






# MISSOURI SERVICE-LEARNING NETWORK

## Mission Statement

The mission of the Missouri Service-Learning Network is to enhance, promote and sustain meaningful service-learning in the state of Missouri.

## Goals

-  To increase the number of private, public and parochial schools using effective service-learning.
-  To reach out to agencies and community-based organizations.
-  To create a network of practitioners and organizations using service-learning.
-  To provide training and resources.
-  To research and write appropriate grants.

## Guiding Principles

1. We believe that service-learning is a valuable and powerful teaching methodology.
2. We believe that service-learning enhances and strengthens the academic experience.
3. We believe that service-learning strengthens and builds communities.
4. We believe that service-learning produces responsible citizens and better prepared members of the workforce.

## By-Laws

The mission of the Missouri Service-Learning Network is to enhance, promote and sustain meaningful service-learning in the state of Missouri.

The Missouri Service-Learning Network Board will be made up of a minimum of three and no more than five service-learning supporters.

The Board will select a Chair and Secretary/Treasurer. The officers will be responsible for signing official papers and checks.

The Secretary/Treasurer shall prepare an official record of the proceedings of the Board meeting.

Official copies of all minutes will be kept by the Secretary/Treasurer.

By-laws may be changed by a majority vote of the board.

The Network will be a self perpetuating board.

The Supervisor of Service-Learning for the state of Missouri will serve as an ex-officio member of the board.

Any assets remaining at the dissolution of this organization will be donated to a non profit

## Network Book Order

The Network has compiled list of suggested Service-learning resources. Proceeds from the sale of Network suggested books helps to fund scholarships for students to attend Service-learning conferences.

A few selections you can find at our Booksale table at many state conference:



**The Complete Guide to Service Learning**  
Proven, Practical Ways to Engage Students in Civic Responsibility, Academic Curriculum, and Social Action *Cathryn Berger Kaye, M.A.*



**The Teen Guide to Global Action**  
How to Connect with Others (Near and Far) to Create Social Change *Barbara A. Lewis*



**Building Everyday Leadership in All Teens**  
Promoting Attitudes and Actions for Respect and Success (Curriculum Guide for Teachers and Youthworkers) *Mariam G. MacGregor M.S.*



**26 Big Things Small Hands Do**  
*Coleen Paratore and Illustrated by Mike Reed*

For a complete list of Network Suggested Books  
Go to our website: [www.mosl.org](http://www.mosl.org)

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