## OFFICIAL NEWS RELEASE CONCERNING THE CHINCOTEAGUE PONY ASSOCIATION

AFTER MUCH EVALUATION OVER THE LAST SEVERAL MONTHS, THE CHINCOTEAGUE VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY, INC HAS VOTED TO FORMALLY TERMINATE THE CHINCOTEAGUE PONY ASSOCIATION EFFEFCTIVE IMMEDIATELY. WE HAVE COME TO THE REALIZATION THAT THE ASSOCIATION NO LONGER SERVES ITS PURPOSE AND ITS MISSION NO LONGER IS CONDUCIVE TO THE EFFORTS OF THE FIRE COMPANY.

ANY AND ALL PAST AND CURRENT REGISTRATION NEEDS WILL BE BROUGHT UP TO DATE AND COMPLETED BY JUNE 2013.

IN THE FUTURE, ALL AUCTION WINNERS WILL RECEIVE A CERTIFICATE SAYING THAT THEY HAVE PURCHASED A CHINCOTEAGUE PONY FROM THE CHINCOTEAGUE VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY. NO MORE, NO LESS.

WE APPRECIATE YOUR PAST SUPPORT AND HOPE THAT YOU WILL CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THE CHINCOTEAGUE VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY IN ITS ENDEAVORS.

PERIODICALLY THE FIRE COMPANY WILL POST ON ITS WEBSITE UPDATES CONCERNING THE PONIES.

SINCERELY,
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