

Charles Smith, Aurora, IL

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All,

For those of you who haven't seen it, Leslie forwarded me the link below, to an article about Dr. Smith's property.

I just talked to Dr. Smith, and he said he's dealing with the situation as follows:

He's quit claiming the property to Andy Williams; Andy and "about 100 brothers" are very interested in keeping the AAHM&BVA going. They currently have a bobcat on the property and are clearing the weeds and debris, to get the site in a condition so Kane County won't have to bulldoze it.

Dr. Smith plans to come up and remove the art work in the house, and some things in the yard, to a storage facility on highway 31. He said that Andy Williams could move things if necessary. He said that "it's not a done deal" but a process he has in mind. He talked about Kane County as the enemy (putting him "in an ambush situation" to which he will respond to as a "civil rights or civil war" situation, etc.), which I think is unfortunate, as the County has bent over backwards to help him for many years.

Anyway, that's the update.

Lisa

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