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## **Kinney named chair of state education committee**

Dr. Hugh Kinney, superintendent of the Pattonville School District, has been named the 2004-05 chairperson of the Federal Relations Network of the Missouri Association of School Administrators (MASA).

The committee was established by MASA to work with Missouri members of the United States Congress on educational issues of importance to the state of Missouri. As chairperson, Kinney will serve as the primary contact person for the committee in working with federal legislators. Last year, Kinney served as president of the Greater St. Louis District of MASA.

Kinney recently completed a term as the chairperson of the Cooperating School Districts, a consortium of 61 area school districts. He was also named chairperson of School Night for Scouting in St. Louis County and recently completed a two-year term as chairperson of the Characterplus program. Kinney has served as superintendent of Pattonville since 1997. He was the superintendent of the Affton School District prior to coming to Pattonville and also served as an area superintendent in the Parkway School District.

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