**Reconstruction Underway In Both Communities**

**Proctor Recalls Being Tossed Through The Air In His Truck During Storm**

**CARSON CITY—** Proctor James, 24, of Green River, Utah, recalled how his truck was tossed through the air during the violent storm that hit this area Saturday. Proctor was in his truck when it was lifted and thrown through the air before it landed in a field. The storm caused widespread damage in this area, with many homes and businesses affected. The National Weather Service has issued a warning for severe thunderstorms and tornadoes in the region. Residents are advised to stay indoors and avoid outdoor activities until the danger has passed. For up-to-date information, please visit the National Weather Service website or contact local authorities.

**Oilwell and 18 others...**

**COUNCIL BLUFFS—** The Council Bluffs City Council approved a resolution Monday evening to update the city's flood prevention plan. The council authorized $180,000 for the project, which will be used to improve infrastructure in flood-prone areas. The project is expected to be completed by the end of the year. For more information, please contact the Council Bluffs City Manager's Office at 319-276-7600.

**FORT WAYNE, Ind.—** The Fort Wayne Board of Education has approved a new policy that requires all students to wear masks in schools. The policy, which becomes effective immediately, was developed in response to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic. The board believes that this measure will help to keep students and staff safe and ensure the continuation of in-person education. For more information, please contact the Fort Wayne Board of Education at 260-498-3000.

**DES MOINES—** The Iowa State Bar Association has received numerous complaints regarding price gouging by insurance companies after the recent storm. The association has issued a warning to consumers to be cautious when dealing with insurance providers and to seek assistance from the Iowa Attorney General's Office if they believe they have been overcharged. For more information, please contact the Iowa State Bar Association at 515-242-2666.

**President Truman, speaking...**

**KANSAS CITY, Mo.—** President Harry S. Truman, speaking at a press conference today, announced that the federal government will provide $100 million in relief funds to states affected by the recent storm. The funds will be used to help with the recovery efforts and support the needs of those impacted by the disaster. For more information, please contact the White House at 202-456-1111.

**SIOUX CITY—** The Sioux City school district has decided to extend the summer break by one week due to the recent storm. The district is still assessing the damage caused by the storm and has not yet determined when classes will resume. For more information, please contact the Sioux City School District at 712-251-6200.

**STATE OF IOWA—** The Iowa Department of Transportation has announced that all state highways will be closed to traffic due to the severe weather conditions. The department is working with local authorities to clear the roads and ensure the safety of motorists. For more information, please contact the Iowa Department of Transportation at 515-281-4100.