



# Buy Missouri

## Business Bulletin

### November 2020



### Welcome New Members



#### The Crafted Bone, LLC

St. Peters, MO



#### Fringe Beerworks

Lees Summit, MO



#### Lebanon Candle Company

Lebanon, MO

For a complete listing of our members, please visit the Business Directory at [buymissouri.net](http://buymissouri.net)

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### Prestigious Product Spotlight

#### del Carmen, LLC

St. Louis, MO



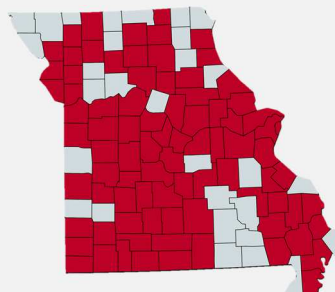
Located in St. Louis, del Carmen Foods has been manufacturing value-added, ready-to-eat, Cuban-inspired black bean products since 2009. Estie Cruz-Curoe, founder of this Cuban-American and woman-owned business, uses her Cuban background and her mother's cooking as inspiration for her black bean recipes.

del Carmen Foods are sold both fresh and frozen, and contain no preservatives or added sugars. The del Carmen product line includes black bean soup, black bean hummus, black bean dip and of course, black beans. Estie's authentic Cuban style shines through her products and are sure to be a hit.



To reach del Carmen Foods or to find a retail location near you, visit [delcarmenfoods.com](http://delcarmenfoods.com) or call 314-323-7919.

### Mapping Missouri's Success



Total Buy Missouri Members Enrolled: **379**

Total Retail Partners Enrolled: **16**

Total Counties Reached: **85**

Total Missourian's Employed by Members: **14,357**

Total Website Views Since June 2018: **55,458**

### Conversation with Kehoe

"This year, more so than ever, we are reminded how important it is to shop small and support local businesses this holiday season. I hope each of you had a successful Small Business Saturday and continue to receive support from your communities as we continue into the holiday season.

I understand the struggles that come with owning a small business. As I meet Missourians across the state, I continue to encourage them to support their communities, friends and neighbors by buying local.

To all of our 379 members, I am grateful for all of the hard work and effort each of you puts into your businesses. Wishing you the best this holiday season."

*Michael Kehoe*



### Mark Your Calendars

**October 9-16, 2021**

Buy Missouri Week

Let us know about your events!