

# Cleanup under way at Westbrook Cemetery, work day set for Dec. 3

A cleanup day for the historical Westbrook Cemetery has been scheduled for Saturday Dec. 3 beginning at 8 a.m. Progress has already been made thanks to Tipton "Tip" Rowland, who lent his company's debris clearing skills to the project.

Rowland and Gary "Bubba" Snowden met each other while eating barbecue in Elgin. TFR Enterprises is the contractor currently cleaning up the disaster debris from the Bastrop Complex Wildfire.

When Bubba Snowden mentioned that he was part of a group that is helping clean up Westbrook Cemetery, Tip volunteered his company's assistance for the effort. TFR will cut up and remove dead trees, trim trees and haul off all trash at no cost to Westbrook Cemetery.

Westbrook Cemetery was dedicated as a historical marker on Saturday, Sept. 10 by the City of Elgin.

Volunteers are urged to call Bishop Mayes at 461-4750 or Bubba Snowden at 517-2338.



Charles Wood photo

**HELPING CLEAR BRUSH** at Elgin Cemetery on Friday, Nov. 25 were Elginites Craven Christopher, left, and Rodrigo Cruz, working for TFR. Not pictured are John McLain and Juan Araujo.



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**GETTING A HEAD START.** Pictured are (l-r) Bubba Snowden, Tip Rowland, Mary Jane Westbrook, Bettye Lofton and Bishop Mayes, who turned out Friday at the historic Westbrook Cemetery. A cleanup day is set for Dec. 3.