



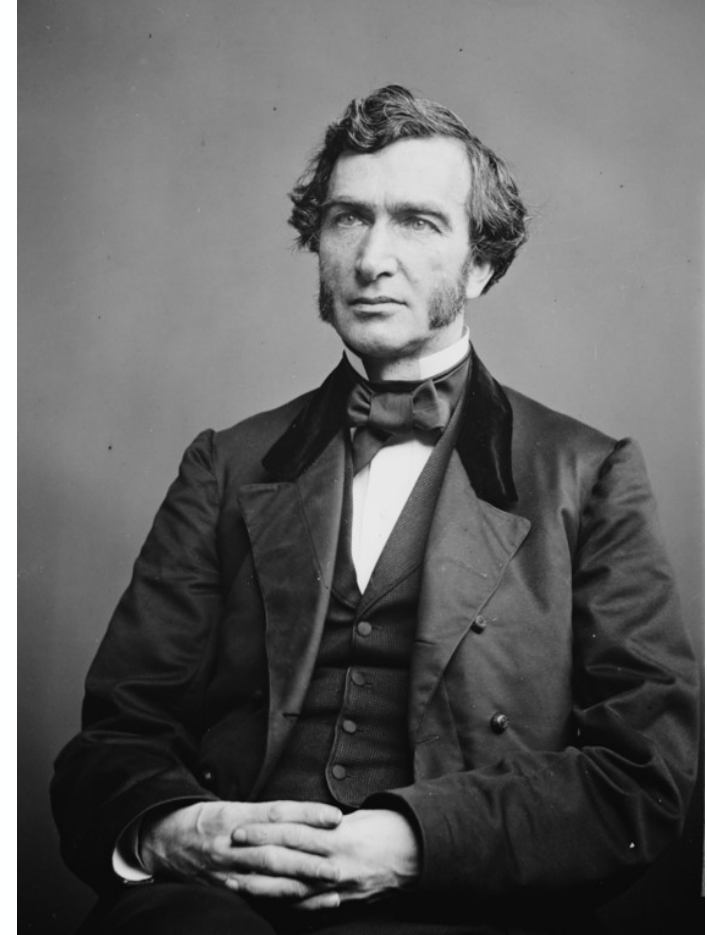
This is MU Extension.

WE BRING *MIZZOU* TO YOU.



Our history

The Morrill Act of 1862
established the
University of Missouri
as the first **land-grant**
university west of the
Mississippi.





Our history



**The Smith-Lever
Act of 1914 made
university
programs
accessible to
everyone.**



In the beginning





Today



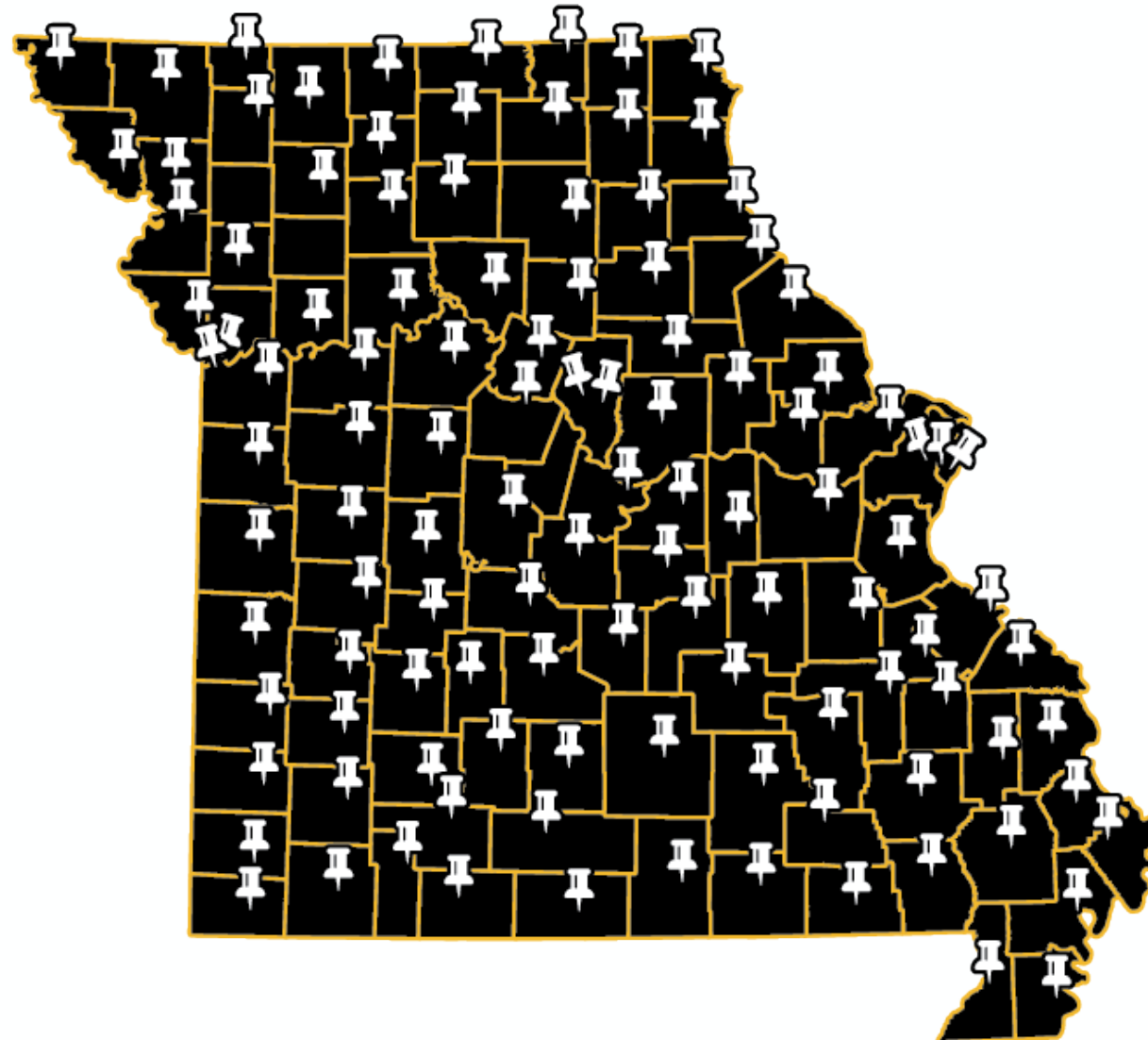
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 **Extension**
University of Missouri
an equal opportunity/ADA institution



We are in your community.





Agriculture and Environment



- **Agricultural business and policy**
- **Animal health & production**
- **Missouri AgrAbility**
- **Missouri Master Gardener**
- **Missouri Master Naturalist**
- **Plant health & production**
- **Soil and Plant Testing Laboratory**



Business and Community



- **Alianzas**
- **Community Development**
- **Labor Education Program**
- **Mid-America Trade Adjustment Assistance Center**
- **Missouri Training Institute**
- **Small Business Development Centers**



Health and Safety



- **Community Health**
- **Continuing Medical Education**
- **Emergency Management**
- **Law Enforcement Training Institute**
- **MU Fire and Rescue Training Institute**
- **Nursing Outreach**



Youth and Family



- **A Matter of Balance**
- **Cooking Matters**
- **Eat Smart on the Go**
- **Family Nutrition Education Programs**
- **Focus on Kids**
- **Food Preservation**
- **Stay Strong, Stay Healthy**



Missouri 4-H



- Civic engagement
- Clothing design
- Entrepreneurship
- Food and nutrition
- Horticulture
- Public speaking
- Sportfishing
- Robotics
- Woodworking



Statewide impact

Missouri 4-H is a community of **100,000** young people from across the state who are learning leadership, citizenship and life skills.

4-H'ers are...

4X

more likely to give back to their communities

2X

more likely to make healthier choices

2X

more likely to participate in STEM activities



Our mission

Our distinct land-grant mission is to improve lives, communities and economies by producing relevant, reliable and responsive educational strategies that enhance access to the resources and research of the University of Missouri.



Extension's Emergency Management Program

- Extension's emergency management involvement expanded with the 1993 floods
- In 2002 Extension's emergency management program was established to support emergency management activities within Extension and with external partners



Extension's Emergency Management Program

- Governor's Faith-Based & Community Service Partnership for Disaster Recovery (aka known as the Partnership) member since 2005
- Missouri Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (MOVOAD) member



Extension's Emergency Management Program

- Provides leadership & resources to the national Extension Disaster Education Network (EDEN)
- Included in the Missouri Disaster Recovery Framework
- Multifaceted; comprised of
 - County/Regional teams
 - Campus-based team



Extension's Emergency Management Program

- Embraces the Federal Emergency Management Agency's "Whole Community" concept. Everyone included in the system
- Encompasses all extension programming



Extension's Emergency Management Program

What happens at the local extension offices to be better prepared?

- An Emergency Action Plan for the county office should be developed and reviewed annually
- Offices should contact Extension's emergency management coordinator to receive additional emergency management training



Extension's Emergency Management Program

- Extension employees should have knowledge of Extension resources, publications, and programs that can be used during disaster programming
<http://extension.missouri.edu/>
- The County Engagement Specialist should introduce themselves to their local Emergency Management Director



Extension's Emergency Management Program

What can local extension offices provide to the local emergency management agency (EMA)?

- Extension can use their networks to deliver disaster related information from the local EMA to the public
- Can assist in the development of Long-Term Recovery Committees/Community Organizations Active in Disaster



Extension's Emergency Management Program

- Help EMA director problem solve disaster related issues or assistance needed during activations or recovery periods
- Assist in moderating disaster related meetings, prior to, during, and after a disaster
- Refer disaster related issues to the regional team if more than the local office can handle



Extension's Emergency Management Program

How can we help improve community resilience?

- MU Extension was awarded a USDA grant focusing on the New Madrid Seismic Zone in September 2021
- Grant Timeline: September 1, 2021 – August 31, 2023
- Objective 1 - Purpose of this objective is to develop a preparedness toolkit for those that live in the NMSZ and across the nation to become more prepared for any disaster including an earthquake



Extension's Emergency Management Program

The grant is focused on the following groups:

- Citizens
- Businesses (Ag and non-Ag)
- Schools
- Faith-based organizations
- Nonprofits
- Youth



Extension's Emergency Management Program

How will the public learn of these resources?

- The development of a public awareness & educational campaign regarding the toolkit and the benefit to local communities will be developed



Extension's Emergency Management Program

- Objective 2 - Purpose of this objective is to build an Extension Planning, Training, and Exercise program for Extension professionals that will be available nationwide
- The skills developed through this objective will help Extension professionals assist communities in their resiliency efforts



Extension's Emergency Management Program

What role does the campus-based team play?

- Acts as a liaison to SEMA, the Partnership, and MOVOAD
- Assists with Multi-Agency Resource Center (MARC) planning and set up
- Starts working with the state as the Missouri Disaster Recovery Framework is activated



Extension's Emergency Management Program

- Provides support to local Extension offices if offices are impacted by a disaster
- Locates additional resources that county offices can provide to the county EMA and community
- Locates additional technical resources from EDEN for community use
- Use Extension's communication department to provide information to the public



Thanks for your attention!

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