

Did you know...?

Waynesville continues to grow



- Over 9% growth in sales tax revenue in 2011
- \$400,000 CDBG Grant for the downtown square
- Over \$2 million investment on the downtown square since 2006
- \$2 million grants for improvements to the Waynesville-St. Robert Regional Airport
- \$8 million investment in utility infrastructure, including a \$5 million upgrade of waste water facilities
- A new City Hall, Police Station, Parks Building, and plans for a Public Works Building
- A new Comprehensive Plan, adopted in 2008
- Pulaski County is an Enhanced Enterprise Zone
- Waynesville has been designated a DREAM community by the state
- Waynesville offers TIF's, NID's, CID's and other development incentives
- Available commercial sites along Interstate 44, with an estimated 30,000 daily traffic count
- Waynesville boasts strong housing growth with record breaking building permits in 2009 and seven new subdivisions
- 28% increase in population in 2010



The Economic Impact of Fort Leonard Wood

- Local economic impact of Fort Wood is \$2.1 billion annually.
- Our neighbor, Fort Leonard Wood, graduates 96,000 troops annually.
- Over 100,000 annual visitors for graduation ceremonies.
- Local hotels boast over 64% occupancy rate in 2011.
- \$1 Billion in planned construction through 2015.
- 6500 civilian employees work at Fort Wood daily.
- 7500 permanent military are stationed at Fort Wood.
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Did you know Waynesville is on the web at:

www.waynesvillemo.org



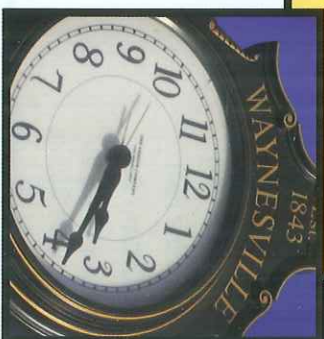
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Welcome to Waynesville Missouri



Did you know ?
I'm W.H. Croaker, let me tell you more....



- Waynesville was founded on the banks of the Roubidoux River in 1843.
- Waynesville was named for Revolutionary War Hero "Mad Anthony" Wayne.
- Pulaski County was named for Revolutionary War Hero Count Casimir Pulaski.



W.H. Croaker's unique rock formation sits on Waynesville Hill.

Did you know....?



Waynesville has Annual Festivals.

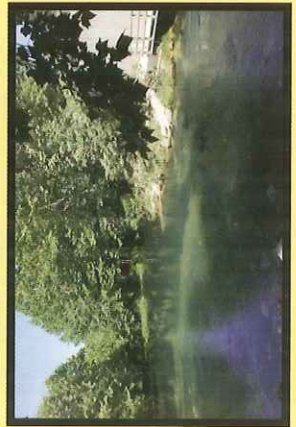
- Cave State Cruisers' Classic Car Show
- Christmas on the Square
- Farmer's Market
- Frog-tober Fest
- Old Settlers' Day
- Route 66 Summer Jam on the Square



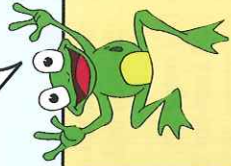
Muzzloaders opening Old Settler's Day

Waynesville has the only urban Blue Ribbon Trout Stream in Missouri.

- Waynesville is home to the Roubidoux Wildlife and Conservation Area.
- Roubidoux Spring is a nationally recognized cave diving destination.



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Waynesville has a rich history.



- Laughlin Park is a certified site on the National Historic Trail, as a Trail of Tears encampment and is the site of a future interpretive walking trail.
- The Old Stagecoach Stop, a Civil War era hotel, serves as a local classroom and is listed on the National Register of Historic Places.
- Fort Waynesville, overlooking I-44, was a Civil War encampment used to guard transportation routes during the conflict.
- 1903 Pulaski County Courthouse Museum sits on Route 66 and offers a unique museum experience.
- An original 1928 Route 66 bridge spans the Roubidoux River.
- Waynesville sits on Historic Route 66 Scenic Byway.

Waynesville is a Blue Star Memorial Site, honoring United States Veterans.

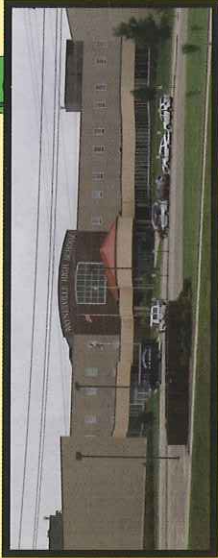


"Preserving the Past, Planning for the Future!"

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Waynesville has great educational opportunities.



- Waynesville R-VI School District is Accredited with Distinction by the State Department of Education.
- The 2011 Waynesville R-VI School District enrollment was 5815.
- Waynesville High School graduation rate is 91.3%, compared to a national average of 72%.



Waynesville Career Center offers state of the art technical training.



- The Waynesville Tigers were 2007 Class 5 State Football Champs.
- Ozarks Technical Community College's Waynesville Campus will open in 2012.

Waynesville offers transportation access.

- Waynesville sits on Historic Route 66 Scenic Byway and Interstate 44.
- The Waynesville-St. Robert Regional Airport offers civilian air access to Fort Leonard Wood and the region.
- Waynesville lies 120 miles from St. Louis & 80 miles from Springfield.