

**ADAIR COUNTY COMMISSION MINUTES
MONDAY, JANUARY 30, 2017
11TH DAY JANUARY REGULAR**

The Adair County Commission convened at 8:30 a.m. on January 30, 2017 in the Courthouse at Kirksville. Commissioner King and Commissioner Thompson were present. Commissioner Thompson will be acting Presiding Commissioner during the absence of Presiding Commissioner Pickens.

The Commission traveled to Hannibal, Missouri to attend a special Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT) meeting. The meeting will welcome new and returning Commissioners in the 17 counties of northeast Missouri and will feature the program "Transportation – A Universal Road to Success."

The Commission returned to the County in the afternoon and finalized their review of the 2017 Adair County budget. Commissioner Thompson moved to approve the 2017 Adair County budget. Commissioner King seconded the motion. Both were in favor of the motion. The budget will be e-mailed to the State of Missouri with a hard copy to be overnighted via UPS to the Missouri State Auditor's Office. The signature of Presiding Commissioner, Stanley Pickens, will not appear on the Appropriation Order of the 2017 Adair County Budget due to his temporary absence regarding health concerns.

Adair County Clerk, Sandra Collop, presented a letter to the Commission designating 2nd District Commissioner, Mark Thompson, as Presiding Commissioner during the absence of the regular Presiding Commissioner, Stanley Pickens, per Section 49.070 of the Missouri Revised Statutes. Commissioner Thompson during the absence of the regular Presiding Commissioner, shall have all powers of the regular Presiding Commissioner. Due to health concerns, Presiding Commissioner Pickens will not be present for an undetermined period of time during open sessions of the Adair County Commission.

Adair County Clerk, Sandra Collop, received minutes from the Adair County Health Department Board meetings for November 28, 2016 and December 27, 2016. The minutes reflect changes to the Adair County Food Ordinance. Jim LeBaron and Stewart Blessing of the Adair County Health Department met with the Commission on December 20, 2016 to inform them of the proposed changes.

The Commission adjourned at 4:00 p.m. on January 30, 2017.

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ATTEST:


County Clerk


Presiding Commissioner