ADAIR COUNTY COMMISSION MINUTES MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2013 6TH DAY OCTOBER ADJOURNED

The Adair County Commission convened at 8:30 a.m. on November 18, 2013 in the Courthouse at Kirksville. All Commissioners were present.

At 8:30 a.m., the Commission attended the dedication held at the airport honoring the late airport director, David Hall. The road name Airport Trail was officially changed to David Hall Trail to honor him for his many years of service to the City of Kirksville as Airport Director.

At the request of Adair County Sheriff, Robert Hardwick, Commission Thompson moved to transfer \$290,955.94 from Law Enforcement Services (301-5-001-400.000) to Law Enforcement General (801-4-000-700.200). Commissioner Adams seconded the motion with all in favor.

At the request of Adair County Assessor, Donnie Waybill, Commissioner Thompson moved to transfer \$85,000 from General Revenue – Transfers Out – Assessment Fund (101-5-025-500.000) to Assessor – Transfer In from General Revenue (202-4-000-700.100). Commissioner Adams seconded the motion with all in favor.

The Commission received a copy of the annual review of the County's Local Emergency Operations plan (LEOP) for 2013. The review was conducted by the State Emergency Management Agency (SEMA).

At 1:30 p.m., the Commission met with Susan Dublin, Regional Coordinator for Adair County and five other counties from the Food Bank for Central and Northeast Missouri and with the Advisory Council for Adair County. This included Mike McCormack, Carol Kellum, Sue Barrett, and Kelly Pano. Mrs. Dublin gave the Commission background information on Adair County in reference to food insecurity. She stated that one in four is food insecure in Adair County. Many families fall below the poverty line and there are at least two families with Ray Miller Elementary School age children living out of their car. The REQUEST - "We the group of concerned citizens request your help and consideration of donating two acres of land located off of Jamison and Patterson in Adair County. Behind the Health Clinic, Community Garden and Preferred, all recipients of Adair County land in the past."

Mrs. Dublin continued by saying they needed land in order to put a plan together. The PLAN - "To increase the amount of food into Adair County to help those in need. The land we need to build a larger pantry, would allow for a walk in cooler and freezer. The amount of fresh and fresh frozen food would increase by 25% from the Food Bank for Central & Northeast Missouri with this equipment. Therefore, our clients would be getting healthier food choices." This would also enable the Food Bank to have offices and a food preparation area. This could provide an area for a collective group to help others get out of the situation they are in. Mrs. Dublin stated that the surrounding communities of Lancaster and LaPlata both have a new facility with walk in coolers. Both communities feed more people than Adair County.

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ATTEST:

Sounty Clerk

Presiding Commissioner

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