

Tackett files for re-election

Bill Tackett has filed for a second term as Cole County prosecuting attorney.



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term as PA

Tackett said he is thankful to the citizens of Cole County for providing him with the opportunity to serve as prosecuting attorney, and is proud of the

work he and his staff have accomplished in the past four years.

"Working with the police, the Sheriff's department, the Missouri State Highway Patrol and the courts, I believe we have made this community a safe place to live, to work and to raise a family," Tackett said.

During his term, Tackett said they have redefined the priorities of the office with a much stronger focus on domestic violence, drug abuse, alcohol-related offenses and sex offenders.

By vigorously prosecuting the most serious criminal offenses, Tackett said there has been a resulting high rate of conviction.

Tackett wanted to assure the citizens of Cole County that he has kept the prosecutor's office independent of influence from organizations, groups individuals or officeholders.

He pledged to continue to base his actions on the facts presented, due process of law, professionalism and fairness.

"My adherence to principle and my total commitment to remain independent will best serve the citizens of Cole County and I respectfully ask for and welcome their continued support," Tackett said.