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Women's Hall of Fame Recognition from UMKC**

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**JUNIOR LEAGUE OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI MEMBER RECEIVES MARTHA JANE PHILLIPS STARR  
WOMEN'S HALL OF FAME RECOGNITION FROM UMKC**

KANSAS CITY, MO--The Junior League of Kansas City, Missouri, is pleased to announce that sustaining member Audrey Langworthy was inducted into the 2021 class of the Martha Jane Phillips Starr Women's Hall of Fame at the University of Missouri-Kansas City at a ceremony held virtually on June 22, 2021.

Langworthy has been a member of the League for 56 years and served as president in 1976-1977. She is a graduate of the University of Kansas and a former Shawnee Mission School District teacher. Langworthy served in the Kansas State Senate from 1984-2001. Among her many assignments was chairman of the Assessment and Taxation Committee from 1992 through 2000. Also, she was on the National Conference of State Legislators, serving on the executive committee from 1997 through 2000. She served on the Prairie Village (KS) City Council from 1981-1983.

In addition to her state and local work, Langworthy has served on two national boards – the Youth Volunteer Corp of America and the National Board of Governors of the American Red Cross. On the Red Cross Board she helped the former president of the Red Cross, former Senator Elizabeth Dole, reorganize Red Cross Blood Services in response to the HIV (AIDS) crisis.

Langworthy is the seventh Junior League of Kansas City, Missouri, member to be inducted into the Starr Women's Hall of Fame, which includes Mary Shaw "Shawsie" Branton\*, Bunni Copaken, Adele Hall\*, Shirley Bush Helzberg, Laura Rollins Hockaday\*, and Martha Jane Phillips Starr\*, for whom the Hall of Fame is named. (\*deceased)

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