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## **Letter from the Chair**

### **Changes**

It's almost springtime! Newness of life as the season changes. Life is full of changes. Shelley Martinez served as our Red Oak Area Chamber of Commerce President for 10 years as we saw our city and Chamber grow. After Shelley resigned at the end of last year, we've spent the last couple of months diligently seeking her successor and as most of you already know we have a new Chamber President, Clint Woodward.

Clint is an outstanding leader with a great personality and has such great aspirations for our Chamber. He has personal ties with our community and I hope over the next few weeks you'll have a chance to meet him and get to know him. He is looking forward to serving you and helping you promote your business and will be sharing some of his ideas at the March Chamber luncheon.

As we step into a new season of growth and change throughout the Red Oak community, we on the Chamber board are also excited to serve you and do everything we can to help you and your business thrive. If we all work together we can continue to help each other be successful. A win-win!

I, along with our Chamber board, would like to thank our Chamber administrative assistant, Katherine Radcliffe, for all of her extra hard work especially over the last couple of months as we've sought our new Chamber President. She's done a great job of keeping us moving forward in the midst of change. I also want to thank you for being a Chamber member and for supporting our Chamber and our community year-round. Look forward to seeing you at the next Chamber luncheon!



*Pastor David Johnston, Highland Meadows Church  
2019 ROACC Board Chair*

**LUNCHEON -- January 23, 2019**

**Speaker  
Jeremy Trojacek**

### "Customer Service - Employee Retention"

Jeremy is the Owner/Operator of Chick-fil-A in Red Oak. Prior to joining Chick-fil-A he was a high school coach in Carroll and Round Rock ISD for 16 years. He was a part of several state championship teams in football and baseball during his coaching tenure. Jeremy has a passion for developing people and serving others.



He serves on the Board of Directors for Red Oak Chamber of Commerce and Fellowship of Christian Athletes. He received his Bachelor's degree from the University of North Texas and Master's degree from Dallas Baptist University.

Jeremy is married to Amelia and has three boys Hunter, Parker, and Cooper. He is excited about Chick-fil-A being in Red Oak and looks forward to being a major part of the community.

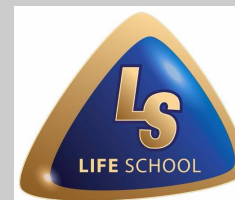
His presentation was strong and to the point. Search diligently for the right employees and then remind, encourage and reward them for a job well done. Treat customers like they are special and their time matters.

### Luncheon Sponsor



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### DOOR PRIZE WINNERS

Patty Jordan - RE/MAX Best Realty

Holly Jones - InterBank

Beth Trimble - Red Oak ISD

Ashley Ford - Waxahachie Media Group

Eva Richardson - Red Oak Lions Club

Heather Berreth - Home Instead Senior Care  
Luxe Touch

Stan Lewis - Nward Journey

### NEXT LUNCHEON

March 27, 2019

Speaker - New Chamber  
President  
Clinton Woodward



*Spring into the....*

*North Ellis County*

## Community Market Place

**April 13, 2019 \* 9:00 - 2:00**

ROISD Live Oak Professional Center "Old Junior High"  
200 Live Oak St, Red Oak, TX 75154

*Unique Items to see and buy!*

*Wonderful Door Prizes!*

*Information for Home, Health Care, Vacations, Investments,  
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First United Methodist Church

## What's NEWS

### PUBLIC MEETING

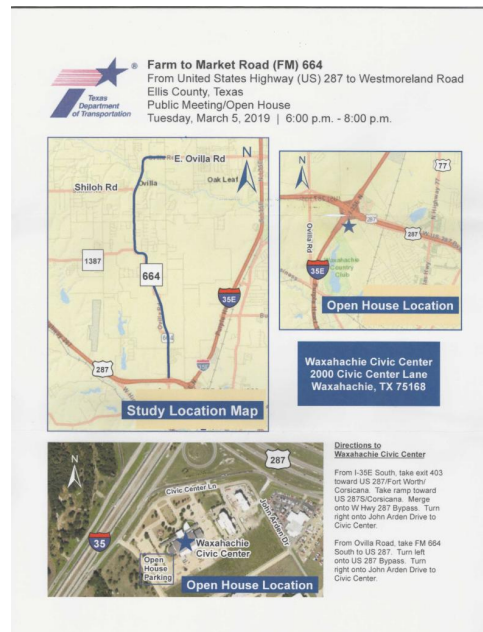
Thank you for your interest in the Farm-to-Market Road [FM] 664 improvements project from State Highway [SH] 287 to Westmoreland Road in Ellis County, Texas. The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) invites you to join us at the upcoming public meeting.

Tuesday, March 5, 2019  
Waxahachie Civic Center  
2000 Civic Center Lane  
Waxahachie, Texas 75168  
Open House Format from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.  
(No formal presentation)

Representatives from TxDOT and project consultants will be available to answer questions about the proposed project improvements. This meeting will be held in an open house format from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. with no formal presentation. The purpose of the meeting is to present the proposed project improvements and to receive public comments. Maps showing the project location and design will be available for viewing at the public meeting, and are on file and available for review at the following locations:

TxDOT Dallas District Office located at 4777 East Highway 80, Mesquite, Texas 75150 (8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday).  
TxDOT Ellis County Area Office located at 124 FM 876, Waxahachie, Texas 75167 (8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday).  
At [www.keepingitmovingdallas.com](http://www.keepingitmovingdallas.com) under Upcoming Public Hearing/MeetingPlease see the attached public meeting notice and location map for more information. Thank you,  
Nelson L. Underwood, P.E., MSPM  
Project Manager  
Advance Project Development (APD)  
Dallas District

Texas Department of Transportation  
4777 E. Highway 80  
Mesquite, TX 75150-6643  
Office: (214) 320-6628



## NEW MEMBERS

Fuzzy's Taco Shop - Red Oak

(469) 831-8324

Cooper Family Floors

(214) 433-7424

City Real Estate - Therese Winslow

(214) 336-6690

Edward Jones - Chase Colwell

972-935-9400



## 2019 Red Oak Chamber Board of Directors

Chair	David Johnston - Highland Meadows Church
Chair Elect	Barry Moore - Edward Jones
1st Vice Chair	Logan Ragsdale - Red Oak Library
Secretary	Marlana Mossman - Community Nat'l Bank & Trust
Treasurer	Holly Jones - InterBank
Immediate Past Chair	Scott Fuller - Life School

Cherise Burnett - Now Magazines  
Erin Spradin - CSE Mobility & Scrubs  
Jeremy Trojacek - Chick-fil-A  
Henry Batson - Faith Fellowship  
Arthur Pierot - Trinity Oaks Mortgage  
Patty Jordan - RE/MAX Best Realty  
Obinna Ononobi - Altus Emergency Center  
Tammy Ayala - Prosperity Bank  
Beth Trimble - Red Oak ISD



### Mission Statement

Support good business practices  
and to promote new business  
opportunities  
in order to build our Community of  
Tomorrow!

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