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Llano County Commissioners Court Discontinues Debris Removal

January 15, 2019 (Llano County, TX) – Llano County officials and employees have diligently worked with citizens and contractors for the last 10 weeks to complete the removal of all debris placed for removal from the extensive flooding across the county in October 2018. At the Commissioners Court meeting held Monday, January 14, the Commissioners Court was updated on those efforts to date.

The final total of debris removed in the unincorporated areas of Llano County is 11,203 cubic yards of construction and demolition debris including damaged components of buildings and structures such as lumber, wood, gypsum wallboard, glass, metal, roofing material, tile, carpeting and flooring, window coverings, pipe, concrete, fully cured asphalt, equipment furnishings, and fixtures. In addition, 7,988 cubic yards of vegetative debris, which had been washed up on private property during the flood, was removed.

The Commissioners Court then voted to end county funded debris removal from private property.

“Now that we have addressed the most immediate needs of our residents in the clean-up process, it is imperative that our Llano County employees focus their efforts on the daily operations and maintenance of county property and equipment, as well as providing our regular services to our citizens,” said County Judge Ron Cunningham.

Officials acknowledge that not all primary and secondary home owners have completed their removal and repairs; however, beginning January 14, 2019, any debris that is placed in the right-of-way or curbside will not be picked up by Llano County or county hired contractors. It is the responsibility of the property owner or their contractor to dispose of debris at a Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) approved facility.

The following are the closest approved TCEQ facilities to Llano County:

- Williamson County Landfill, 600 CR 128, Hutto, Texas 866-909-4458
- Texas Disposal System, 4001 A RR 620, Bee Cave, Texas 512-263-5265
- Texas Disposal System Georgetown, 250 AWL Walden Dr., Georgetown, Texas 512-930-1715

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