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## KCPT is pleased to announce Mayor Sly James has been honored as an American Graduate Champion

KCPT is proud to announce that American Graduate Champion Mayor Sly James from Kansas City, Missouri, will be featured on the national broadcast of American Graduate Day on September 27, 2014. This summer, KCPT's Lindsey Foat profiled Mayor James as part of the "Stories of Champions" promotional campaign, which highlights community leaders who are keeping students on the path to graduation. KCPT selected Mayor James and two other local American Graduate Champions from online community nominations. James was selected out of three locally produced spots to be aired nationally on PBS. Join us in celebrating Mayor Sly James on American Graduate Day by tuning to KCPT at 10 a.m.