

EMPLOYEE NEWSLETTER

AUGUST 2021

Birthday Wishes

08/03	Kim Kriegel	Maintenance
08/04	Gary Hunter	Road & Bridge
08/07	Matt Wilson	Prosecutor
08/10	Dale Standfuss	Maintenance
08/10	Danica Collinge	Sheriff's Office
08/13	Wanda Sizemore	Clerk's Office
08/19	Bob McCarty	Road & Bridge
08/19	Tiffany Haley	Assessor's Office
08/25	Kent Bryant	Assessor
08/30	Joe Nicol	Maintenance
08/30	Mary Walitshek	Assessor's Office

Important 2021 Dates

Monday September 6 County Offices Closed
Labor Day Holiday



Welcome New Employees

Terraneisha Green Sheriff's Office



Service Anniversaries

08/01	10 yrs.	David Goring	Prosecutor's Office
08/05	19 yrs.	Scott VanWye	Road & Bridge
08/06	3 yrs.	Lisa Patterson	Recorder's Office
08/12	15 yrs.	Kelly Koenig	Sheriff's Office
08/15	10 yrs.	Betty Shahan	Clerk's Office
08/18	7 yrs.	Diana Thomas	Road & Bridge
08/23	1 yr.	Dillon Hutton	Sheriff's office
08/26	16 yrs.	John Axsom	Sheriff's Office
08/31	12 yrs.	Sonja Harden	Collector
08/31	6 yrs.	Terry Pearson	Assessor's Office



90-DAY PRESCRIPTION RETAIL BENEFIT

This benefit provides employees with the option to purchase a 90-day supply of their generic maintenance prescriptions instead of the standard 30-day supply.



There are two distinct advantages to purchasing the larger supply:

1. Cheaper refills. Though the copay on the larger generic refill usually costs the same or just slightly more than a standard 30-day supply, the 90-supply is cheaper per dose overall.
2. Fewer trips. Purchasing the larger supply means spending less time traveling to and from the pharmacy and spend more time doing the things they enjoy.

*Not all prescriptions are eligible, such as narcotics or specialty medications
Contact your pharmacy or CVS at 1-866-475-0056 to learn if your prescription is eligible*

The next time you go to refill your maintenance prescriptions ask your pharmacy for a 90 day supply instead of the usual 30 day supply...you will pay close to the same price (or the same) price for a 90 day supply as you would for a 30 day supply!

Example: 1 month = \$45
3 months = \$45

It may sound to good to be true but it works for eligible prescriptions so ask your pharmacist today if your prescription(s) qualify!

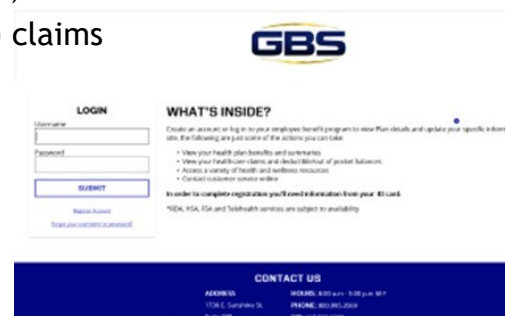
Employees, have you created your GBS Online Account Yet?

If you have not done so already, please sign up for a GBS online Member Services account. Just go to the GBS website at <http://www.gbs-tpa.com/> and click on "Member Services Login".

You will only need to enter in your social security number, last name, and date of birth to register for a new account.

It is quick and easy and once you have a Member Services account you can:

- View your health plan benefits and summaries
- View your healthcare claims and deductible/out of pocket balances
- Access a variety of health and wellness resources
- Contact customer service online
- Find out Reimbursable Deductible Allowance (RDA) balances
- Submit Reimbursable Deductible Allowance (RDA) claims
- Access to telehealth "Teledoc" services
- LabCorp/Quest locator
- RX-prescription resources
- Walk-in clinic finder
- Print ID Cards
- View all procedures that need pre-certification
- Bundled PriceMD non-emergency medical procedure information



News From Around the County

New Bridge On Tiger Way

Brashear, Missouri, July 6, 2021- Adair County Commissioners completed the final inspection of the newly constructed bridge on Tiger Way. The bridge is 24ft wide and 145ft in length and cost \$702,506.80 to build. Tiger Way Bridge was funded using federal transportation funding through the Highway Bridge Program (HBP) for Off-System Bridge Replacement and Rehabilitation (BRO). HBP/BRO provides funding to counties for replacement or rehabilitation of deficient bridges. The BRO funding, utilized in Adair County, is administered by the Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT). The project was engineered by Howe Company with bridge construction completed by contractor BRS Construction. The bridge was officially opened for use on June 22, 2021.



Pictured left to right on the new Tiger Way Bridge: Robert Manzke-MoDOT, Mike Schrage-BRS Construction, Mark Thompson- 2nd District Commissioner, Mark Shahan- Presiding Commissioner, J.B. Hamlin- Road & Bridge Supervisor, Aaron Lukefahr- Howe Company

Smith Attends NACO Conference



Treasurer Lori Smith attended the National Association of County's (NACO) 2021 Annual Conference and Exposition July 9-12 in Prince George's County Maryland. She joined county elected and appointed officials from across the country for several days of networking, learning and discussion on current hot topic issues.

As Third Vice Chair on Missouri Association of Counties (MAC) Executive Board, Lori attended the conference as representative for Missouri and Adair County. Her leadership on the MAC Executive Board and her attendance at NACO is an important way to ensure problems facing our rural county are considered at a state and national level.

Thank you Lori for representing Adair County and Missouri!



News From Around the County

Assessor Holds BOE Hearings

The Missouri State Tax Commission issued an Equalization Order for the Assessment Roll in Adair County to reflect true value in money for residential parcels within the County. Landowners, affected by the Equalization Order, were notified of the increase in their property values prior to June 15, 2021.

Property owners that did not agree with the new market values placed on their property were encourage to resolve issues directly with the Assessor's Office.

Residents that could not resolve their concerns directly with the Assessor's Office could schedule a hearing with the Board of Equalization (BOE) to formally appeal their property assessment values. These hearings were held on Monday, July 19, 2021 and landowners were able to appeal, with substantial evidence, to the Board Of Equalization in an effort to get their property values adjusted.



BOE members met on Monday July 19, 2021 to hear land owner's concerns regarding the recent increase in real estate assessment values.

Clockwise: Citizen Kathy Adkins, Citizen Bruce Thompson, Commissioner Mark Thompson (no relation to Bruce) Commissioner Mark Shahan, Commission Bill King, Assessor Kent Bryant, and County Clerk Sandy Collop.

Work Begins Around The Courthouse

Work crews drill a test hole in the Courthouse lawn on Tuesday July 20, 2021. Contractors hope to install a geothermal heating and cooling system for use in the courthouse. The new system will eliminate the need for the current boiler heating system and the inefficient window air conditioning units.

