniors Living in Poverty
(Compared to 10.9% Nationally)

2x



Older Population to
Nearly Double by 2030

< 2%



Charitable Funds Support
Senior Services in KC

TOP NEEDS FOR SENIORS



In-Home
Support



Care Giving
Support



Care
Transport

WHAT IS A SENIOR LEVY?

A senior levy is a property tax authorized by Missouri state law to **BENEFIT** older residents.

The funding comes from a property tax of five cents per \$100 of assessed value on both real and personal property. Funds will support services enabling individuals to age in place in Jackson County. This includes services like **HOME-DELIVERED MEALS, SENIOR CENTERS AND SOCIAL ACTIVITIES, HOME-SAFETY REPAIR, TRANSPORTATION**, and supports for daily living for older adults.

HOW WOULD A SENIOR LEVY HELP?

- Generate **\$8M - \$10M** annually to support senior services.
- **ALL** funds will stay in Jackson County.
- Like 55 other counties in MO, the Jackson County senior levy will be governed by an independent citizen board to benefit the local aging community.



WANT TO LEARN MORE?

For more information, please scan the QR code or via email at JacksonSeniorsCo@gmail.com.



TOGETHER, WE CAN MAKE JACKSON COUNTY A GREAT PLACE TO AGE!

HOW CAN I GET INVOLVED?

1 Join Our Coalition

Become a part of our movement to support seniors in Jackson County.

2 Spread the Word

Help us educate others about the senior levy and its benefits.

4 Donate to Our Cause

Your contributions matter and make a significant difference.

3 Raise Awareness

Make sure everyone knows the challenges our seniors face.

5 Engage Your Network

Involve your friends, family, and community in our cause.

OUR PARTNERS IN ACTION

We are proud to collaborate with these initial committed partners in our mission to enhance health outcomes and quality of life for all seniors in Jackson County.

The Jackson County Seniors Count Coalition is a dedicated group of senior-serving agencies and nonprofit organizations committed to improving the lives of older adults in our community. Together, we work to identify and address the unique needs of Jackson County's aging population, ensuring that our seniors have access to essential services and support to live with dignity and independence.



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