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HEALTH & WELFARE COMMITTEE MEETING  
January 13, 2014

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Members Present: Jo Ann Blankenship, Richard Winters, Willie Campbell, Robert I. Gobble, Ronnie Trivett, Ken Arney, L.C. Tester, Scott Sams and Patsy Lewis, Recording Secretary.

Others in attendance included: Commissioners John Lewis and Nancy Brown, Sheriff Chris Mathes, Capt. Tom Smith, Chief Deputy Ron Street, Terry Arnold and Anthony Roberts with the Carter County Rescue Squad, news media and concerned citizens.

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Meeting was called to order by Chairwoman, Jo Ann Blankenship at 6:20 PM. Quorum present.

Motion was made by L.C. Tester, seconded by Richard Winters to accept the minutes of the last meeting, November 4, 2013, as printed. By majority voice vote, all ayes, motion carried.

There was no Health Department update. It was noted however, that flu vaccinations are available for County Employees and their families at no fee.

AED's have been purchased. The boxes have been placed in the Courthouse and the Annex. Terry Arnold, with the Carter County Rescue Squad, introduced Anthony Roberts, also with the CRS presented a brief report concerning the AED.

Mr. Roberts stated that even a small child could operate the AED as it gives instructions. However, CPR training and instructions pertaining to the operation of the AED will be scheduled soon.

*MOTION was made by Scott Sams, seconded by L.C. Tester to proceed with installation of the AED in the designated boxes and make theses available for use should the need arise. By majority voice vote, all ayes, motion carried.*

Motion to adjourn was made by Ken Arney, seconded by L.C. Tester. By majority voice vote, all ayes, motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 6:30 PM.

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Patsy H. Lewis, Recording Secretary

Jo Ann Blankenship, Chairwoman

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