

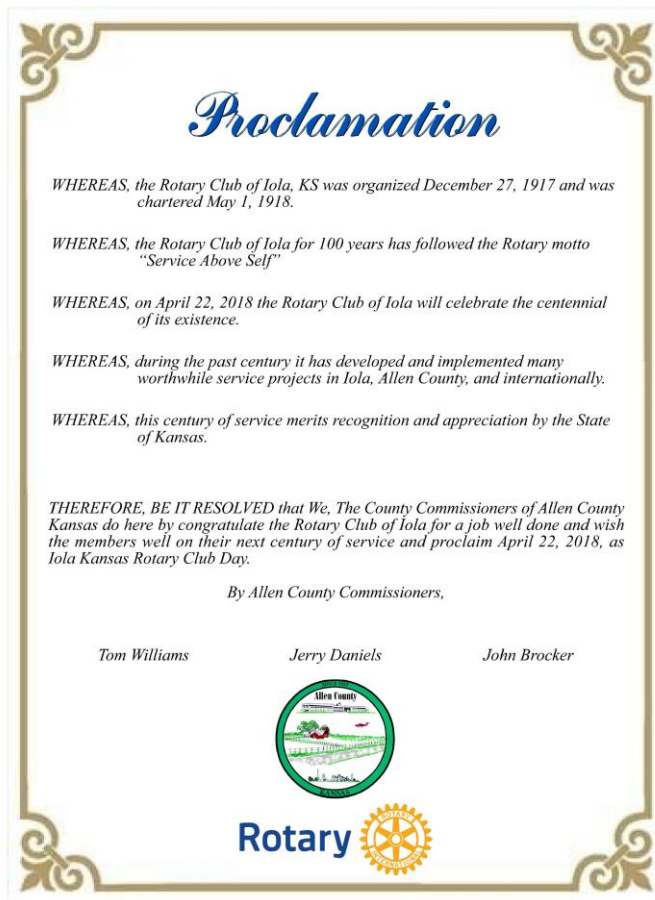
The Allen County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 8:30 a.m. with Chairperson Thomas R. Williams, Commissioner Jerry Daniels, Commissioner John F. Brocker and Sherrie L. Riebel, Allen County Clerk.

Commissioners approved the minutes of the regular meeting on April 10, 2018.

Bob Johnson, Iola Register, Nick Reynolds, The Humboldt Union, Roy Smith, Allen County Undersheriff, Debbie Bearden, Grow Committee and Larry Walden, citizen, was present to observe the meeting.

Sherrie presented sealed bids for the 2012 Ford Services to the Elderly van. One bid was presented from Linda Rinehart for \$2,507.00. No other bids were received. Commissioners requested to check on cost of other 2012 Fords. No action was taken at this time.

Commissioners reviewed a Proclamation for recognizing the Rotary Club's 100 year charter for "Service Above Self". Commissioner Brocker moved to recognize and sign. Commissioner Daniels seconded, motion passed 3-0-0



Jerad Larkey and Debbie Bearden, Farm/City Days members, discussed Farm City Days events. Debbie reported on what all events will be happening. They are bringing professional artists and musicians. Jared asked if the county would be a sponsor for \$1,500. Discussion followed on where monies would come from. Commissioner Daniels moved to approve paying \$1,500 for Farm/City Days. Commissioner Brocker seconded, motion passed 3-0-0. Commissioners also approved use of the square for Farm/City Days.

Mitchell Garner, Allen County Public Works Director, discussed road speed limits signs and where they are posted and not. Discussion followed. Mitch will check the signs.

Mitch reported a vendor painting stripes on 9<sup>th</sup> and Bridge Street in Humboldt. Contractor wants to make sure the weather will be over 40% before he stripes.

Mitch discussed with Commissioners about weight limit signs on the county bridges for the detour area that local traffic will take when KDOT shuts down US Hwy #169. Discussion followed on other KDOT meetings and dates.

Mitch reported the crusher is delivered and they are getting it put together. Employees are learning on putting it together and disassembling it for moving to where they need it.

Kathy McEwen requested permission on posting Aging with Attitude signs on the courtyard's south part of the square. Commissioners approved.

Alan discussed the Marmaton Market asking about donations being considered toward the \$100,000 Allen County will give them, such as grants and other monies. Discussion followed. Commissioners stated they felt it could be all exclusive.

Roy discussed visiting with school districts on security resource officers for their schools; several do not have SRO's. He is still checking about it.

Larry asked about the deputies being trained as coroners. Commissioners reported Neosho County has to find a new district coroner as Dr. Mitchell has retired.

Larry asked about the ambulance stations being one instead of two. Discussion followed.

Bob Johnson stated monumental decisions are cameras and the Bowlus decisions. He told the commission that they should discuss one meeting and make the decision the next. Bob stated he has visited with a few persons (mainly in Humboldt) that had issues on the commission's Bowlus decision. 2<sup>nd</sup> point is he thinks the commission should have bid on the cameras. Discussion followed.

Commissioners approved the following documents:

- a) Clerks Vouchers – \$97,935.83
- b) Payroll – New Hire: Diane Y. Rogers, Rikki A. Witchley  
6 month increase: Terra Kegler  
Mileage reimbursement: Karen Kimball
- c) Clerks Journal Entries #24
- d) Adds and Abates: TR Value 2640, \$349.58, Year 2017

With no further business to come before the board, Commissioner Brocker moved to adjourn, Commissioner Daniels seconded, and motion passed 3-0-0. Meeting was adjourned at 9:18 a.m. until April 24, 2018 at 8:30 a.m. in the Commission room of the courthouse.

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Thomas R. Williams, Chairperson

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Jerry Daniels, Commissioner

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Sherrie L. Riebel, Allen County Clerk

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John F. Brocker, Commissioner