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Local officials, residents thankful to cleanup volunteers

The second full day of cleanup following Sunday's major storm brought out more residents and more volunteers to aid in rehabilitating the town.

Members of the Paris Work Crew cleaned debris from Penn St. Tuesday morning while a prison work crew bus blocked traffic on First Ave. as its workers picked up that

Street and alley superintendent Dave Knake is thrilled with the help.

Noting that local streets were, for the most part, all open Tuesday, Knake said it was volunteers who made a difference. "We couldn' have done it without them," he said.

the storm.

Besides work crews, Grant and Danville townships sent men and equipment, as did the Illinois Department of Transportation. All worked throughout the day Tuesday to clear streets and remove debris piled at curbside by residents cleaning up from

Out-of-towners were not the only ones who volunteered. Charles Whiteman and granddaughter Amee Grant were among those volunteering at city hall, offering their time and chainsaw to help where needed.

Trucks, chainsaws and people who know how to use them are especially needed now, Knake said. Anyone



Members of the Paris Work Crew clean debris from Penn St. Tuesday.

who has the equipment and spare time is asked to sign up with Karie Drollinger at city hall.

As for debris left by the storm, Knake said piles of brush and tree limbs left at curbside will be picked up by city workers...eventually. "I don't know when we'll get around to it but we will," he said. Knake expects a major pick-up next week after a weekend of cleaning.

Residents with small amounts of debris, such as insulation, siding, shingles and glass may take them to a 30vard roll off box at the city slab on Rt. 1. The box, donated by Vermilion Waste will remain at the site until it

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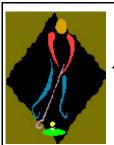


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Volunteers continued from other side

is filled.

Residents with large amounts of debris or who are unable to dispose of smaller amounts before the roll off box is full may call Vermilion Waste at 283-6242 to make arrangements to dispose of their storm waste.

Not-so-nice people descend on Hoopeston after storm, too

Hoopeston Police Chief Mark is warning residents that helpful people are not the only ones coming to Hoopeston as part of the aftermath of Sunday's storm.

Door-to-door solicitors are hitting residents up for home repairs, Drollinger said. Two incidents of such solicitors have been reported, he said.

Residents approached by door-to-door solicitors wanting to do home repairs should call the police department at 283-5196.

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Bowling meeting

The Thursday Men's City League will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday at Pla-Mor Lanes.

Reunion info sought

Is anyone planning a 10-year reunion for the Hoopeston class of 1991? If so, a former classmate would like to know about it.

Joy Warner Wilson, of Glasgow, KY would like to hear from anyone planning a reunion or who would like help planning one.

She may be reached at 114 Ivy St., Glasgow, KY 42141, (270) 651-8817 or email wjwilson@glasgowky.com.

Harley raffle

Two area bars are among those selling tickets for a raffle to help disabled people.

BJ's Pump in Hoopeston and Wall's Pub & Eatery, Rossville, are selling \$25 raffle tickets on a 2001 red and black Harley-Davidson motorcycle.

The raffle is being sponsored by the Vermilion County Handicapped Association and is a yearly event. The association builds wheelchair ramps for Vermilion County residents who need them.

Donated waste containers and volunteered manpower are not the only thing being offered during the cleanup. Residents and businesses have given food and beverages for volunteers.

Beginning Wednesday, the food and drinks will be



Charles Whiteman and his granddaughter, Amee Grant, discuss volunteering for cleanup duty with Karie Drollinger of the Hoopeston ESDA.

In the Hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital July 9

Admitted: none. **Discharged**: Mary Jones.

Weather



Mostly sunny, less humid today. High 83. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Low 60. Tomorrow, mostly cloudy, chance of thunderstorms. High 82, low 58.

For current weather conditions, call the **Hoopeston** Weather Line at (217) 283-6221.

centered at the McFerren Park Civic Center, said Karie Drollinger of the Hoopeston Emergency Services and Disaster Agency. Those who wish to make donations of food or drinks may take them there, she said.

Needed are pre-packed foods and snacks that do not require refrigeration along with canned or bottled beverages.

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