

March 24, 2015

Woodbury County has three delegates to the Loess Hills Alliance Board that meets quarterly. The three persons below are recommended to fill the positions:

1. Mark Monson, Woodbury County Supervisor
2. Dawn Snyder, Woodbury County Conservation
3. Richard Pope, Retired Extension employee

Richard Pope was born in Onawa and raised on a farm in the Sloan area. I have two degrees, a B.S. in Agricultural Education and an M.S. in soil management (Agronomy), both from Iowa State University.

I taught high school for 2 years in eastern Iowa, farmed in Monona County for 4 years, and then have been an Extension worker for nearly 30 years. I was County agriculturalist in Woodbury County for 2.5 years, and then was a state specialist at ISU working in pest management. I completed my full time employment in Extension in Harrison County (4 years), retiring in 2014. Currently I have been asked to work on a part-time basis as a field crop agronomist in west central Iowa to cover for a vacancy in the ISU system. I live in my hometown, Sloan. In 2014 I moderated the 7 Loess Hills Alliance county informational meetings concerning the proposed Loess Hills Reserve, and am active in natural resources preservation and protection.

Please let me know if there is more that you need from me, and thanks for the opportunity.

Rich Pope

From: **Katherine Koskovich** kkoskovich@gmail.com
Subject: Loess Hills Alliance board position
Date: May 19, 2014 at 2:01 PM
To: **Mark Monson** mark@mudflap.com

Hi Mark and Woodbury County Superviors,

Please accept my resignation as a Loess Hills Alliance Board at large member. It is with regret that I am being asked to resign this position by IDNR. If you need a formal letter stating such, let me know!

Sincerely,
Kathy L Koskovich