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**LIBERTY UTILITIES – EMPIRE DISTRICT  
ANNOUNCES RETIREMENT OF SCOTT MALCOLM**



JOPLIN, MO – May 7, 2018 – Mr. Scott Malcolm retired from the Company on April 30, 2018, following 35 years of service.

Mr. Malcolm began his career in November 1982 as a Computer Analyst Programmer in Joplin. During his employment, Mr. Malcolm also worked as a Systems Programmer, Senior Support Specialist, and the Manager of Information Systems. In 2014, Mr. Malcolm was promoted to Senior Manager – IT Application Services, the position he held at retirement.

Mr. Malcolm and his wife, Debra, have two sons, and one daughter.

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