

**ADAIR COUNTY COMMISSION MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 2015
4TH DAY JULY REGULAR**

The Adair County Commission convened at 8:30 a.m. on July 8, 2015 in the Courthouse at Kirksville. All Commissioners were present.

At 3:00 p.m., the Commission met with members of the State Emergency Management Agency (SEMA) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). Present from SEMA was Kim Stuefer, Public Assistance Coordinator – Recovery and Fiscal Division and Charles Highland, Public Assistance Specialist – Recovery division. Gail SA. Fullerton, Reservist, represented FEMA. Adair County Road and Bridge Supervisor, Isaiah Curtis, was also present.

Ms. Fullerton stated that she, the SEMA representative, and Mr. Curtis had spent the day viewing damage to Adair County, including the City of Kirksville. They were assessing the dollar amount to determine if the County has reached the threshold to qualify for government assistance. She stated that nothing today was binding.

Ms. Fullerton stated the County had already completed approximately \$30,000 of repairs. During the inspection, there was damage estimated to culverts for \$15,000 and for additional gravel of \$25,000. This did not take into count man hours and equipment costs. She stated this would be a reimbursement program and bids would need to be obtained only if contracting a project.

If determined there is sufficient damage, the Governor will declare a disaster and then the process will move forward. Ms. Fullerton was hopeful that all information will be compiled in July and then a decision made sometime in August. The incident period for the event began May 15, 2015 and continues to remain open.

The Commission signed the “Proclamation of Manufacturing Day” proclaiming October 2, 2015 as Manufacturing Day in Adair County. For generations, manufacturing has played a critical role in Missouri’s diverse economy. Manufacturing jobs enable Missouri families to realize the dreams of owning a home, sending a child to college and enjoying a secure retirement and manufacturers pay millions of dollars annually, supporting schools, law enforcement, emergency preparedness, public works and other essential services.

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

The Adair County Commission adjourned at 4:00 p.m. on July 8, 2015.

IN REF. ORDER NO 8 Proclamation of Manufacturing Day

Adair County Commission	
<small>100 W Washington Kirksville, MO 63501 Phone 660-665-2312 Fax 660-665-4856</small>	<small>Staley Pickens, Presiding Commissioner Carson Adams, 1st District Commissioner Mark Thompson, 2nd District Commissioner</small>
July 8, 2015	
Re: Proclamation of Manufacturing Day	
WHEREAS, for generations, manufacturing has played a critical role in Missouri's diverse economy; and	
WHEREAS, Missouri's more than 6,300 manufacturing companies in Missouri, produce everything from airplanes to barbecue sauce and automobiles to apparel; and	
WHEREAS, Missouri's manufacturers employ nearly a quarter of a million Missourians, living in bustling urban areas to pastoral rural communities; and,	
WHEREAS, almost 400,000 more Missourians work in industries that support manufacturing or benefit from manufacturing employee spending; and,	
WHEREAS, manufacturing constitutes nearly 13 percent of the Gross State Product; and,	
WHEREAS, the average annual manufacturing wage of more than \$62,000 exceeds the overall average annual wage by more than \$21,000; and	
WHEREAS, manufacturing jobs enable Missouri families to realize the dreams of owning a home, sending a child to college and enjoying a secure retirement and manufacturers pay millions of dollars annually, supporting schools, law enforcement, emergency preparedness, public works and other essential services.	
NOW, THEREFORE, Adair County does hereby proclaim October 2, 2015 as Manufacturing Day in Adair County. And, we commend Missouri Enterprise and the Manufacturing Extension Partnership for the valuable technical and business assistance that they provide to our small and medium sized manufacturers.	
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hand this second day of October, in the year two thousand and fifteen and we encourage all Missourians to show their support for our manufacturers by purchasing products made in Missouri and America.	
<i>Staley Pickens</i> Staley Pickens Presiding Commissioner	<i>Carson Adams</i> Carson Adams 1 st District Commissioner
<i>Mark Thompson</i> Mark Thompson 2 nd District Commissioner	

ATTEST:

Sandra Collop
County Clerk

Staley Pickens
Presiding Commissioner