

Missouri Place Names Pronunciation Guide

Aberdeen [ab uhr DEEN]

Abo [AY boh]

Adair County [uh DAIR]

Adrian [AY dree uhn]

Advance City [AD vans]

Albany [AWL buh nee]

Altamont [AL thu mahnt]

Altenburg [AL tuhn buhrg]

Amazonia [am uh ZOHN yuh]

Anutt [AN uht]

Arbela [ahr BEE luh]

Arbyrd [AER huhrd]

Argyle [AHR geyel]

Atchison County [ACH uh suhn]

Athens [AY thuhnz]

Audrain County [aw DRAYN]

Augusta [uh GUSS tuh]

Aurora [aw ROH ruh]

Auxvasse [uh VAWZ] or [oh VAWZ]

Ava [AY vuh]

Bagnell [BAG nel]

Bethel [BETH I]

Bevier [buh VEER]

Boeuf Creek [BEF] or [BUHF]

Bolivar [BAH luh vuhr]

Bollinger County [BOH ling (g)uhr] or [BAH lin juhr]

Bonhomme Creek [BAH nuhm]

Bonne Femme Creek [bahn FAM]

Bonne Terre [bahn TER]

Bonnot's Mill [BAH nahts MIL]

Bourbeuse River [BUR bus]

Braggadocio [BRAK uh doh shuh]

Buchanan County [byoo KAN-uhn]

Buena Vista [byoo nuh VIS tuh]

Cabool [kuh BOOL]

Callao [KAL I oh]

Cape Girardeu [KAYP ju RAH doh] or [KAYP juh RAH duh]

Carondelet [kuh RAHN duh let]

Caruthersville [kuh RUH dhurz vil]

Catawissa [KAT uh wis uh]

Centrilia [sen TRAYL yuh]

Chamois [shuh MOI]

Chariton County [SHAIR uh tuhn]

Chillicothe [chil uh KAH thi]

Clever [KLEV uhr]

Columbia [kuh LUHM bi yuh]

Cooter [KOO thur]

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Courtois Creek [KOH tuh way]

Creve Coeur [KREHV kor]

Cuivre River [KWIV uhr]

Cureall [KYOOR awl]

Darien [DAIR ee uhn]

Daviess County [DAY vis]

DeKalb County [dee KALB]

Des Peres [duh PAIR]

DeSoto [dee SOH to]

Diehlstadt [DEEL stat]

Doniphan [DAH nuh fuhn]

Dunklin County [DUNG kiln]

Dutzow [DUHT zoh] or [DOOT zow]

Edina [ee DEYE nuh]

Eminence [EM uh nuhns]

Enough [EE nuhf]

Eolia [ee OH lee uh]

Fabius River [FAB I uhs]

Fayette [FAY et]

Florissant [FLOH ruh shunt]

Forsyth [FOR seyeth]

Fredonia ? [free DOHN yuh]

Frohna [FROH nuh]

Galena [guh LEE nuh]

Gallatin [GAL uh tuhn]

Gasconade [GAS kuh nayd]

Glasgow [GLAS goh]

Gravois Creek [GRAV uhz]

Gravois Mills [GRAV oi MILZ]

Hannibal [HAN uh buhl]

Hayti [HAY teye]

Helena [huh LEE nuh]

Hematite [HEM uh teyet]

Herculaneum [huhr kyuh LAY ni uhm]

Hocomo [HOH kuh moh]

Huzzah Creek [HOO zah]

Iantha [EYE an thuh]

Japan [JAY pan]

Joplin [JAH plin]

Kahoka [kuh HOH kuh]

Kennet [KEN uht]

Keytesville [KEETS vil]

Knob Noster [NAHB NAHS tuhr]

La Plata [lah PLAY tuh]

Labadie [LAB uh dee]

Laclede County [luh KLEED]

Laddonia [luh DOHN yuh]

Ladue [lah DU]

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Lafayette County [la fee YET]

Lakota [LAY koh tuh]

Lamine River [luh MEYEN]

Lancaster [LANG kuh stuhr]

Lebanon [LEB uh nuhn]

Linneus [LIN ee uhs]

Loutre River [LOO tuhr]

Lupus [LOO puhs]

Macon [MAY Kuhn]

Marais des Cygnes River [MER duh zeen]

Marceline [mahr suh LEEN]

Maries County [MAIR iz]

Mashek [MAH shuk]

Meramec River [MER uh mak]

Mercer County [MUHR suhr]

Meta [MEE tuh]

Mexico [MEX see ko]

Miami [meye AM uh]

Milan [MEYE luhn]

Milo [MYEY loh]

Mine la Motte [MEYEN luh MAHT]

Mineola [min ee OH luh]

Mingo [MING goh]

Moberly [MOH buhr lee]

Mokane [moh KAYN]

Monett [MOH net]

Moniteau County [MAH nuh toh]

Montauk [mahn TAWK]

Monticello [mahn tuhSEL oh]

Moselle [moh ZELL]

Nevada [nuh VAY duh]

New Melle [nyoo MEL ee]

Nodaway [NAH duh way]

Noel [NOH uhl]

Novinger [NAH vin jurh]

Odessa [oh DESS uh]

Oran [oh RAN]

Osage County [OH sayj]

Osceola [OH see oh luh]

Palmyra [pal MEYE ruh]

Passaic [puh SAY ik]

Peculiar [pi KYOOL yuhr]

Peruque [puh ROOK]

Plato [PLAY toh]

Plevna [PLEV nuh]

Pocahontas [poh kuh HAHN thus]

Pomme de Terre [PUHM duh tahr]

Ponce de Leon [PAWN si duh LEE uhn]

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Portage des Sioux [por TAYH day SOO]

Portageville [POHR tuhj vil]

Potosi [puh TOH see]

Protem [proh TEM]

Pulaski [puh LAS kee]

Puxico [PUHX see koh]

Ralls County [RAWLZ]

Rensselaer [RENS uhl uhr]

Roanoke [ROH uh nohk]

Rocheport [ROHSH port]

Rolla [RAH luh]

Saint Francois County [saynt FRAN sis]

Sainte Genevieve [saynt JEN uh veev]

Saline County/River [suh LEEN]

Santuzza [san tuh ZAY]

Sarcoxié [sahr KAHK see]

Schuyler County [SKEYE luhr]

Sedalia [suh DAYL yuh]

Senath [SEE nuhth]

Seneca [SEN uh kuh]

Shelbina [shel BEYE nuh]

Sibley [SIB lee]

Sikeston [SEYEK stuhn]

Silva [SIL vuh]

Sligo [SLEYE goh]

Sni-A-Bar River [SNEYE uh bahr]

Tabo Creek [TAB oh]

Taney County [TAY nee]

Taos [TOWS]

Tarkio River [TAHR kee oh]

Taum Sauk Mountain [TAHM SUHK]

Tecumseh [tuh KUHM suh]

Theodosia [thee uh DOH shee uh]

Tuscumbia [thus KUHM bee yuh]

Vandalia [van DAYL yuh]

Venice [VEN uhs]

Vera Cruz [VEE ruh KROOZ]

Versailles [vuhr SAYLZ]

Viburnum [veye BUHR nuhm]

Vichy [VUSH ee]

Vienna [veye EN uh]

Waco [WAY koh]

Wakenda [WAW Kuhn daw]

Wappapello [WAH puh pel uh]

Weaubleau Creek [WAH bloh]

Westphalia [west FAYL yuh]

Zwanzig [ZAWN zig]