

## Kleindienst files for county recorder

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Christine E. Kleindienst has filed as a Republican candidate for Callaway County Recorder of Deeds.

Kleindienst said she has more than 15 years of experience in the title insurance industry. "This makes me thoroughly familiar with the day-to-day documents that are recorded. I also have posted at two different title companies in their geographic tract books, which is exactly what the recorder's office is," Kleindienst said.

"The documents that are taken to the recorder's office are what I index at the title companies where I have worked and gained experience in this area," Kleindienst said. Kleindienst has been employed by Boone Central Title Co. of Columbia and Boyd & Boyd Title Insurance Co. of Fulton. She also has five years of experience as a Realtor in Fulton with Davis Realty.

Kleindienst said she will look into the feasibility of allowing Callaway County to record deeds on-line with electronic recording. "Boone County has recording of deeds on-line and I have a lot of experience in recording deeds on-line in Boone County," Kleindienst said.

"I would study the issue to make sure it is feasible to use in Callaway County and if it is useful to Callaway County realtors and banks," Kleindienst said.

Kleindienst said she and her husband had discussed her running for the office of Callaway County Recorder for about two years. "With Ken Dillon's decision to retire, we felt it was a good time to run. I didn't want to run against him while he was still in office as an incumbent office holder. I have a long-standing desire to serve Callaway County and I have the experience to do this job well because I am already familiar with the documents and procedures used at the Recorder's office," Kleindienst said.

"I am well qualified and well trained. And my background in this field already is a major plus for me and how I can serve the county," Kleindienst said.

A 1983 graduate of Hickman High School in Columbia, Kleindienst has been a resident of Callaway County for more than 20 years. Her husband Randall is a graduate of South Callaway High School in Mokane. He is employed by the Road and Bridge Department of Callaway County.

"We have been married for 26 years. Our three children are graduates of North Callaway High School," Kleindienst said. They are Kirt Kleindienst, Krystal Kleindienst, and Kevin Kleindienst.

During her campaign, Kleindienst said she plans to focus on her experience in the recording field. "I want Callaway County to have efficient, accurate and friendly service at the Recorder's Office," Kleindienst said.

"I look forward to serving the citizens of Callaway County. With my background of knowing so much about the business and the office, I feel I can do a good job for everyone in the county," Kleindienst said.

