

Wall, Treeva

From: Koontz, Lori
Sent: Monday, August 24, 2015 2:53 PM
To: Dean, Randy; Wall, Treeva
Cc: Johnson, Jeff
Subject: FW: TREE FELL

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From: Koontz, Lori
Sent: Monday, August 24, 2015 11:38 AM
To: Kennard, Andrea
Cc: Stivender, Jim; Campione, Leslie; campionelaw@comcast.net
Subject: RE: TREE FELL

Andrea,

Last Thursday, a tree fell across the non-County maintained portion of Osgood Street. Our policy is to clear the tree from the roadway, specifically for emergency access; however, the maintenance of this road lies with the adjacent property owners, including the removal and disposal of tree debris.

The crew spoke to Mr. Bennett when they were out there and explained our policy to him. We also spoke to Ms. Gosnell just a bit ago this morning and explained the same.

Please let me know if additional information is needed.

Thank you,
Lori

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From: Kennard, Andrea
Sent: Monday, August 24, 2015 11:13 AM
To: Koontz, Lori
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Subject: TREE FELL

Lori –

Comm. Campione rec'd a call from Sarah Gosnell, 352-409-2144, called regarding a huge tree that fell across Osgood, she spoke with someone in the road dept. and they came out and pushed the tree out the road and onto the County Easement up against her father's privacy fence, Luther Bennett - 23740 Sorrento Ave., Sorrento. Over the weekend there were several children playing on the tree and she is concerned with their safety.

She is very discouraged that everyone is encouraged to keep their places cleaned up and with the CRA money that has been invested in the community she thinks that just pushing the tree out of the road and leaving it to rot is not the right decision.

Please look into this for us and give our office an update and then touch base with Ms. Gosnell as well.

Thanks,

Andrea Kennard

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