



**MINUTES-EMERGENCY
CITY COUNCIL MEETING**

Thursday, October 16, 2014 – 8:00 pm
Police and Courts Building, 100 West Main Street
Royse City, Texas

ROYSE CITY ISD HAS RECENTLY CANCELLED CLASSES DUE TO EBOLA CONTAMINATION CONCERNS. THE CITY IS RECEIVING CONTINUOUS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE STATUS OF EBOLA WITHIN THE CITY. THE CITY HAS NOT RECEIVED CONSISTENT PROTOCOLS ON HOW TO ADDRESS CONTAMINATION ISSUES, HUMAN EXPOSURE ISSUES OR ANIMAL EXPOSURE ISSUES. THE CITY NEEDS A CENTRAL PUBLIC HEALTH AUTHORITY FOR THE CITY TO PROVIDE GUIDANCE DURING THIS REPORTED OUTBREAK

A. CALLED TO ORDER AT 8 PM BY MAYOR BALEY

Members Present: Mayor, Jerrell Baley
Council Member Place 1, Janet Nichol, Mayor Pro Tem
Council Member Place 2, Clay Ellis
Council Member Place 3, Bill Bell
Council Member Place 4, Matt Wheatley
Council Member Place 5, James Branch
Council Member, Place 6, Tom Crowley
Members Absent: Council Member Place 4, Matt Wheatley
Staff Present: City Manager, Carl Alsabrook
City Secretary, Brenda Craft
City Attorney, Jason Day

B. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Invocation by Mayor Baley.

C. BUSINESS

1. Consider and act concerning a Resolution appointing the City of Royse City Health Authority pursuant to the Texas Health and Safety Code 121.028, and any matters related thereto.

Mr. Alsabrook: Meet with RCISD staff today with Chief Stapleton and Chief Bell. Need the Health Authority to determine protocol for any type of health and safety issues for our citizens. Control measures such as, quarantine, education, exposures, preventative, etc. **Ms. Craft:** In February of 1992 Dr. Ronald Jones was appointed as the Health Officer, since 1992 the state law has changed the title to Health Authority.

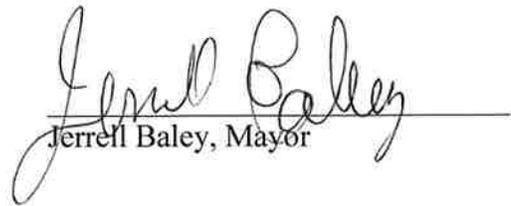
Motion was made by Council Member Bell, second by Council Member Ellis to approve a Resolution appointing Dr. Ronald Jones as the City of Royse City Health Authority pursuant to the Texas Health and Safety Code 121.028, including in the resolution "Ronald Jones, MD will be the City of Royse City Health Authority until another selection is made by the City Council". **Motion carried: 6 Ayes, 0 Nays, and 0 Abstentions.**

D. ADJOURNED AT 8:14 PM

Motion was made by Mayor Pro Tem Nichol, second by Council Member Ellis to adjourn the meeting at 8:14 pm. **Motion carried: 6 Ayes, 0 Nays, and 0 Abstentions.**

ATTEST:


Brenda Craft, City Secretary


Jerrell Baley, Mayor