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PRESS RELEASE

“Know Your Rights” –Sen. Cauthorn to Host Informational Session for Storm Victims With State Agencies, Non Profit Organizations

JEFFERSON CITY, MO – Sen. John Cauthorn and the Monroe County University of Missouri Extension office are bringing state agencies and non-profit organizations to Madison and Monroe City Friday, March 17 to assist storm victims in handling insurance and other needs. Citizens with questions or concerns about insurance policies or weaving through government bureaucracy are encouraged to attend.

Joining Cauthorn will be the Missouri Department of Insurance, SEMA, Missouri Department of Natural Resources, Red Cross, United Way and the North East Community Action Corporation. The two stops will be at:

Madison Community Building
115 S Main, Madison
9 a.m. - Noon

Monroe City Senior Nutrition Center
314 S. Main, Monroe City
1 - 5 p.m.

Citizens should assess their damage and meet with their insurance company. Before signing final documents and settlements people should ensure they are fully informed of their options and rights.

“Basically we want folks to know their rights and be fully aware of their options before they sign on the dotted line,” said Cauthorn. “In times like these we all want things done quickly. I’m just bringing the right folks up here to answer people’s questions and help guide them through the process.”