

## KANSAS CITY REGION IDEA STARTER FOR 2017



Is your team looking for places to start exploring project ideas for this year's FIRST LEGO League Challenge? This list will give you a place to start.

Resource	Contact
Bowersock Hydropower Lawrence, KS	<a href="http://www.bowersockpower.com/about/our-history">www.bowersockpower.com/about/our-history</a>
Friends of the Kaw	<a href="http://www.friendsofthekaw.org/home">www.friendsofthekaw.org/home</a>
Kansas City Zoo <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Conservation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ David Martinez (School and Community Outreach Coordinator) <a href="mailto:DavidMartinez@fotzkc.org">DavidMartinez@fotzkc.org</a></li> </ul>
KC Water - Kansas City Water Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Overflow Control Program (OCP)</li> <li>■ Water Quality Small Grant Program</li> </ul>	<a href="http://www.kcwaterservices.org">www.kcwaterservices.org</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Lara Isch (Water Quality Educator) <a href="mailto:Lara.Isch@kcmo.org">Lara.Isch@kcmo.org</a></li> </ul>

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MAC Water Technologies	<p><a href="http://www.macwatertech.com">www.macwatertech.com</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Ryan McAfee (President and CEO) <a href="mailto:rmcafee@macwatertech.com">rmcafee@macwatertech.com</a></li> </ul>
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Missouri River Relief	<p><a href="http://www.riverrelief.org">www.riverrelief.org</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Kristen Schulte (Education Coordinator) <a href="mailto:kristen@riverrelief.org">kristen@riverrelief.org</a></li> </ul>
Science City <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Every Last Drop Exhibit</li> </ul>	<p><a href="http://www.unionstation.org/sciencecity/attractions/every-last-drop">www.unionstation.org/sciencecity/attractions/every-last-drop</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ LeAnn Smith (Director STEM Programming and Outreach) <a href="mailto:lsmith@unionstation.org">lsmith@unionstation.org</a></li> </ul>
Sea Life Aquarium <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Young Environmentalists</li> </ul>	<p><a href="http://www.visitsealife.com/kansas-city/conservation/young-environmentalists/">www.visitsealife.com/kansas-city/conservation/young-environmentalists/</a></p>
Shawnee Mission School District <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Sustainability Youth Summit</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Joan Leavens (Coordinator for Sustainability and Community Engagement) <a href="mailto:JoanLeavens@smsd.org">JoanLeavens@smsd.org</a></li> </ul>