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OK, this is the last one, I promise.....

I'm told we're 95% up and running with power in Hunters Creek!

Amazing work from the out-of-town crews and CenterPoint in getting this done so quickly given the extensive damage as discussed, no matter what the fools say about the delays, I know this was a huge task, very well done.

Again, please do not put limbs, leaves or other storm debris in bags on the street. Our trash guys will not pick up bags, nor will the county clean up guys. They have claws that pick up the debris piles, no bags. No, I don't know when they will be at any particular street, but I know they are working all the villages and will get to us eventually.

We are working with the owner of the old Las Alamedas site on Old Voss for a place that residents can drop off debris for the county to haul away. It will be only of residents, and they must provide proof of residency to prevent others from dumping there. There will be a police officer at the gate verifying information and a county debris monitor insuring only tree debris is dumped. Thank you to the owners of the property for allowing us the ability to use their site to stage our debris.

This Tuesday, Hunters Creek Elementary 5th Grade Graduates car parade will be taking place at 1:15. They will drive in front of and on the streets behind the school, so if you have the time, go cheer the HCE graduates on!

With the crazy events of the past week, let's not forget the sacrifices that a great many made through the years, so we can enjoy the luxuries we enjoy on a daily basis.

Shame on me for lamenting a few hours without electricity, internet or being inconvenienced a bit, against the immense backdrop of the sacrifices they made for us all.

May we also remember and honor the eternal sacrifices made for our Freedom on this Memorial Day weekend.

Happy Memorial Day.

Mayor, Jim Pappas