

# Civic Engagement / Citizenship Websites

## *Issue Advocacy: Where do I begin?*

**Political Information.com**

[www.politicalinformation.com](http://www.politicalinformation.com)

**U.S. Congress**

<http://thomas.loc.gov>

*This is a link to the Library of Congress' bill search feature. This allows visitors an easy way of searching past and present legislation before Congress.*

**Missouri General Assembly**

[www.moga.mo.gov](http://www.moga.mo.gov)

## *Opinions and Elections: Where do I stand? Where does my community stand?*

**Election Results**

[www.smartvoter.org](http://www.smartvoter.org)

*Simply type in your home address and zip code to view the results of every race and proposition that was on your election ballot. This site is sponsored by the League of Women Voters.*

**St. Louis Post-Dispatch:**

[www.stltoday.com/news/politics](http://www.stltoday.com/news/politics)

**Political Compass**

[www.politicalcompass.org](http://www.politicalcompass.org)

**Ideology**

[www.self-gov.org/quiz.html](http://www.self-gov.org/quiz.html)

## *What?! Now THAT ticks me off!*

**Open Secrets:**

[www.opensecrets.org](http://www.opensecrets.org)

*This site is maintained by the non-partisan Center for Responsive Politics. It provides a detailed look at the financing of federal elections. Visitors can "follow the money" through a thorough and easy to understand analysis of the contributors and recipients of campaign financing.*

**Fact Check:**

[www.factcheck.org](http://www.factcheck.org)

## *United States Government*

**House of Representatives**

<http://www.house.gov>

**U.S. Senate**

<http://www.senate.gov>

*These sites provide direct links to the U.S. House of Representatives and the U.S. Senate. Both sites provide easy ways for visitors to find and access their U.S. representatives and keep track of current legislation.*

**U.S. Code (U.S. Law)**

<http://uscode.house.gov/search/criteria.shtml>

*This site provides an easily accessible search of U.S. Code (US Law). The keyword feature allows visitors to search federal law by subject matter.*

## [Missouri State Government](#)

### **Missouri government**

<http://www.mo.gov/>

*This site provides an overlook of Missouri government. Visitors can connect to various government departments, agencies, and commissions connected to state government.*

### **Missouri House of Representatives**

<http://www.house.mo.gov>

### **Missouri Senate**

<http://www.senate.mo.gov>

*These sites provide direct links to the Missouri House of Representatives and the Missouri Senate. Both sites provide easy ways for visitors to find and connect to their state representatives and to keep track of current legislation.*

### **Missouri Constitution**

<http://www.moga.mo.gov/homecon.asp>

*This site provides an easily accessible search of the Missouri Constitution.*

### **Missouri Statues**

<http://www.moga.mo.gov/statutesearch/>

*This site provides an easily accessible search of Missouri statues (state law). The keyword feature allows visitors to search state law by subject matter.*

## [Local Government](#)

### **St. Louis County Government**

<http://www.co.st-louis.mo.us/>

*This provides a look at St. Louis County Government. Included here is information on upcoming local elections and other county government services.*

### **St. Louis City Government**

<http://stlouis.missouri.org/government>

*This provides a look at St. Louis City Government*

### **Jefferson County Government**

<http://www.jeffcomo.org>

*This site provides a look at Jefferson County*