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## Montgomery announces intent to retire

Greene County Recorder of Deeds Linda Montgomery announces her intent to retire at the end of the year, after 26 years with Greene County.

"It has been my privilege and honor to serve the citizens of Greene County," said Montgomery. "I greatly appreciate the voter's confidence by electing me to four terms as their Recorder."

Montgomery took office in 1995. During her tenure, Montgomery transitioned the Recorder's Office's from a paper-based system to an electronic system, including automating the receipt system; digitizing microfilm; electronic recording; making real estate and marriage license indexes available on the county website; providing download capability from website for title companies; enabling debit cards for microfilm reader/printers; scanning of all plats and surveys; digitizing and preserving old books; increasing the number of public computers and updating the office with a professional setting to conduct business.

Prior to elected office, Montgomery worked for Greene County as executive secretary to former Presiding Commissioner Mike Compton, later becoming the Office Manager for the County Commission.

Montgomery will retire upon completion of her current term, Dec. 31, 2010.

For more information, contact Linda Montgomery, Greene County Recorder of Deeds, at 417-868-4068.

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