

Perry County Welcome Rescue Plan Funding

Congresswoman Terri Sewell stopped in Perry County to deliver good news. The good news was that more than 11 million dollars will be delivered in Perry County through the Rescue Plan. Each governmental entity will receive direct funding through President Biden's Rescue Plan. The 11 million dollars are broken down as follows:

*Perry County Board of Ed \$ 8.595 million:

*Perry County Commission \$1.73 million:

*City of Marion \$580,000.00

*City of Uniontown \$410,000.00

The Perry County Rescue Plan Committee was also on hand to welcome the Congresswoman. Members of the committee along with members of the Commission had a discussion on project objectives. The Chairman of the Commission, Albert Turner, Jr. felt positive about the direction the County is heading as they make plans to benefit Perry County. Chairman Turner said, " today is the first day for a new inclusive Perry County. Those who want change and progress we welcome. However, those who want to divide and put their heads in the sand will be left behind. "

Chairman Turner appointed the committee to advise and make recommendations to the Commission on its spending of COVID funding. The committee has convened and agreed upon several items to be considered. However, today the committee's choice was to seek additional input and seek further guidelines on how the funds can be lawfully spent. The next meeting of the Perry County Commission will be April 13. The Perry County Rescue Committee will meet on April 28 both at the Albert Turner, Sr. Courthouse.

Pictured below are members in attendance of the Perry County Commission and the Perry County Rescue Plan Committee.

