COURT ORDER 2020-11-03

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STATE OF MISSOURI }
}ss.
COUNTY OF RAY }

FORTH TERM, 2020

In the County Court of said County, on the 30th day of November 2020

The following, among other proceedings, were had, viz:

WHEREAS, the constitution of the U.S. Article (1) states "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof ....., and

WHEREAS, our nation was founded upon the many different religious beliefs and ideas of settlers from other countries; and

WHEREAS, the framers of our Constitution sought to protect everyone from one mandated state religion; and

WHEREAS, our nation was founded on the freedom of RELIGION and was not founded on the freedom from RELIGION; and

WHEREAS, through time, court decisions and certain interest groups have contributed to the deterioration of those religious beliefs and ideas to the extent that prayer has been banned from public school systems, and

WHEREAS, the Ray County Commission strongly believes that reinstitution of prayer in the public school system will move this country and our nation toward those religious ideals and beliefs upon which this nation was founded, and will reduce moral decay of our youth, and thereby lessen the juvenile court work load, and

WHEREAS, the Ray County Commission urges all counties in Missouri and across the nation to also join in the effort to reinstate prayer in public schools by passing similar resolutions and uniting in a "grassroots" movement for that purpose,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Ray County Commission does hereby support, encourage and unite in the efforts needed to reinstate prayer in the public schools in Ray County, Missouri.

Bob King
Bob King, Presiding Commissioner

Allen Dale
Allen Dale, Eastern Commissioner

Jerry Bishop
Jerry Bishop, Western Commissioner

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I, Glenda Powell ,Clerk

Of the County Court, in and for said County, hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a true copy of the proceedings of our said Ray County Court, on the day and year above written, as the same appears of record in my office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at office in Richmond, MO this, the 30th day of November 2020

Glenda Powell
Clerk Court.

By_____, D.C.