

**ADAIR COUNTY COMMISSION MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2021
6TH DAY JANUARY ADJOURNED**

The Adair County Commission convened at 8:30 a.m. on February 10, 2021 in the Courthouse at Kirksville. All Commissioners were present.

The County Commission composed a letter stating they are in favor of the passage of the Wayfair Bills. They feel voting against Wayfair is a vote against small business in Missouri.

The Commission attended a Transportation Advisory Committee (TAC) meeting at Kirksville City Hall.

At 1:00 p.m., the Commission spoke with William Winslow, and Chris DeJuneas of Dude Solutions to explain the benefits of their software system to assist the Road and Bridge Department with recording keeping. Dude Solutions works with the largest provider of GIS Services in North America. They can be most adaptable to Adair County's needs and will give examples of how to use the software. Their GIS has capabilities to take and then add a photo to the date base. They serve Cass County, St. Louis, St. Charles, Jefferson City just to name a few.

Pricing for unlimited users is \$13,500 per year; \$11,000 a year for streets, sidewalks, and culverts. There is a one-time service fee of approximately \$1,650 and a \$1,700 training fee to start. Mr. Winslow and Mr. DeJuneas will work with the County if they wanted to make any changes to their proposal. Presiding Commissioner Shahan requested a power point presentation from them as well as more information on implementation.

The Commission discussed contacting Crisis Tracker who was already working with the Road and Bridge Department to see if they had any recommendations.

The Adair County Commission adjourned at 4:00 p.m. on February 10, 2021.

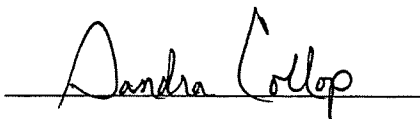
The Adair County Courthouse will be closed on Monday, February 15, 2021 in observance of President's Day. The Adair County Commission will reconvene at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, February 16, 2021.

Unscheduled Public Walk-Ins and other Non-Agenda Items for Wednesday, February 10, 2021:

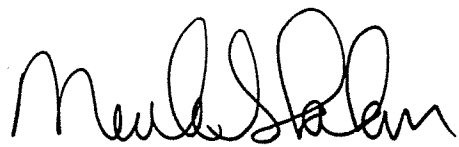
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ATTEST:



County Clerk



Presiding Commissioner, Mark Shahan

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IN REF. ORDER NO 10 Letter in favor of passage of Wayfair Bills

Adair County Commission

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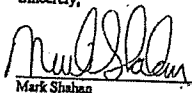
Mark Shahan, Presiding Commissioner
William King, 1st District Commissioner
Mark Thompson, 2nd District Commissioner

Date: 02-10-21

Re: Wayfair Bills

The Adair County Commission is in favor of the passage of the Wayfair Bills. Currently, local businesses charge local taxes on all sales. This puts them at a disadvantage to online sales. Immediately consumers are saving between 8 and 10% in some cities/towns. With almost a year of COVID-19 behind us we have seen numerous local businesses close or are on the verge of closing due to the shut downs. During this time, numerous people are buying online thus making it even harder for these businesses to survive. Some say this would be a new tax, however, these taxes are already in place through out the state. This would not be a new tax, this would be making all businesses pay the same tax as per the location of their sales, putting them on a level playing field. We have waited long enough for our legislature to act on these bills. Voting against Wayfair is a vote against small business in Missouri.

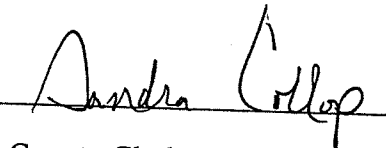
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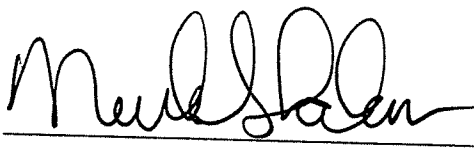

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