Memo

To: Mayor and City Council

Fr: Shellby Hendee, CEcD

Dt: January 11, 2011

Re: Development Director's Report

1. Legislative Update

Pre-filed bills include texting while driving, Right to Work, consumption tax, workers compensation reform, puppy mills, electric production costs, welfare drug tests & photo identification.

2. Food Pantry

John Poteet asked me to share with you the attached 2010 report which shows food distributed to over 5,700 persons and over 6,700 volunteer hours.

3. Placemats

At the urging of the City Manager, a team composed of Amy McVicker, Cecilia Rittenhouse, Michelle Fagerstone and yours truly have developed a concept placemat design to be distributed free (for now) to area restaurants, motels and other venues. It features a map of local attractions, Cameron history, Cameron accomplishments and a coloring contest for kids. It is intended to promote Cameron, attract visitors, and showcase our community's many achievements. Note that the attached concept is only designed to show venues the general idea and is not complete. Reaction has been positive.