

Carl Junction At A Glance

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Growing With Pride

Transportation

Air: Joplin Regional Airport (1miles)
6,500' lighted runway
Commercial & General Aviation

Highway: MO 171, 43 & 96
State Z & JJ

Rail: Kansas City Southern (through town)

Motor Freight: Contract Freighters Inc., USF Dugan,
American Freightways, Frontier Leasing,
Roadway Express

Daily UPS, DHL , FedEx & US Post Office

Government

Structure: Mayor, Council, Administrator

Law Enforcement: Carl Junction Police , Jasper County Sheriff,
Missouri State Highway Patrol

Fire: Class 5 Rating

EMS: Fire Dept. First Responders
Metro Emergency Transport System

County-Wide: 9-1-1 Telephone System

Legislative Dist: MO Senate 32nd, House 127th
US House 7th

Comprehensive City Plan Adopted 1998

Labor Force (Jasper County)

Available Work Force: 85,297

Unemployment Rate: 4.6%

<u>Population</u>	<u>Carl Junction</u>	<u>Jasper County</u>
2000	5,294	104,686
2005	6,483	110,624

Economic Data (City)

Sales Tax Rate (Total): 7.2%

Property Tax (@\$100 Assessed) .7042

Personal Property Tax (@\$100 Assessed) .7042

Assessed Valuation (8/06) \$74,326,935

Utilities

Electricity: Empire District Electric Co.

Natural Gas: Missouri Gas Energy

Telephone: Southwestern Bell

Cable TV: Mediacom

Water/Sewer: City of Carl Junction

Education

Public: Carl Junction R-1 Schools (AAA Rated)
2007-2008 Enrollment: 2,985
CJ Unlimited (Alternative School)
HeadStart

Preschool: Day Care Connection
Learn & Grow Preschool
First Baptist Learning Center

Colleges: Missouri Southern State University
Ozark Christian College
Pittsburg (Kansas) State University

Vocational: Crowder College, Vatterott College
Franklin Technical School

Recreation

5 City Public Parks with 2 Tennis Courts, 2 Soccer Fields, 3 Basketball Courts, and 6 Baseball Fields

Public/Private 18 hole Golf Course/Country Club w/pool

Public Swimming Pool

The City of Carl Junction will represent our citizens, provide high level services, and plan for the future of our community.