

**ADAIR COUNTY COMMISSION MINUTES  
MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2017  
6TH DAY OCTOBER REGULAR**

The Adair County Commission convened at 8:30 a.m. on October 16, 2017 in the Courthouse at Kirksville. Presiding Commissioner Pickens and Commissioner King were present. Commissioner Thompson was absent.

At 9:30 a.m., discussion was held to approve the request of the Hamilton Street Baptist Church to hold prayer November 2, 2017 on the lawn of the Adair County Courthouse. Commissioner King moved to approve the request as stated above. Presiding Commissioner Pickens seconded the motion. Both voted in favor of the motion.

The Commission met with City of Kirksville Manager, Mari Macomber, and Public Works Director, Glen Balliew, to discuss County road, Bullhead Trail, east of Thousand Hills Trail to the property line of Thousand Hills State Park.

Commissioner King informed Mrs. Macomber and Mr. Balliew that the part of Bullhead Trail in question is open, but has been abandoned and not maintained. Mrs. Macomber stated that property owner, Gary Danner, has done tree trimming in the right of way. Commissioner King stated he does not want to close the road as it provides an access to the City's water supply.

After discussion, it was decided that an agreement would be put in place for the City to maintain the road and the County not to close the road. The road is currently gated by the City and it is there at the City's discretion. The matter of the gate will be addressed in the agreement. The agreement will be written by the City and then reviewed by the County before it is approved.

Mrs. Macomber stated the Regional Planning Commission (RPC) requested that the Adair County Commission appoint an Adair County resident to the RPC. The RPC has funds for this region designated for economic development. Mrs. Macomber would like for the County to consider Carolyn Chrisman to the board as a representative for the County. Mrs. Macomber said she would formally send an e-mail request for the appointment.

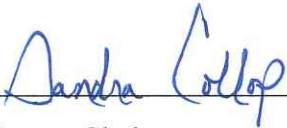
The Commission spent the remainder of the day attending to County business.

The Adair County Commission adjourned at 4:00 p.m. on October 16, 2017.

**Unscheduled Public Walk-Ins and other Non-Agenda Items for Monday, October 16, 2017:**

None

ATTEST:

  
County Clerk

  
Presiding Commissioner