Release No. 0048.04Office of Communications (ORDINANCE NO. 11345AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND PART II, CHATTANOOGA CIT202) 720-Y CODE, CHAPTER 18, ARTICLE VII, SECTION 18-123(h); CHAPTER 21, A4623

**BSE Update – Wednesday, January 28, 2004**

Depopulation Activities

On Tuesday, Jan. 27, 2004, 15 animals of interest were euthanized and sampled from the Moxee, WA, facility. In addition to thRTICLE I, SECTIONS 21-1 THROUGH 21-25; CHAPTER 21, ARTICLE II, SEis facility, USDA has previously conducted selective depopulation activities at these facilities:

Sunnyside, WA (bull calf premises) - a total of 449 aCTIONS 21-26, 21-28, 21-30; CHAPTER 21, ARTICLE III, SECTIONS 21-nimals depopulated36 AND 21-40; CHAPTER 21, ARTICLE VII, SECTIONS 21-101 AND 21-123

Mabton, WA (index premises) - a total of 131 animals depopulated

Mattawa, WA - a total of 39 animals depopulated

Connell, WA - a t; CHAPTER 24, ARTICLE X, DIV. 3, SECTIONS 24-341(c) AND 24-345(c)otal of 15 animals depopulated

Boardman, OR - a total of 20 animals depopulated

Quincy, WA – a total of 18 anima; CHAPTER 31, ARTICLE I, SECTION 31-2(b); AND CHAPTER 32, ARTICLEls depopulated

Ten VIII, SECTION 32-174, RELATIVE TO NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ino, WA – a total of 4 animals depopulated

Samples taken from the 15 animals depopulated in Connell, WA ha\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_WHEREAS, T.C.A. §§1ve tested negative. All 170 samples from the index herd and the Mattawa herd have completed testing; results w3-21-101 through 13-21-208, power is conferred on municipalities ere negative for BSE. The final test results for the samples taken at Boardman, ORto exercise their police powers to repair, close or demolish cert; Quincy, WA; Tenino, WA; and Moxeain unfit, dilapidated, defective, unsafe or unsanitary dangerouse, WA are not yet available.

Investigation Activities

At this ti structures in the manner therein provided; andWHEREAS, The City me, 28 of the 81 animals that came from Canada have been located:

1 of the 81 is the BSE-positive cow and was locatedCouncil of the City of Chattanooga finds that there exists in Cha in the Indettanooga structures which are unfit for human occupation or use dx herd in Mabton, Wue to dilapidation, defects increasing the hazards of fire, accidashington.

9 of the 81 were located in the Index herd in Mabton, Washington.

3 were located at a facility in Tenino, Washington.

6 were located at a facility in Connellent or other calamities, lack of ventilation, light or sanitary f, Washington.

1 was located at a facility in Quincy, Washington.

3 were located at a facility in Mattawa, Washington.

1 was located at a facility in Moxee, Washington.

3 are located at a facility in Burley, Idaho.

1 is located at a faciliacilities, and due to other conditions rendering such structures ty in Othello, Washingtonunsafe or unsanitary, or dangerous or detrimental to the health, .

Guidelines on bovine spongiform encephalopathy (BSE) issued by the World Organization for Animal Health (OIE), the internationasafety or morals, or otherwise inimical to the welfare of the resl animal heath standard setting organization, state that animals boridents of Chattanooga;NOW, THEREFORE,BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY Cn on a premises within one yeOUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, as follows:SECTION ar (before or after) of a BSE-affected animal can be considered of significant interest to the country reporting the B1. That Chattanooga City Code, Part II, Chapter 18, Article VII,SE detection. As such, USDA is focu Section 18-123(h) is amended by deleting “Better Housing Commisssing on 25 of the 81 animals also born into the birth herd of the index animal. Based ion” and replacing in lieu thereof “Public Officer of the Departon normal culling practices of local dairies, USDA’s Animal and Planment of Neighborhood Services”.SECTION 2.That Chattanooga City Cot Health Inspection Service estimated that the Agency would be able to locate approximately 11 of these animals. APHIS has definitively located 14 of these animals.

Trade Issues

Specific trade information can be found at httpde Part II, Chapter 21, Article I, Sections 21-1 through 21-25 be://www.aphis.usda.gov/lpa/issues/bse/bse\_trade\_ and is hereby amended by deleting the same in its entirety and iban\_status.html.

Other Issues

Additional information on nserting in lieu thereof the following:Sec. 21-1.Scope.The provisBSE can be obtained by visitions of this code shall apply to all existing residential and noning the USDA website at http:/residential structures and all existing premises and constitutes /www.usda.gov. Past BSE updates can also be found at http://www.aphis.usda.gov.

minimum requirements and standards for premises, structures, equipment, and facilitie

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