Dear Bourbonnais Grove Historical Society members and friends,





This photo of the ramp area on Letourneau Home/Museum (submitted by Daron Kinzinger) indicates that the winter thaw is coming.

First Membership Meeting of 2018 on March 1

Our first membership meeting of 2018 will be on **Thursday March 1** at 7pm at the Letourneau Home/Museum. The meeting agenda will include approval of minutes (see attached), accounts balances updates, Anne Richard memorial donations, Van Meter Cemetery update, review of Chocolate Tour, "The Herald" articles from December to February, volunteer time for Alex Stirikos, historic landmark status plaque, thank you letter to Michael Buchanan, **need for a secretary**, proceeding on Chris Shoup's graphic art proposal, Les Artisans July 4 craft fair, and implementation of Pay Pal on our website. **We also need a chaperon for the first Sunday Letourneau Home/Museum Open Houses on March 3**, **May 6**, **June 3**, **July 1**, **August 5**, **September 2**, **October 7**, **November 4**, **and December 2**. Gary Seiner takes care of chaperoning the third Sunday open houses. Best wishes,