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**-City of Osage Beach, Missouri-**

### **City of Osage Beach Receives Two Awards - Excellence in Financial Reporting and Distinguished Budget Presentation**

**Osage Beach, MO** – Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) of the United States and Canada has recently awarded the **City of Osage Beach, Missouri**, both the **Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting** for its annual comprehensive financial report for fiscal year ended December 31, 2021, and the **Distinguished Budget Presentation Award** for its FY2023 Operating Budget. Both awards represent a significant achievement by the City, reflecting its commitment of the governing body and its management to meet nationally recognized guidelines and principles of governmental accounting, financial reporting, and budgeting.

The *Annual Comprehensive Financial Report* and the *Operating Budget* are individually judged by GFOA to meet the high standards of each program. Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) advances excellence in government finance by providing best practices, professional development, resources, and practical research for more than 22,500 members and the communities they serve.

City Treasurer, Karri Bell and City Administrator, Jeana Woods, respectively, were awarded certificates for their contributions in demonstrating the high standards of each program.

*“The City Treasurer’s Office and the City Administrator’s Office continues to be committed to achieving high standards in financial accountability, transparency, and fiscal operations, and this is evident in the fact that this is the City’s 23<sup>rd</sup> Certificate of Achievement in Excellence in Financial Reporting and the 4<sup>th</sup> Distinguished Budget Presentation Award! Attainment of these awards would not be possible without the dedication of our professional staff who are all instrumental in maintaining the City’s financial integrity in our fiscal operations, and the steadfast support and engagement from the Mayor and Board of Aldermen.”*  
*Jeana Woods, City Administrator.*

The City’s Annual Comprehensive Financial Reports and Operating Budgets, as well as other documents, are available on the City’s [website](http://www.osagebeach.org).

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