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To: City of Foley Council Members

Foley Police Department

Foley Fire Department

From: Parish Lakes Subdivision Block Party Committee

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## City of Foley officials:

We are attempting to organize a Neighborhood Pot-Luck Block Party in Parish Lakes Subdivision to be held on Saturday, August 24<sup>th</sup> from 4-7pm. We have over 40 residents who have confirmed they will attend and quite a few others who are unsure of work schedules/other commitments yet who would like to join us. We anticipate we could have perhaps 50 residents in attendance.

Our plan is to set up some awnings/canopies for shade, some tables for pot-luck dishes, a couple grills for neighbors to cook hot dogs/hamburgers and everyone brings their own lawn chairs for an afternoon of food, fun and fellowship. The Harris family, at 2117 Bourbon Street (lot #47), have offered the use of their electric, water and bathroom facilities. Everything will be dismantled and cleaned up at the end of the evening.

As the roadway into the Bourbon Street cul-de-sac is somewhat circular, having a median in the center, we are requesting permission of the City of Foley to have the Block Party in the roadway on the eastern side of the cul-de-sac, to the left of the Harris' driveway, then north in front of the two vacant lots (#48 & #49). This would not impede access to the Harris' home and would leave the western side of the cul-de-sac unimpeded for use by the other four (4) residents and any necessary emergency vehicles. The other four (4) families on the Bourbon Street cul-de-sac have been contacted and none have any objections to the Block Party.

We have advised Cpl Matt Cuellar, our neighborhood watch liaison, of our Block Party and asked if he could join us and introduce himself and field any neighborhood watch questions, as we have so many new neighbors. We also plan to issue an invitation to our Foley police and firemen who keep our subdivision safe and secure.

Your kind consideration and approval of our Neighborhood Pot-Luck Block Party and roadway access needs is greatly appreciated.

Thank you.

