Firstly, the action should be carried out voluntarily, according to an individual's own free will, and not as an obligation stipulated by law, contract or academic requirement.

Secondly, the action should not be undertaken primarily for financial reward.

Thirdly, the action should be for the common good.

Read more here: Volunteerism is Universal

1. Reach out to service RSOs
2. Contact S&T Volunteerism
3. Shop local
4. Vote
5. Write letters to troops
6. Volunteer with community partners
7. Attend sponsor a service event
8. Encourage others to get involved

What is civic engagement to you? Let us know here.

Read more here: "What is Civic Engagement?"

2016 Hunger Summit: Feb 26-27 in Columbia, Missouri
Registration is $10; hotels, food, transportation not provided.
Register Here

Volunteerism Opportunities
East Central Area Agency on Aging Council
Would like to have points for the program.
Contact: Cherie Portier at 660-263-5433.

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Sigma Phi Epsilon--Missouri Gamma Chapter

Service & Civic Engagement Spotlight

Sigma Phi Epsilon, a fraternity of 100 active members, made up 10% of the 261 individuals that attended the 2016 MLK Day of Service. 27 members joined us on January 18th to perform service in Rolla, St. James, and Newburg.

When asked what service means to their chapter, this was their response, "Service is one of the utmost important aspects of our fraternity. We find it important to give back to the community as they have supported us for a very long time. We hope to continue to have a huge impact on the community as they will continue to have an impact on us."

Guided by service, they are able to fully live out the values of their fraternity, "Virtue, Diligence, and Brotherly Love." They strive to be "lifelong leaders" and believe "it's the small aspects in life that accomplish that."

"Respect and attention is given to anyone that seeks out help and SigEp's will try to do whatever is possible in their power to help said person."

For more information about Sigma Phi Epsilon contact Andrew Schmidt.

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Want to nominate someone for the Service & Civic Engagement Spotlight? Send an email to Ian Hoover.

East Central Area Literacy Council: Would like to have posters for the program distributed in the community at local service agencies, manufacturers, libraries, bookstores and other locations that are likely to reach individuals that do not complete high school.
Contact: Alice Whalen OR 573-719-1323

ABLE Senior Center: Seeking new volunteers. This year it will be held on April 11th at the Presbyterian Church.
Contact: Susan Birdsong OR 573-368-8798

Trivia Night hosted by Miner Challenge: Open to the public – gather a team of up to 8 to compete across 100 questions in 10 categories. Table decorating contest, games, 50/50 raffle. Pre-registration by Feb 26th: $90/table. After Feb 26th: $100/table.
More info and registration at: minerchallenge.mst.edu