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## ***Memorial Walkway Dedication Scheduled for May 30***

**May 13, 2010**

**Kirkwood, Missouri:** The City of Kirkwood will dedicate a Memorial Walkway on May 30, 2010, at 1:00 p.m., in memory of the public servants who lost their lives on February 7, 2008. The Memorial Walkway is located along the north perimeter of Kirkwood City Hall, 139 S. Kirkwood Road, adjacent to the train tracks. The dedication will take place on the steps of City Hall.

The dedication service will be short, with comments by Arthur McDonnell, Kirkwood Mayor, and Herb Jones, who chaired the Memorial committee. Dan Jackson will play "Amazing Grace" on the bag pipes. More details will follow. The ceremony should last about a half hour.

The Walkway will be closed to the public from 11:00 a.m. on the 30<sup>th</sup> until it is opened at the end of the dedication ceremony. Kirkwood Road will be closed beginning at about noon between Argonne and Madison. Parking will be available in the garage behind Station Plaza and in City lots in and around downtown, but the City Hall parking lot will be closed.

Those to be memorialized are:

*Mayor Mike Swoboda*  
*Police Officer Thomas Ballman*  
*Police Sergeant William Biggs*  
*Councilmember Connie Karr*  
*Councilmember Michael H.T. Lynch*  
*Public Works Director Kenneth Yost*

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THE PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED DATE AND TIME HAVE BEEN CHANGED.**

**NEW DATE AND TIME: SUNDAY, MAY 30, 1:00 P.M., KIRKWOOD CITY HALL**

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With 27,324 residents, the City of Kirkwood, Missouri, covers nine square miles and is home to turn-of-the-century homes, a vibrant business community, and cultural and educational institutions. Established in

1853, Kirkwood has long been known for its small-town charm, community pride, nationally recognized schools, diverse businesses, and involved residents.