

## The City of Versailles

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Ben Ellis, State Parks Director P.O. Box 176 Jefferson City, MO 65102-0176

Dear Director Ellis:

Our community has been and still is very enthusiastic concerning the expectation of the Rock Island Trail running through the City of Versailles, Missouri.

I am extremely interested in the Missouri State Parks obtaining ownership of the trail and our community is willing to assist in development and maintenance of the section that will run through Versailles, Missouri.

The Rock Island Trail will vitalize and provide a boost to our citizen's recreational enjoyment, promote tourism, community participation and pride, as well as providing general well-being and health for anyone who chooses to utilize the trail.

The potential win – win benefits of The Rock Island Trail is encouraging and a much sought after addition to the City of Versailles; we are eagerly anticipating each progressive step and completion.

Thank you for allowing me to convey the importance of the trail to our community.

Sincerely,

TERRY L. SIWEY
Terry Silvey,

Mayor, City of Versailles