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Subject: Work Session agenda Request re Repair Baldwin
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Thank You Keri, et al:

As per your instructions, I'm emailing our request to be on the agenda for the June 12 County Work Session. We would like about 15 minutes of the commissioners' time. Commissioner Burt suggested that we seek this appointment.

We have asked that the Baldwin County Commission join others in sharing the financial burden and accomplishments of Repair Baldwin by giving a \$6,000 grant/donation to the program.

Repair Baldwin is a four-year-old collaboration of Habitat for Humanity, Catholic Social Service and Ecumenical Ministries, Inc (on the Eastern Shore and south Baldwin). It makes critical repairs to low-income, owner-occupied homes. The repairs stop homes from further deterioration -- such as repairing roofs -- or make homes safe, handicap accessible or sanitary. The program doesn't do cosmetic repairs.

The repairs are made for people who own their own home, but are on such a limited income that they cannot make the repairs themselves. We

Funds usually buy materials and volunteers do the work. In some instances, complicated jobs are done by contractors.

The collaboration has repaired 450 Baldwin homes during the past 4.5 years. We estimate that more than 1,000 homes are in need of these repairs countywide.

The only overhead and admin cost associated with the program is the part-time salary for one staff person who oversees the actual work. All funds otherwise go into repairs.

The program is under the 501c3 fiscal management of Ecumenical Ministries, Inc. We can provide any additional documentation as needed.

I have included a letter that Rev William Brown gave to Commissioner Frank Burt. It's signatories are

Rev William Brown, Founding Pastor, ACT-II
Founding Bishop

Bishop Manuel Watson, ACT-II

Pastor Jay Cooper, Bay Minette United Methodist
Abundant Life Christian Center

Pastor Bruce Hooks,

Pastor Sanford Davis, Zion Fountain AME
ACT-II Steering Board

Pastor Henry L Crawford,

Rev. Edna Dixon, Unity
United Methodist

Major Tunstall, Tensaw

Pastor Bennie Richardson, Morning Star Baptist
New Jerusalem

Bishop Charles Johnson,

Sally Deane, Ecumenical Ministries, Inc. south Baldwin
Social Services, Baldwin County

Phyllis Beam, Catholic

Thank you for your attention and God bless,
Dan Hanson

On Thursday, May 24, 2018, 4:17:39 PM CDT, Keri Green <KEGREEN@baldwincountyal.gov> wrote:

Mr. Hanson,

Per our conversation, please email your request to be placed on the next work session agenda, for the Grant for Repair Baldwin, to the following staff members:

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Thank you,

Keri Green

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