

MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 14, 2015

TO: Dr. H. John Fuller, MISD Superintendent
And MISD School Board

FROM: Mercy L. Rushing, Assistant City Administrator, City of Mineola
& Executive Director, Mineola Economic Dev. Corporation

SUBJECT: Request to Consider Enacting a TX. Legislation Bill to Create the Mineola Area Medical District

Attached is the Bill to create the Mineola Area Medical District as drafted by Representative Bryan Hughes Austin office.

The Mineola Economic Development Corporation known as MEDC is leading the initiative under the City of Mineola for the passage of special legislation in the 84th Texas Legislature to enable the community to create the Mineola Area Medical District.

The Mineola Area Medical District is proposing to be created within the City of Mineola, Texas and Mineola Independent School District for the benefit of the public. This initiative includes development, commerce, economic development, quality of life, safety, infrastructure improvements and general welfare in the area of the "District".

The Mineola Economic Development Corporation strives to encourage job creation and investments in the community while providing an increased level of quality life for its current and future citizens. With the creation of the Mineola Area Medical District, MEDC continues to build on to its economic development toolkit to position Mineola for a controlled and successful growth within the medical industry. This proposal is a part of MEDC's strategic planning for the Mineola Area's future progress.

It is our hope that MISD School Board will share in our vision and planning for the future outlook of Mineola by supporting this first step toward positioning our community for success.