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**WARD 8 COUNCILMAN ROBERT PARSON JR. RESIGNS AND TAKES
PROVISIONAL JUDGE JOB WITH FLORISSANT MUNICIPAL COURT**



The City of Florissant announced at Monday's Council Meeting that Robert Parson Jr. has resigned from his position on the City Council and has accepted a position as provisional judge for the Florissant Municipal Court. Mr. Parson, who was first elected to the City Council in April 2017, has been a dedicated and influential leader throughout his time in office, making invaluable contributions to the community.

During his tenure on the City Council, Mr. Parson's leadership has been a key factor in the advancement of several important community initiatives. He served as Council President from 2024 to the present, demonstrating a deep sense of responsibility and commitment to the people of Florissant. His leadership style emphasized transparency, accountability, and a strong dedication to the needs of residents.

Mr. Parson's impact was especially felt in his role in which he served on the Council Committee and helped form the Florissant Citizens Police Review Commission. His tireless work in this area helped foster a stronger relationship between the community and law enforcement while promoting greater transparency and accountability.

Robert organized the Annual Black History Month celebration, an event that not only honored the rich history and contributions of African Americans, but also raised essential donations for the TEAM Food Pantry, benefiting those in need within our community.

Throughout his time on the Council, Mr. Parson was also instrumental in several key developments, including the successful construction of the new courthouse, the creation of new aquatic centers, and the continued growth of the Koch Housing Development, all of which contribute to enhancing the quality of life for Florissant residents.

Mr. Parson's resignation marks the end of an era of dedicated service on the Florissant City Council, but his legacy of leadership and contributions to the community will be remembered.

