



City of Bevil Oaks

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PROJECT (Any project, including debris pick up)

&

CRITICAL INFASTRUCTURES

Dear Citizens of Bevil Oaks,

It has been brought to our attention there is some misinformation being passed around regarding the debris, sewer plant and who has permission to enter. So we want to clear up the rumors and information some people are spreading.

First, the debris pickup agreement between the City of Bevil Oaks and Jefferson County is an Emergency Management project that was started between our Emergency Manager, Don Smith, and the County Emergency Manager, Mike White. Mr. Smith met with Mr. White a couple of days after the storm and came to an agreement that the County would help us pick up the debris and move it to a location agreed upon for the Fire Department to help burn it for our citizens.

This agreement gave the County access to one of our **CRITICAL INFASTRUCTURES**, the sewer plant, to unload the debris. (Please note, the water plant is also a critical infrastructure, and all policies, procedures and regulations go for both plants.)

As a critical infrastructure facility for the City, it is, and has been for many years, kept locked up behind the gates and locks. **NO ONE, AT ALL, UNLESS PRE-APPROVED AND GIVEN A SPECIAL KEY, AT WHICH IS REQUIRED TO BE SIGNED OUT, HAS PERMISSION TO ENTER ANY CRITICAL INFASTRUCTURE.** And, with that includes that anyone with a key still **DOES NOT** have permission or the authority to allow ANYONE else into the facility.

Firewood, if needed, is open and available to all citizens... as long as it is still within the City and **BY THE ROADSIDE**, not picked up yet. Once it enters the Critical Infrastructure facility, it is now off limits to citizens. The piles behind the gate are not to be disturbed. Anyone, who is not authorized with a key to be inside the facility, is therefore trespassing.

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