

Park Resources President

Jon Carney

Superintendent of General Services, Springfield-Greene County Park Board

Bachelor of Science: Park Resource Management

I grew up in Wichita, Kansas and graduated from Kansas State University with a B.S. in park resource management in 2001. I have been in the park and recreation field for 18 years, 15 of which serving as a Superintendent in three different agencies. I am currently the Superintendent of General Services at the Springfield-Greene County Park Board. I live just outside of Springfield with my wife of 20 years and 13-year-old daughter.



Park Resources President

John Davis

Deputy Director, Clay County Parks and Recreation

Masters of Science: Criminal Justice, University of Central Missouri

I found my way to Clay County starting as a Park Ranger, moving to Chief Ranger and now as the Deputy Parks Director. I love the outdoors and my hobbies include hunting, fishing, checking my starter bee hive, and camping. I also spend a lot of time watching and traveling with my daughter's competitive softball team. I live in Kearney, Missouri with my wife, daughter, and three dogs.



Park Resources Secretary/Treasurer

David Rowan

Park Maintenance Supervisor, St. Louis County Parks and Recreation

Bachelor of Science: Landscape Horticulture, Kansas State University



I am currently Park Maintenance Supervisor with St. Louis County Parks. I hold a Bachelor of Science in Landscape Horticulture from Kansas State University in Manhattan, KS.

I am a trained horticulturist with a career that grew from the field to operations management positions in both residential and commercial landscaping firms. I found my passion of building community through local parks while working at Forest Park Forever and interacting with some of their 13 million visitors per year. I currently hold certifications from the International Society of Arboriculture (ISA) and United States Department of Agriculture (USDA). I enjoy networking, playing golf or fishing, going to green industry conferences, and taking my wife and son to explore state, local, and national parks. I live in St. Louis County with my wife and son.