

remains independent. Mr. Tye stated also, regarding public assistance, he is working with all department heads and departments in the county to capture all of the cost. FEMA will assign and take all data and cost, submit for reimbursement and there is a cost share. Commissioner Marshall asked if there is a maximum amount the County can receive? Mr. Tye answered, no sir. Mr. Tye stated we are documenting volunteering hours which we can claim, which counts toward our match requirement. Communities Organizations Active in Disaster (COAD), serves as a long term recovery group. There will be a meeting next week to meet with these groups to make a list of the work/assistance each group can offer. Chairman Slaughter stated the needs people have, such as the elderly, with no insurance and with help being needed to make home repairs, Lowndes County can't work on private property, so it is up to our local community to fill the gap.

**CITIZENS WISHING TO BE HEARD** - There were no citizens wishing to be heard.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Chairman Slaughter recognized Leadership Lowndes and Youth Leadership Lowndes class members. Vice Chairman Wisenbaker made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Commissioner Orenstein second. Chairman Slaughter adjourned the regular session meeting at 6:20 p.m.