Why participate in MAPAC?

MAPAC provides a conduit to support political candidates, causes, legislation, and initiatives that promote the architectural profession, practice and education.

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Missouri Legislative Efforts and Issues:

2016 LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES

Support:

Legislation to authorize alternative project delivery methods for political subdivisions including construction management at risk and design build.

AIA Missouri will attempt to work with Design Build Industry Alliance, Associated General Contractors, Missouri Society of Professional Engineers and other organizations in this effort.

Legislation that establishes the Partnership for Public Facilities and Infrastructure Act – Public Private Partnerships for vertical construction.

AIA Missouri will work with the Missouri General Assembly to address with guidance from AIA National. AIA National has taken lessons learned from other states (Virginia, Texas, Maryland, North Carolina and Oregon) and incorporated them into a legislative resource guide.

2015 & 2014 SUCCESSES

2015 – Passed capital improvement legislation (HB 19) for higher education and state building repair and renovation projects.

2014 – Passed bonding legislation (SB 722) to fund capital improvements for higher education and state building repair and renovation projects.

2014 - Passed revisions to 327 practice law for law for architects practicing architecture in the state of Missouri. Generally, many of the revisions made to Chapter 327 were made simply in the interest of housekeeping, deleting language that dealt with changes that had occurred in the past and was no longer needed. None of the changes were made with the intention of changing the current responsibilities or duties of a Missouri architect.

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