

Ohio Valley Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC)

August 8, 2012

Financial Report

Balance: \$25,956.01
Home Depot - \$378.08 check outstanding.

Reminder

The LTRC will meet August 15 and August 22. No meeting on August 29. September meetings will be on Sept 5 and 19. One October meeting is scheduled on October 17.

Report from Mickey- Volunteer Coordinator

– Gutting was done on a home in Moscow by a West Chester group. Another group will be coming in September.

The volunteer call line is set up for Sept 14 and 15 tree planting dates. The village is looking for donations from companies and individuals. Steve Folk from the zoo put together a large plan for the village. A donation of \$10,000 was received from Duke. An additional \$3,000 has been donated, for a total of \$13,000. It cost \$250 to sponsor one tree. Donations can be sent to Moscow Tree Fund, P.O. Box 93, Moscow, OH 45153. Also needed for this event are tree planting materials such as mulch. David Legg recommended Mickey calling Doug Evans from Evans Landscape for such materials. The rain date is September 22.

Spiritual Care This is still available through the LTRC or it is also available through Catholic Charities.

Safe Rooms

Applications for safe rooms can be found online at www.ohiosharpp.ema.state.oh.us/OhioSafeRoomRebate. It can also be found on Moscow's facebook page, on the LTRC website. A lottery type drawing will be done of all applications. 150 grants per state will be awarded.

Facebook

Thalia is waiting for the newsletter and she will get that on facebook.

Pamphlets were passed around for discounted building materials. Building Value is a non-profit business offering deeply discounted building materials for reuse. Contact information: buildingvalue.org 513-475-6783. Another place is Habitat for Humanity Restore. Contact information: Cincinnatihabitat.org/restore 513-721-4483. Also available are building materials from LDR per Mary Woodward.

Are You Ready....Before and After a Disaster Confirmed speakers are Mary Hurlburt and Art Owens. Looking into someone from Ohio Attorney General's office for "Choosing a Contractor." Checking with Department of Insurance for presenter of "Purchasing Insurance and Negotiation with Adjusters."

Sandy has a form letter prepared to send to all presenters confirming their commitment and thanking them in advance for their service. Each presenter will present their topic 2 times in 45 minute sessions.

Other

David Legg challenged everyone to show up at the 5K on August 18 in New Richmond during the Riverdays Festival. Sign up in advance and the cost is only \$10. Kathy filled us in on the cardboard boat races on the 18th as well. 1pm on the river.

The West Ohio Conference of the United Methodist Church asked Bev to write an article from the viewpoint of the survivors of the tornado. Bev handed out a short questionnaire to be filled out and returned. She will compile thoughts and a story from those responses.

Bev's last week working in Batavia everyday is August 9. Her phone, 513-732-7411, will be in service until September 30. A message is on her phone stating her cell phone number where she can be reached and she will also check the messages on the 513 number. She is planning to attend the LTRC meetings and following through with all cases.