City restricts adult stores

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Kirksville resident Stuart Bunch shops at Eclectics on the Square on Wednesday afternoon.

The City Council of Kirksville, Mo., Wednesday night, amended the zoning and licensing ordinances to prohibit any type of adult businesses. The amendment, which went into effect immediately, was concerned about how it would affect property values.

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