

Reminder of water shut-off in some areas of Forest Lakes.....

On Monday, September 25th and Tuesday, September 26th, there is a **possibility** there will be no water from 8am to 4pm do to fire hydrant line extension.

The properties affected are: both sides of Merzville Rd, Elk Dr., Grouse, Chief Circle, Ferret Cir., Happy Hunting Way, and the North side of Highway 260 from Mule Springs to Merzville Rd.

If you have any questions or concerns, you can call the Water District office at 928-535-5438 between 8 AM and 2 PM Monday through Friday.

FLOA News

FLOA's Annual Meeting, and board election, was held last Saturday, the 16th. We welcome new board member Cal Phillips! The two board members who ran for another 3-year term and were elected are Mack Hume and Shane Williams. Our thanks to Ted Cary, whose 3-year term ended. Ted served a total of 6 years as our Vice-President, as well as the Facilities Coordinator since the purchase of the Community Center property. We wish him well in his "retirement".

After the board meeting, the board members met to choose their officers to serve for the coming year. They are: President - Wayne Rothwell, Vice-President - Shane Williams, Secretary - Shari Massion, and Treasurer - Judy Nelson. Thank you to the 9 members of our community that faithfully serve as your representatives on the FLOA Board of Directors.

Questions and comments that need to be addressed to FLOA should be sent to the new president, Wayne Rothwell, at gthrower@frontiernet.net.

Great appreciation was given to Judy Nelson who has served 6 years as President, the maximum allowed per Bylaws. She has 2 years left of her 3-year term and will continue to be the Membership Coordinator and Publicity Coordinator. That means she will still be writing the 'Happenings' and Eblasts.

THANKS TO ALL OF YOU!! - from Shari Massion, Rummage Sale Coordinator

I would like to thank everyone who participated in the Labor Day Rummage Sale ... those who **donated**, those who **bought** and those who **volunteered to help get everything ready for the Sale**. We raised over \$4000 to make improvements to the Community Center. There were many people who said "keep the change, it's for a great cause," some paid almost **double the amount** we marked on an item because it was worth that to them. We have a wonderful group of people in our community and I am so glad to be a part of it.

A bit more information regarding lot signs.....

In the last "Happenings", it was mentioned that some properties are not well marked, or even marked at all, with their lot number and address easily visible at their driveway. There's been much good discussion about the importance of everyone making sure they can be found, especially in case of emergency. Here are a few suggestions on signage:

- Lot numbers and property address should be at least 4" high
- Use reflective materials and make them visible from both sides
- High enough and off the right-of-way so they don't get removed by the grader.

We are working on a plan to see if we can get numbers and holders at a bulk rate. We'll let you know if and when they become available. Ideas and suggestions are welcome. Just reply to this email and I'll get your comments to the appropriate source.

Many, many properties are well signed, and so please know that you don't have to "reinvent your sign" if you already have one that is clearly visible. Thank you, everyone, for making sure we can find you in the trees...in the forest...!

We are almost to the end of another month. We are certainly enjoying the beauty and crispness of Fall weather, aren't we? I've heard many residents say that this is their absolutely most very favorite time of the year!!

Judy