

Christian County Commission

February 18, 2008

Convene

Presiding Commissioner John Grubaugh called the meeting of the County Commission to order at 2:00 p.m. on February 18, 2008 at the County Commission Office. Attendance: John Grubaugh, Present: Bill Barnett, Present: Tom Huff, Present.

2:00 p.m. Emergency Meeting - Ice Storm Debris Removal

Those present for the meeting were Emergency Management Director, Mr. Phil Amtower, Mr. Roy Matthews, Mr. Bob Rubino, Mr. Andy Arndt, Mrs. Betty Maples, Ms. Dorothy Doering, Mr. Chad Plein with KY-3, Mr. Ernie O'Gaffney, Mr. Gary D. Clinton, Mr. Rick Amos, Mr. Jerry Rockhold, Ms. Emly Rittman of KSPR, Mr. David Stokely, Ms. Donna Osborne and Mr. Chris Cluck from the Christian County Headliner, and Ms. Donna Baxter with the Springfield Newsleader.

The court house is closed today in observance of President's Day. However, the ice storm created much debris to be removed. The Commission met with Emergency Management Director, Phil Amtower to discuss the damage from ice storm. Mr. Amtower estimates that we have approximately 100,000 cubic yards. Christian County will work with the City of Ozark to contract with the airport for a debris site. Eastern Commissioner, Tom Huff offered the County 1 Road Barn area as a debris site and with DNR approval residents may also bring their debris to be burned. The Commission responded that the County has not been declared a disaster by FEMA and residents may load any wood along the right of way of their property or may haul it to the airport in Ozark or to the Common 1 Road District Barn. The Commission will meet with the city leaders to discuss debris removal. A request for proposals and the bid list from the last ice storm time is available for this storm. If we have FEMA money, residents could take their debris to the property line to be hauled away. The county could hire temporary help and that would be covered by FEMA.

Mr. Stokely and Mr. Rubino addressed their concerns with the 2007 ice storm debris removal.

Signatures


John Grubaugh/Presiding Commissioner