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## Sen. Crowell Joins Governor to Help Neighbors

JEFFERSON CITY—Sen. Jason Crowell, R-Cape Girardeau, will accompany Gov. Matt Blunt to Crosstown tomorrow at 10 a.m. to review the damage caused by tornadoes, high winds, hail and flooding this past weekend. In Perry County, six injuries were reported, more than 60 homes were destroyed and 40 ere damaged.

Crowell spent today visiting with families affected by the storms, area Red Cross volunteers, law enforcement members and safety personnel from the State Emergency Management Agency and the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

"In times of disasters, I am always inspired to see community members come together to provide relief for those who have lost property and belongings," Crowell said. "It is because of the diligent and compassionate efforts of volunteers, first-responders, state departments and public officials that storm victims will be able to start putting their lives back together."

The governor recently issued an executive order to free up state-agency resources to assist local governments in dealing with the aftermath of the storms. Damage-assessment teams are currently surveying at least 12 Missouri counties to gather information on infrastructure and uninsured-property damage.

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