

**Flood 2010 Collection:
Series III. Flood 2010 Oral Histories, 2011-2014**

Collection Summary

Creator: The Nashville Public Library, Special Collections Division

Title: Flood 2010 Oral Histories

Inclusive Dates: 2011-2014

Summary/Abstract: The Flood 2010 Oral Histories document the historic Middle Tennessee flood of May 1-2, 2010 and the aftermath, as told by the people who lived through it. The project includes 174 oral history interviews conducted by library staff and volunteers.

Physical Description/Extent: 4.0 cu. feet

Series: Two subseries: A. Audio recordings; B. Transcripts, indexes and notes

Linking Entry Complexity Note: Forms part of Flood 2010 Collection.

Accession Number: Interviews were conducted by library staff and volunteers between 2011 and 2014.

Language: English

Stack Location: Closed Stacks SCC oral histories

Repository: Special Collections Division, Nashville Public Library, 615 Church Street, Nashville, TN 37219

Chronology

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| May 2010 | Flooding devastates Nashville and surrounding areas. Special Collections staff members begin to collect relief posters and other materials from local businesses affected by the flooding. A detailed project plan is devised to collect information about the Flood. |
| September 2010 | Community partners and recording sites are identified. The Flood 2010 Digital History Project website is launched to provide updates on the project and information about getting involved. |
| October 2010 | Mayor Karl Dean and Library Director Donna Nicely announce the project to the community, which includes collecting oral histories and physical materials. |
| January 2011 | Mayor Karl Dean becomes the first person interviewed for the project, starting Phase I, which focused on interviews with government officials and first response teams. The Nashville Flood Digital History Project Flickr page is launched for community members to share photographs. |

May 2011

“Voices Rising: Remembering One Year Later” program is held at the Schermerhorn Symphony Center with Mayor Karl Dean, the Nashville Symphony, Vince Gill, and Will Hoge. Nashville Flood Anniversary Exhibit is unveiled. It travelled throughout the city until the end of the year.

Biographical/Historical Sketch

During May 1-2, 2010, Nashville received an unprecedented 13.57 inches of rainfall over a two-day period. The Cumberland River crested in Nashville at 51.86 feet, 12 feet above flood stage, with several other rivers and creeks breaking their banks. Flooding devastated areas throughout Nashville and surrounding counties and 11 people died as a result of the flood in Nashville. The Nashville Chamber of Commerce reported 2,773 businesses were impacted by the flood. The response from volunteers was overwhelming; volunteers, largely organized by Hands On Nashville, donated 332,756 hours of their time to help with various recovery projects. Some 25,870 volunteers helped with cleanup and repairs.

Mayor Karl Dean asked the Nashville Public Library to undertake documenting the flood of 2010. The oral history portion of the Library’s Flood 2010 Digital History Project began with an interview with Mayor Dean in January 2011. Library staff and volunteers conducted oral history interviews with citizens, city officials, and local organization leaders from different neighborhoods of Nashville and Middle Tennessee. Interviews were conducted at the Main Library and six other sites in the community. Sites included the Bellevue Family YMCA & J.L. Turner FiftyForward Center, the Bordeaux library branch, the Brentwood Library, Greater Bethel AME Church in downtown, Metropolitan Nashville Arts Commission, and Williamson County Public Library.

Institutions in Nashville and Middle Tennessee contributed significantly to the project by identifying and recommending individual interviewees. Partners included the Mayor’s Office, United Way of Middle Tennessee, Metro Arts Commission, The Brentwood Library, Restore the Dream Center, Impact Nashville, Aerial Innovations, Neighborhoods Resource Center, Matthew Walker Comprehensive Health Center, North Nashville/Bordeaux Neighborhood Association, Lipscomb University, Gentuso Photography, the Bellevue Family YMCA & FiftyForward J.L. Turner Center, and McGruder Family Resource Center

Scope and Contents of the Collection

The collection consists of 174 audio interviews with individuals concerning the May 1-2, 2010 flood in Nashville, Tennessee and surrounding areas. Individuals interviewed include first responders, city officials, musicians, artists, and others. Interviews were conducted in two stages (city officials & response teams, then business & community) and include information about the flooding, government response, relief efforts, and other topics. Themes include volunteerism, rescue efforts, the rebuild

process, and disaster relief. Each interview has at minimum interview notes and, in a few cases, complete transcripts.

Organization/Arrangement of Materials

The Flood 2010 Collection is organized into the following series:

- I. Ephemera
- II. Manuscripts
- III. Oral Histories
- IV. Periodicals
- V. Photographs and Videos

This finding aid concerns only Series III. A separate finding aid is available for the rest of the Flood 2010 Collection.

Series III. Oral Histories is divided further into the following subseries by format:

- A. Audio recordings
- B. Transcripts, indexes, notes

Both subseries are arranged alphabetically by the last name of the interviewee, however, audio recordings use the prefix FDH for the project identifier.

Restrictions

Restrictions on Access: In library use only. Available by appointment.

Some individual interviewee restrictions may apply.

Restrictions on Use and Reproduction: Copyright deeded to Nashville Public Library at time of creation. Some individual interviewee restrictions may apply.

Index Terms

Personal Names:

Anders, Rogers
Baker, Ruby D.
Bauerschmidt, John
Browning, Richard, Ph.D.
Cain, Michael, -- director -- Harpeth River Watershed Association
Castro, German -- pastor
Creech, Laurel
Dean, Karl F.
Duffield, Mark, -- firefighter
Eads, Tim
Goss, Brian, -- firefighter
Harris, Scott -- Office of Emergency Management
Hinote, Greg
Huggins, Damian
Hughes, Jeff, 1963-
Kalodimos, Demetria
Mitchell, David, -- filmmaker
Penney, Kevin

Potter, Scott, -- director -- Department of Water and Sewerage Services
Pylkas, Matthew, -- police officer
Walker, Mike, -- city manager

Corporate Names/Organizations:

Catholic Charities of Tennessee
Cumberland River Compact
Davidson County. Assessor's Office
Donelson Fellowship Church (Nashville, Tenn.)
Downtown Presbyterian Church (Nashville, Tenn.)
El Shaddai Christian Church (Brentwood, Tenn.)
Hands On Nashville
Harpeth River Watershed Association
Lighthouse Christian School (Antioch, Tenn.)
Lipscomb University
Metropolitan Nashville Arts Commission
Metropolitan Nashville Police Department
Nashville and Davidson County (Tenn.). Department of Public Works
Nashville and Davidson County (Tenn.). Mayor's Office
Nashville and Davidson County (Tenn.). Mayor's Office. Office of Emergency Management
Nashville and Davidson County (Tenn.). Department of Water and Sewerage Services
Neighborhoods Resource Center (Nashville, Tenn.)
Soundcheck Nashville (Firm)
Southeast Nashville Recovery Group
St. David's Episcopal Church (Nashville, Tenn.)
St. George's Episcopal Church (Nashville, Tenn.)
Tennessee Immigrant and Refugee Rights Coalition
Tennessee State University
United States. Federal Emergency Management Agency
United Way of Middle Tennessee
Vanderbilt University

Title as Subject:

Nashvillest.com

Subjects:

Artists -- Tennessee, Middle -- Interviews
Business enterprises -- Tennessee -- Nashville
Businesspeople -- Tennessee, Middle
Charities -- Tennessee -- Nashville
Church buildings -- Tennessee -- Nashville
Church work with disaster victims -- Tennessee
Clergy -- Tennessee, Middle
Commercial buildings-- Tennessee -- Nashville

Community arts projects -- Tennessee -- Nashville
 Community centers – Tennessee – Nashville
 Disaster relief – Tennessee
 Disaster relief – United States – Case studies
 Disaster relief – United States – Citizen participation
 Disaster victims – Tennessee
 Disasters – Psychological aspects
 Disasters – Social aspects -- Tennessee
 Dwellings – Fires and fire prevention -- -- Tennessee – Nashville – Personal narratives
 Dwellings – Flood damage
 Dwellings – Rehabilitation – Social aspects
 Emergency Management – Tennessee – Nashville
 Episcopalians -- Tennessee -- Nashville
 Families -- Tennessee
 Fire departments – Tennessee – Brentwood
 First responders -- Tennessee
 Flood damage – Economic aspects
 Flood damage – Tennessee, Middle
 Flood damage – Tennessee – Brentwood
 Flood damage – Tennessee – Franklin
 Flood damage – Tennessee – Nashville
 Flood insurance claims – Tennessee, Middle
 Floodplain management – Tennessee -- Nashville
 Floods -- Cumberland River (Ky. and Tenn.)
 Floods -- Harpeth River (Tenn.)
 Floods – Social aspects -- Tennessee
 Floods -- Stones River (Tenn.)
 Floods -- Tennessee -- Nashville
 Floods -- Tennessee -- Williamson County
 Floods -- Tennessee, Middle
 Generosity – Anecdotes
 Government purchasing of real property—Tennessee—Nashville
 Grief – Psychological aspects
 Grief – Social aspects—Tennessee – Nashville – Personal narratives
 Housing rehabilitation – Tennessee – Nashville
 Housing subsidies – Tennessee – Nashville
 Land use management – Tennessee – Nashville
 Lifesaving -- Anecdotes
 Local government -- Tennessee
 Local officials and employees – Tennessee, Middle
 Mayors – Tennessee – Nashville
 Musicians – Tennessee – Nashville – Interviews
 Natural disasters – Economic aspects
 Natural disasters – Psychological aspects
 Natural disasters – Social aspects

Natural disasters – Tennessee
Photographers – Tennessee – Personal narratives
Police – Tennessee – Brentwood
Police -- Tennessee -- Nashville
Public art – Tennessee -- Nashville
Public shelters – Tennessee – Nashville
Public works – Tennessee – Nashville
Rainstorms – Tennessee, Middle
Real property – Tennessee--Nashville
Rescue work– Tennessee – Nashville
Rescues – Tennessee – Nashville
Rivers – Tennessee
Roads – Flood damage
State-local relations -- Tennessee
Voluntarism – Tennessee – Nashville
Volunteer workers in government – Tennessee – Nashville
Volunteer workers in social service – Tennessee – Nashville
Volunteers -- Management
Volunteers – Tennessee, Middle
Water treatment plants – Tennessee – Nashville
Weather – Southern States
Weather – Tennessee, Middle
Weather – Tennessee -- Nashville

Places:

Antioch (Tenn.)
Belle Meade (Tenn.)
Bellevue (Tenn.)
Bordeaux (Nashville, Tenn.)
Brentwood (Tenn.) -- Flood, 2010
Brentwood (Tenn.) -- Officials and employees
Brentwood (Tenn.) – Politics and government – 21st century
Cumberland River (Ky. and Tenn.) -- Flood, 2010
Davidson County (Tenn.) -- Flood, 2010
Donelson (Tenn.)
Franklin (Tenn.) -- Flood, 2010
Harpeth River (Tenn.) -- Flood, 2010
Hermitage (Tenn.)
Mill Creek (Davidson County, Tenn.)
Nashville (Tenn.) – Buildings, structures, etc.
Nashville (Tenn.) -- Flood, 2010
Nashville (Tenn.) -- History -- 21st century – Sources
Nashville (Tenn.) – Politics and government – 21st century
Nashville and Davidson County (Tenn.) -- Officials and employees
North Nashville (Nashville, Tenn.)
Pennington Bend (Nashville, Tenn.)

Richland Creek (Davidson County, Tenn.)
River Plantation (Bellevue, Tenn.)
Stones River (Tenn.) -- Flood, 2010
Tennessee – History – 21st century -- Sources
Tennessee, Middle -- Flood, 2010
West Meade (Nashville, Tenn.)
West Nashville (Nashville, Tenn.)
Williamson County (Tenn.) -- Flood, 2010

Genre/Document Types:

Interviews
Oral histories (document genres)
Transcripts

Occupations:

Artists
Clergy
First responders
Mayors
Musicians
Police

Added Author (Personal Name):

Anders, Rogers
Browning, Richard, Ph.D.
Creech, Laurel
Dean, Karl F.
Eads, Tim
Harris, Scott -- Nashville Office of Emergency Management
Hinote, Greg
Hughes, Jeff, 1963
Kalodimos, Demetria
Penney, Kevin
Potter, Scott, -- director -- Department of Water and Sewerage Services
Pylkas, Matthew, -- police officer
Walker, Mike, -- city manager

Added Author (Corporate Heading):

Nashville and Davidson County (Tenn.). Mayor's Office

Added Title:

Associated and Related Material

Nashville Flood Digital History Project Flickr:

<https://www.flickr.com/groups/nashvilleflood/>

A group started by the Nashville Public Library as part of the Flood 2010 Digital History Project as a place for community members to share photos of their flood experience. This group is not maintained by the library and the photos in it were not included in the collection unless individuals donated them directly to the Nashville Public Library (separate from uploading them to Flickr).

Separated Material

Administrative Information

Additional Physical Form Available:

Location of Originals/Duplicates:

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Preferred Citation: [Interviewee Name], Oral Histories Series, Flood 2010 Collection, Special Collections Division, Nashville Public Library.

Immediate Source of Acquisition: Oral histories initiated and created by Nashville Public Library and project partners and volunteers.

Ownership and Custodial History: Interviews were recorded by library staff and volunteers between 2011 and 2014, using a Marantz PMD671 solid state digital recorder. Interviews were recorded in .wav format at 48 khz and 16 bit and were converted to .mp3 files for access.

Processing Information: Preliminary processing performed by staff member Susannah Gibbons, 2013. Final processing and creation of finding aid by staff member Amber Williams, 2015. Additional assistance was provided by volunteers including students at Lipscomb University, Harvey Bennett, Marty O'Reilly, and Sarah T.

Accruals: No additional accruals are expected.

Other Finding Aids

A separate finding aid exists for the rest of the Flood 2010 Collection, excluding oral histories.

Electronic Location and Access

Excerpts from some oral histories are accessible at the Nashville Public Library's Digital Collections portal:

<http://nashville.contentdm.oclc.org/cdm/search/collection/all/searchterm/2010%20flood/field/all/mode/all/conn/and/order/nosort/display/200>

References to Works by or about Collection Creator/Topic

Digital Exhibit produced by the Nashville Public Library:

Flooding Nashville website: <http://flood.nashvillepubliclibrary.org/>

Detailed Description of the Collection

Arrangement: Recordings use the prefix FDH for the project identifier. Filed thereunder alphabetically by the last name of the interviewee. Cross references have been provided when multiple interviewees participated in a single interview.

Person Interviewed	Interviewer	Date	Trans.?	Index?	Notes/Restrictions	Significance
Anderson, Judy B.	Brennan, Jared	08/26/2011	No	No		Recently moved to River Planation before the flood.
Anderson, Rogers	Blackman, Andrea	10/28/2011	No	No		Williamson County Mayor
Andrews, Sue	Richer, Annette	5/11/2011	No	No		Member of St. George's Episcopal Church
Anthuis, Kevin	Blackman, Andrea	03/25/2011	No	No		Local artist in East Nashville. Art pieces are featured in the Metro Art Commission's Spirit of the River exhibit. Wants to capture the surreal nature of the flood.
Appel, Tom	Herbst, Luke	04/06/2011	No	No		Community organizer at the Neighborhoods Resource Center in Nashville, TN.
Armstrong, Kathie	Gibbons, Susannah	02/28/2011	No	No		River Plantation resident. Her house was flooded.
Atkinson, Scott; Bills, Leslie Heldenberg, Billy	Aders, Bradley	4/27/2011	No	No		Home was damaged in the flood and subsequently remodeled.
Baganz, Nicole	Martin, Rolicia	05/03/2011	No	No	Restriction. Quotes require permission from interviewee. See agreement.	New Nashville resident that witnessed the flood.
Bailey, Deford Jr.	Blackman, Andrea	10/14/2011	No	No		Rescued from his car during the flood on his way to church.
Baker, Harry L III	Hall, Taffey	7/13/2011	No	No		Director of Sports and Fitness Center at Gordon Jewish Community Center which served as a shelter during and after the flood.
Baker, Ruby	Butler, Deidre Hill	03/3/2013	Yes	No	Transcript Only. No Audio	Resident of the Bordeaux neighborhood affected by the flood.
Baker, Ruby D.	Blackman, Andrea	02/25/2012	No	No		President of Bordeaux Hills Residential Association. Established the Bordeaux Hills Disaster Relief Fund.
Barry, Mark	Hall, Taffey	07/18/2011	No	No		Employed by Catholic Charities of Tennessee and administered assistance during the flood.
Bauerschmidt, John	Pilcher, Annette	08/17/2011	No	No		Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Tennessee and resident of East Nashville.

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Beard, Ernestine	Herbst, Luke	02/23/2011	No	No		Resident of Bordeaux Hills subdivision and was affected by the flood.
Belfiglio, Barbara	Pilcher, Annette	08/18/2011	No	No		Resident of River Plantation in Bellevue affected by the flood.
Bennett, Sidney	Herbst, Luke	04/07/2011	No	No		Works at the Hermitage Community Center where she administered assistance during the flood.
Berle, Amelia J.; Berle, Nathaniel J.; Berle, Nissa J.; Cyrus, Cynthia J.	Gibbons, Susannah	03/16/2011	No	No		Family lost several pets due to the flood and was displaced from their home for several days.
<i>Bills, Leslie</i>					<i>See Atkinson, Scott</i>	
Blaustone, Jan	Gibbons, Susannah	08/26/2011	No	No		Resident of Bellevue Riverwalk subdivision which borders the Harpeth River. Wrote a magazine article about the flood.
Brandau, Seawall	Pilcher, Annette	06/03/2011	No	No		Engaged in the search effort to locate the Rutledge family that went missing during the flood.
Bray, Kenneth	Herbst, Luke	08/26/2011	No	No		Police officer in the Bellevue area. Helped people evacuate flooded homes.
Brown, Jason	Brennan, Jared	04/14/2011	No	No		Public safety dispatcher for the Brentwood Police Department. Resident of Fairview, Tennessee and the only home in his neighborhood to flood.
Browning, Richard Jr.; Byars, Mozell; Johnson, Melvin	Gibbons, Susannah	04/26/2012	No	No		President of Tennessee State University rescued professor in the Department of Agricultural Sciences in floodwaters.
Burke, Gary	Gibbons, Susannah	05/13/2011	No	No		Provided assistance to people affected by the flood.
Burney, Ednaearle	Gibbons, Susannah	02/24/2011	No	No		Home was flooded.
Buttriss, Ben	Surber, Richard	04/17/2011	No	No		Home was flooded and chose to rebuild instead of take a buyout.
<i>Byars, Mozell</i>					<i>See Browning, Richard Jr.</i>	
Cain, Michael	Robinson, Robin	06/30/2011	No	No		Director of Watershed Assessment and Restoration at the Harpeth River Watershed Association. Mentioned in Hands on Nashville's <i>Take my Hand</i> book about the flood.
Castro, German	Gibbons, Susannah	11/08/2011	No	No		St. Pastor of El Shaddai Christian Church in Franklin which flooded.
Chambers, Margaret	Gibbons, Susannah	02/22/2011	No	No		Resident of Bordeaux. Home was flooded.
Clark, Elsie	Brennan, Jared	08/26/2011	No	No		Resident of River Plantation in Bellevue. Home as flooded.

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Collier, Anetta	Warkentin, Bettina	12/01/2011	No	No	Restriction. Admin Only. See agreement.	
Collier, Linda	Makley, Mary	08/27/2011	No	No		
Contreras, Carla Christina	Herbst, Luke	03/25/2011	No	No		Local artist that had art displayed for spirit of flood project.
Cornell, Margaret Cothran, Scott	Hall, Taffey	07/19/2011	No	No		Archivist at Bellevue United Methodist Church. Assisted with disaster relief.
Cothran, Scott	Gibbons, Susannah	07/29/2011	No	No	See also Cornell, Margaret	Metro Police Officer
Cover, Mia	Brennan, Jared	08/27/2011	No	No		Home was flooded.
Creech, Laurel	Blackman, Andrea	02/09/2011	No	No		Nashville's Chief Service Officer.
Curry, Jason	Butler, Deidre, Hill	03/17/2014	Yes	No	Transcript Only. No Audio.	Professor at Fisk University.
Cyrus, Cynthia	Aders, Bradley	03/16/2011	No	No	See also, Berle, Amelia J	Resident of Bellevue. Home was flooded.
Davenport, Beth; Davenport, Danny	Koczanski, Lexi	04/16/2011	No	No		Provided assistance to neighbors affected by the flood.
Day, Oralene	Brennan, Jared	02/24/2011	No	No		Home was flooded.
Dean, Karl		01/20/2011	No	No		Mayor of Nashville
DeForest, Amanda; DeForest, Lee	Gibbons, Susannah	05/05/2012	No	No		Residents of Madison. Home was flooded.
Diana, Nancy	Surber, Richard	04/16/2011	No	No		Photographer and resident of Nashville that documented the flood.
Disney, Charlotte	Gibbons, Susannah	10/28/2011	No	No		Pennington Bend resident. Home was flooded.
Duffield, Mark	Dockins, Frank IV	04/12/2011	No	No		Captain in the Brentwood Fire Department that administered assistance during the flood.
Eads, Tim	Pilcher, Annette	03/29/2011	No	No		Chief of Police of Belle Meade.
Earl, Barbara	Pilcher, Annette	08/27/2011	No	No		Resident of River Plantation in Bellevue. Home was flooded.
Edwards, Bryan; Spriggs, Jenn	Percell, Johnna	06/06/2011	No	No		Home was flooded. Donated images of the flood to the project.
Elder, Binji	Brennan, Jared	08/27/2011	No	No		Home in Bellevue was flooded.
Essary, Bryan	Pilcher, Annette	05/17/2011	No	No		Member St. George's Episcopal Church affected by the flood.
Estill, Ceci	Brennan, Jared	09/03/2011	No	No	Restriction. Quotes require permission from interviewee. See agreement.	Bellevue resident affected by the flood and unhappy with the emergency response.
Etheridge, Daryl; Olsen, Bryon	Scott, Lindsay	04/22/2011	No	No		Project Manager on construction project to rebuild Lighthouse Christian School. Part of the school was rebuilt as a part of the television show, Extreme Makeover.
Evans, Kelly	Herbst, Luke	04/26/2011	No	No		River Plantation resident affected by the flood.

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Farris, Dwight	Blackman, Andrea	03/8/2011	No	No		Resident of Bellevue/West Meade that recorded 72 hours of the flood.
Felts, Kathy; Zimmerman, Patti	Gibbons, Susannah	12/14/2011	No	No		Retired teacher whose Davidson County home flooded.
Fossik, Norene	Gibbons, Susannah	08/26/2011	No	No		Resident of River Plantation affected by the flood.
Frink, Christy; Levy, Morgan	Herbst, Luke	5/14/2011	No	No		Editors and founders of Nashvillest.com which aggregated all flood news on their Twitter feed.
Garrett, Margie	Pilcher, Annette	09/07/2011	No	No		Resident of River Plantation in Bellevue affected by the flood.
Gentuso, Tamara "Tammy"	Gibbons, Susannah	02/09/2011	No	No		Freelance photojournalist that documented the flood and the recovery efforts in the Pennington Bend neighborhood in Nashville.
Gillhan, Scott	Brennan, Jared	11/11/2011	No	No		Resident of West Nashville that was affected by the flood. Performed two songs he wrote about the flood.
Goddard, Casey	Gibbons, Susannah	02/17/2011	No	No		Home was flooded.
Gordon, Melissa	Herbst, Luke	04/28/2011	No	No		Neighborhood organizer at Neighborhoods Resource Center.
Goss, Brian	Ramsey, Cece	04/12/2011	No	No		Assistant Fire Chief for Brentwood Fire and Rescue. Provided assistance during the flood.
Grasman, Eric	Pilcher, Annette	06/09/2011	No	No		
Greenwood, Abby; Greenwood, Ally; Greenwood, Andie; Greenwood, Katie; Greenwood, Steve	Brennan, Jared	03/18/2011	No	No	Abby, Ally, and Andie Greenwood lines printed but not signed in the agreement.	Father is the Children's Pastor of the Donelson Fellowship on McGavock Pike. The children's area at the church was flooded. The family home as also flooded.
Greenwood, Eric	Pilcher, Annette	02/22/2011	No	No		Rector of St. David's Episcopal Church in West Meade that served families in the church that was affected by the flood.
Grimenstein, Owen	Pilcher, Annette	07/13/2011	No	No		Bellevue resident affected by the flood
Gunn, Andrea	Brennan, Jared	08/26/2011	No	No		President of the Somerset Farms Homeowners Association.
Guschke, Jim	Gibbons, Susannah	09/08/2011	No	No		Building Inspector for the Metro Department of Codes and Building Safety.
Haggard, Steve	Herbst, Luke	08/26/2011	No	No		Affected by the flood.
Hamilton-Roberts, Suzie	Allen, Sarah	03/17/2011	No	No		Affected by the flood.
Harnist, Sherri	Griffith, Christian	06/28/2011	No	No		Resident of Antioch that was affected by the flood. Witnessed the Lighthouse Christian School float away during the flood.

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Harrington, Lori	Brennan, Jared	08/27/2011	No	No		Affected by the flood. Featured on the front cover of the Tennessean September 12 th , 2010 issue.
Harris, Melissa	Gibbons, Susannah	08/26/2011	No	No		Flood relief volunteer.
Harris, Scott	Brennan, Jared	02/09/2011	No	No		Senior Program Manager of Field Operations for Metro Office of Emergency Management.
Hausken, Doug	Gibbons, Susannah	07/01/2011	No	No		Executive Director of Cumberland River Compact. Included in Hands on Nashville's book <i>Take My Hand</i> .
Haynes, Lorenzana	Pilcher, Annette	08/27/2011	No	No		Affected by the flood.
<i>Heldenberg, Billy</i>					<i>See Atkinson, Scott</i>	
Hinote, Greg	Brennan, Jared	06/17/2011	No	No		Deputy Mayor of Nashville.
Hodge, Mike	Brennan, Jared	4/28/2011				Program Manager with the Neighborhoods Resource Center.
Huggins, Damian	Brennan, Jared	03/02/2011	No	No		Commander of Central Precinct during the flood. Currently the Deputy Chief, Investigative Services, Metro Police Department.
Hughes, Jeff	Blackman, Andrea	04/12/2011	No	No		Assistant Chief of Police, City of Brentwood. Served as "Acting" Chief of Police during the flood.
Israel, Tiffany	Blackman, Andrea	03/25/2011	No	No		Former staff member at Neighborhoods Resource Center.
Jamison, Ruby	Blackman, Andrea	10/14/2011	No	No		Member of Greater Bethel AME Church whose home flooded.
Johnson, Ben	Gibbons, Susannah	10/27/2011	No	No		Franklin resident whose home was flooded.
<i>Johnson, Melvin</i>					<i>See Browning, Richard Jr</i>	
Jones, Timothy	Pilcher, Annette	06/07/2011	No	No		Reverend of St. George's Episcopal Church.
Kalodimos, Demetria	Blackman, Andrea	04/06/2011	No	No		Evening news anchor with WSMV television station.
Keenan, Nan	Pilcher, Annette	07/19/2011	No	No		Resident of Franklin, TN affected by the flood.
Kimbro, Tana	Robinson, Robin	05/28/2011	No	No		River Plantation resident affected by the flood.
Kirk, Dawn	Percell, Johnna	05/05/2011	Yes	No		Writer and therapist affected by the flood.
Klein, Don	Blackman, Andrea	02/22/2011	No	No		Resident of River Plantation affected by the flood.
Lambert, Mary Margaret	Gibbons, Susannah; Herdon, Owen Jr.	04/30/2011	No	No		Resident of River Plantation that experienced the flood and lost loved ones in the flooding.
Lape, Lora	Gibbons, Susannah	10/27/2011	No	No		Franklin resident affected by the flood.
Law, Mike	Pilcher, Annette	05/24/2011	No	No		Resident of Inglewood affected by the flood.
Leaver, Walt	Hall, Taffey	07/20/2011	No	No		Vice-President of Public Relations at Lipscomb University which served as a shelter during the flood. .

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LeMaster, Eb	Pilcher, Annette	05/18/2011	No	No		Senior Warden of St. George's Episcopal Church.
<i>Levy, Morgan</i>					<i>See Frink, Christy</i>	
Lewis, Calvin	Pilcher, Annette	06/03/2011	No	No		Senior Warden of St. George's Episcopal Church.
Linn, Steven	Gibbons, Susannah	09/07/2011	No	No		Sergeant with Metro Police Department, West Precinct.
Locke, Kenneth	Hall, Taffey	07/11/2011	No	No		Pastor of the Downtown Presbyterian Church.
Lopez, Denise	Brennan, Jared	09/16/2011	No	No		Bellevue resident affected by the flood.
LoPiccolo, John	Buckingham, Alyssa; Robinson, Robin	04/14/2011	No	No		Lieutenant with the Brentwood Fire and Rescue department.
Lue, Ginger	Robinson, Robin	08/31/2011	No	No		Resident of Bellevue affected by the flood.
Lynch, Mandi	Griffith, Christian	06/27/2011	No	No		Resident of Hermitage, TN that volunteered during the flood.
Lytton, William	Gibbons, Susannah	02/24/2011	No	No		West Hamilton resident affected by the flood.
Marfy, Valeria	Brennan, Jared	08/27/2011	No	No		Bellevue resident affected by the flood.
Martin, Philip; Orr, Phil	Herbst, Luke	08/26/2011	No	No		Representatives for United Way of Metropolitan Nashville.
Mathey, Leslie Anne	Gibbons, Susannah	10/28/2011	No	No		Resident of Nashville affected by the flood.
McCullough, Carol	Gibbons, Susannah; Blackman, Andrea	04/28/2011	No	No		Neighborhood organizer with Neighborhood Resource Center.
McDonald, Rob	Gibbons, Susannah	08/26/2011	Yes	No		Bellevue resident affected by the flood.
McKenzie, Patrick	Herbst, Luke	06/13/2011	No	No		Bellevue resident affected by the flood.
Merritt, Troy Jr.	Blackman, Andrea	10/14/2011	No	No		Presiding Elder, South Nashville District, 13 th AME Church.
Messer, Kimberly	Pilcher, Annette	06/17/2011	No	No		Music librarian at St. George's Episcopal Church.
Miller, Hugh	Aders, Bradley	03/11/2011	No	No		Resident Manager at River Planation. .
Mills, David	Hall, Taffey	07/11/2011	No	No		Associate Director of Communications, Neighborhood and Government Relations at Vanderbilt University. Affected by the flood.
Mitchell, David	Gibbons, Susannah; Martin, Rolicia	04/05/2011	No	No		Created documentary about the flood victims in North Nashville.
Moore, Robert	Gibbons, Susannah	11/09/2011	No	No		Pennington Bend resident affected by the flood.
Morrison, Lisa	Gibbons, Susannah	03/09/2011	No	No		Bellevue resident affected by the flood. Home was severely damaged in the flood.
Mosher, Bruce	Brennan, Jared	08/27/2011	No	No		Resident of River Plantation affected by the flood.
Mullenex, Marty	Herbst, Luke	08/26/2011	No	No		Bellevue resident affected by the flood.
Murdock, Alan	Robinson, Robin	05/19/2011	Yes	No		Owner of Art House Gardens. Organized flood relief effort in East Nashville.

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Murphree, Janie	Pilcher, Annette	08/24/2011	No	No		Resident of River Plantation affected by the flood.
Nabours, Amy	Gibbons, Susannah	05/07/2012	No	No		Resident of Bellevue affected by the flood. Her husband is the Director of Harpeth Youth Soccer Association.
Nelson, James Jr	Brennan, Jared	08/27/2011	No	No		Works for the Fire Department and is stationed at Engine 11 in North Nashville.
Nichols, Jeff	Robinson, Robin	06/30/2011	No	No		Executive Pastor of the Donelson Fellowship Church. The church's children's center flooded, affecting a number of families.
Nobles, Nikki	Pilcher, Annette	08/27/2011	No	No	Restriction. Quotes require permission from interviewee. See agreement.	Resident of River Plantation affected by the flood.
O'Donnell, Sandy	Makley, Mary	08/27/2011	No	No		Home was flooded.
O'Hare, Kristen Marie	Brennan, Jared	08/26/2011	No	No		Flood relief volunteer through Red Cross and Hands On Nashville.
O'Leary, John; O'Leary, Nancy	Gibbons, Susannah	10/31/2011	No	No		Home caught fire and exploded during the flood.
<i>Olson, Bryon</i>					<i>See Etheridge, Daryl</i>	
<i>Orr, Phil</i>					<i>See Martin, Philip</i>	
Owensby, Craig	Gibbons, Susannah; Bennett, Harvey	03/18/2011	No	No		Metro employee with the Planning Department and resident whose home as damaged by the flood.
Parr, Marion	Herbst, Luke	08/26/2011	No	No		Resident of Bellevue affected by the flood.
Penney, Kevin	Blackman, Andrea	02/03/2011	No	No		Deputy Director for the Office of Emergency Management and the Director for Metro's Emergency Operations Center (EOC).
Post., Amelia	Pilcher, Annette	08/09/2011	No	No		Youth organizer at Tennessee Immigrant and Refugee Rights Coalition. Worked with flood relief for the immigrant community.
Potter, Scott	Blackman, Andrea	02/04/2011	Yes	No		Director of Nashville Metro Water Services.
Pylkas, Matt	Gibbons, Susannah	08/09/2011	No	No		Officer with the West Precinct of the Metro Nashville Police Department during the flood. Awarded the Tennessee Homeland Security First Responder Award for his heroic actions during the flood.
Ragland, Lynn	Gibbons, Susannah	06/28/2011	No	No		St. George's Episcopal Church Coordinator of Lay Ministries and Pastoral Care.
Rajotte, Fran	Herbst, Luke	08/26/2011	No	No		Resident of Bellevue affected by the flood.
Rebecca, Monette	Gibbons, Susannah	07/08/2011	No	No		Executive Director of the Richland Creek Watershed Alliance.

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Regen, Cynthia; Regen, Damon	Pilcher, Annette	08/27/2011	No	No		Residents of Pasquo, TN affected by the flood.
Rice, Jeannie	Gibbons, Susannah	09/08/2011	No	No		Bellevue resident affected by the flood.
Richards, Dr. James	Brennan, Jared	08/27/2011	No	No		Resident of Bellevue affected by the flood.
Richardson, Rich	Dockins, Frank IV	04/13/2011	No	No		Operations Superintendent for the Public Works Department in Brentwood, TN.
Riebau, Sarah	Pilcher, Annette	09/28/2011	No	No		Resident of Bellevue affected by the flood.
Ritter, Seth	Pilcher, Annette	08/27/2011	No	No		Owner of a local business, Caption Link, which was affected by the flood.
Rivas, Lisa	Blackman, Andrea	03/25/2011	No	No		Artist.
Robinson, Ann; Robinson, Derek	Hall, Kristin	07/02/2011	No	No	Restriction.	Affected by the flood.
Rogers, Dottie	Pilcher, Annette	08/13/2011	No	No		West Meade resident affected by the flood.
Rooker, George	Gibbons, Susannah	08/11/2011	No	No		Davidson County Assessor of Property.
Sanders-Hunter, Thelma	Gibbons, Susannah	02/22/2011	No	No		Affected by the flood.
Seldon, Debbie	Percell, Johnna	05/15/2011	No	No		Resident of Bellevue affected by the flood.
Senechal, Roger	Gibbons, Susannah	06/01/2011	No	No		Reverend of St. George's Episcopal Church which was affected by the flood.
Shaver, Richard	Griffith, Christian	06/27/2011	No	No		Teacher at a flooded Metro school.
Spangler, Todd	Pilcher, Annette	04/12/2011	No	No		City Engineer for the City of Brentwood.
<i>Spriggs, Jenn</i>					<i>See Edwards, Bryan</i>	
Spriggs, Michael	Gibbons, Susannah	05/17/2011	Yes	No		Veteran Nashville guitarist. Discusses damage at Sound Check
Spruill, Leigh	Pilcher, Annette	05/26/2011	No	No		Rector of St. George's Episcopal Church which was affected by the flood.
Stone, William	Butler, Deidre Hill	06/11/2012	Yes	No		Affected by the flood.
Sulyeman, Remziya	Robinson, Robin	05/19/2011	Yes	No		Policy Coordinator for the Tennessee Immigrant and Refugee Rights Coalition (TIRC).
Sullivan, Michael	Pilcher, Annette	08/27/2011	No	No		Volunteer Sergeant with OEM
Sultan, Allie	Blackman, Andrea	03/25/2011	No	No		Artist whose work was featured in the Spirit of the River Exhibit. Created video documentary "Capture"
Tanner, Darla	Brennan, Jared	04/13/2011	No	No		Owner of Williams Wholesale Supply of Nashville which was damaged by the flood.
Taylor, Robert	Brennan, Jared	03/22/2011	No	No		Affected by the flood.
Taylor, Tom	Pilcher, Annette	08/05/2011	No	No		Organized outreach efforts for St. George's Episcopal Church, which flooded.
Thomas, Melissa	Gibbons, Susannah	03/28/2012	Yes	No		Executive Director of Southeast Nashville Recovery in Antioch.
Traub, Jim	Mansour, Carol	03/14/2011	No	No		Affected by the flood.

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Turner, Laura	Gibbons, Susannah	10/27/2011	No	No		Stranded and rescued during the flood.
Turner-Yovanovitch, Zoe	Surber, Richard	04/26/2011	No	No		Berry Hill area near Woodmont Blvd. resident affected by the flood.
Vaughn, Yolanda	Blackman, Andrea	04/28/2011	No	No		Interim Executive Director of the Neighborhoods Resource Center.
Voorhees, Jay	Ramsey, Cece	03/24/2011	No	No		Antioch resident affected by the flood.
Walker, Mike	Ramsey, Cece	04/13/2011	No	No		City Manager of Brentwood, TN.
Warren, Carol	Warkentin, Bettina	11/03/2011	No	No		Williamson County resident affected by the flood.
White, Annette	Pilcher, Annette	07/26/2011	No	No		Resident of Bellevue affected by the flood.
Whitehead, Cliff	Brennan, Jared	08/27/2011	No	No		Affected by the flood.
Wiggs, Mikell	Brennan, Jared	08/26/2011	No	No		Sergeant with the Metro Police Department.
Williams, Joanna	Pilcher, Annette	05/18/2011	No	No		Affected by the flood.
Woodmore, Virginia	Herbst, Luke	08/26/2011	No	No		River Plantation resident affected by the flood.
<i>Zimmerman, Patti</i>					<i>See Felts, Kathy</i>	
Zuch, Tiffani	Robinson, Robin	04/16/2011	No	No		Affected by the flood.