John W. BriscoeMember Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission



John W. Briscoe was appointed to the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission on December 4, 2015 by Governor Jeremiah "Jay" Nixon. His term expires March 1, 2021.

Briscoe is a partner in the Briscoe & Brannon law firm with offices in New London and Hannibal. His primary areas of practice include real estate, probate, trusts and estate planning. He served as the prosecuting attorney for Knox County in the late 1960's and as the prosecuting attorney for Ralls County in the 1970's. Briscoe grew up on a family farm that he continues to operate today. The farm includes 600 acres of row crop land, 700 acres of pasture and timber and a small cow-calf operation.

Briscoe graduated with an A.B. degree from Westminster College in 1963, after which he graduated from law school at the University of Missouri-Columbia in 1966. He was admitted to the Missouri Bar in September 1966. He served for twelve years as a member of the Board of Governors of the Missouri Bar including one year as its president.

Briscoe served seven years as a member of the Board of Governors of Truman State University. He is a member of Trinity Episcopal Church at Hannibal.

He and his wife Joy live in New London, Missouri and have three sons and three grandchildren.