

WHERE DO I LOOK...

all call numbers are Regional Reference, Central Resource Library

- ❖ For current and past phone numbers, addresses or businesses in the metro?
 - Polk's and Cole's city directories – end of Regional Reference collection
 - yellow pages and white pages – end of Regional Reference collection
 - early years, 1887 – 1937, of city directories for KCK, KCMo, and Johnson County in microfilm cabinets in Regional Reference/Genealogy area
- ❖ For pictures of classmates or a school?
 - High school yearbooks – 372.9 - 373.781
- ❖ For historical information about a city, town, state in Kansas or Missouri (selective)?
 - City histories – 978.1675
 - city websites

Overland Park www.opkansas.org

Spring Hill www.springhillks.com

Edgerton <http://skyways.lib.ks.us/towns/Edgerton>

Leawood www.leawood.org

Mission www.mission-ks.org

Merriam www.merriam.org

Prairie Village www.pvkansas.com

Olathe www.olatheks.org

Gardner www.gardnerkansas.gov

Shawnee www.cityofshawnee.org

Lenexa www.ci.lenexa.ks.us

Mission Hills www.missionhills-ks.org

Roeland Park www.roelandpark.net

De Soto www.desotoks.us

- ❖ For past issues of local newspapers?
 - Local newspapers on microfilm - Microfilm drawers in the Regional Reference and Genealogy area
- ❖ For local statistics on subjects of interest – education, housing, transportation, census, Kansas Statistical Abstracts, etc?
 - *Use the power search function in the catalog, Search for topic in subject and select BkAdultNoncirc Regional Reference from collections drop down menu.*
 - www.metrodataline.org – information compiled from the census

- ❖ For the value of a property?
 - Real Estate Property Value Guide – 336.225 Johnson (1995-current available in print)
 - <http://appraiser.jocogov.org> for current information online
- ❖ For the past editions of Kansas City Business Journal's Book of Lists?
 - 338.7 Book
- ❖ For city codes?
 - City websites (most current) or 348.023
- ❖ For organization, group or agency publications?
 - *Use the power search function in the catalog, Search the catalog by agency as author and select BkAdultNoncirc Regional Reference from collections drop down menu*
- ❖ For biographical information on a local person, place or location?
 - Regional Reference Biography
 - Vertical File
 - Kansas City Star
- ❖ For historical information on local trails, Indian tribes and military battles?
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- ❖ For historical maps and atlases of Johnson County?
 - The 1874, 1902 and 1922 atlases are available on www.jocohistory.net
 - Print available in map drawers at Central
- ❖ For current road maps of Kansas counties?
 - Print available in map drawers at Central
- ❖ For past issues of magazines and journals about Kansas or published in Kansas City metro?
 - These are shelved in the back of the Regional Reference Collection.
- ❖ For Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps for the local area?
 - Microfilm drawers in the Regional Reference and Genealogy area
- ❖ For the Johnson County census of 1855-1925?
 - Microfilm drawers in the Regional Reference and Genealogy area
- ❖ For individual assistance on a Regional Reference question? Monica Duffield, Regional Reference Librarian, 495-7531 or duffieldm@jocolibrary.org