

MEMORANDUM

November 25, 2002

TO: Bentley / Isaac

FROM: John

RE: Columbus trip, Wednesday, November 27

CC: Armerita

I had a call this morning from Amy Carruth with MEMA. During a conversation she had with Leroy Brooks, District 5 Supervisor in Lowndes County, Brooks brought up the governor's visit to Columbus on Wednesday. Brooks felt it would send a bad message for the governor to only visit the Zion Gate Baptist Church, and he should take time while in Columbus to pay another visit.

Zion Gate is one of several churches that make up the Interdenominational Alliance of Ministers. Brooks wants the governor to stop by the Alliance office, which I understand is just across the street from the police headquarters in Columbus.

You may want to talk with Amy about this (her number is 960-9039), but Armerita said it should be worked into the governor's schedule.