



On Oct. 30, KMBC live streamed a “Tricks and Treats” press conference at the J. C. Nichols Fountain where UMKC students and members of organizations supporting Amendment 1 spoke. LWV member Cheryl Barnes was the local person who worked with Clean MO to organize the logistics. Emphasis was placed on how currently MO legislators average nearly \$900,000 a year in lobbyist gifts. Amendment 1 limits gifts to \$5 per occurrence. Speakers were Evelyn Maddox (LWVMO & KCJCP), Reverend Bob Hill (Voice of Faith), Brennan Schartz (Student), Cecilia Belser-Patton (Jobs with Justice), and Celesteal Clark (Student). Those who enthusiastically cheered the messages were LWV members Rose Stuckey, Josh Williams, Janelle Sjue, David Mountjoy, Laura Mountjoy, Ann Johnson and non KCJCP members Don Bender and Linda Lloyd. Evelyn Maddox was interviewed as a representative of LWVMO for spots on KMBC news.

Local organizations who support Amendment 1 are Missouri Faith Voices, MORE<sup>2</sup>, NAACP, AARP, former U.S. Senator John Danforth, Sen. Bob Johnson, Rev. Rodney Williams, Missouri Jobs with Justice, Pastor Michael Brooks, Communities Creating Opportunity, orga