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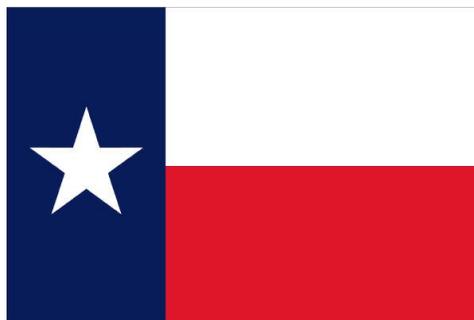
## **February 2014 Newsletter**

Hello Friends,

February was a short but busy month! I had the opportunity to attend a number of events across every county in the district. During the past month I was reminded of how much we have to be proud of in this area of Texas. I was able to attend a program honoring Dr. Granville Coggs, one of the few surviving Tuskegee Airman who served so admirably in World War II. To serve our more recent heroes, the opening of a new facility, the Star Group– Veterans Helping Veterans, took place this month in Copperas Cove.

Sincerely,

*J D Sheffield*



## Sheffield Honors Those Who Served



Dr. J.D. Sheffield is pictured with Dr. Granville Coggs, one of the original Tuskegee Airmen . This highly-decorated group of pilots and support staff served our nation in World War II.

The Copperas Cove Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon cutting for Star Group-Veterans Helping Veterans, which opened a new facility in February. This group assists veterans and their families.



For more about this organization visit their website:  
<http://www.stargroup-veteranshelpingveterans.org>

## Transportation Department Opens New Road

A large crowd was present for the official opening of State Highway 9 in Copperas Cove. The road connects State Highway 190 to Farm to Market Road 116 on the north side of Copperas Cove. Officials with the Texas Department of Transportation state that the road should alleviate heavy traffic in the city.



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## Top Business Group Honors Sheffield

Dr. J.D. Sheffield with Bill Hammond, President and CEO of the Texas Association of Business. Sheffield was honored with the 2013 Fighter for Free Enterprise Award presented by the Texas Association of Business. The award is given to legislators who support the business community of Texas.



Sheffield addressed a crowd of business and community leaders from across the area at the Texas Association of Business reception in Waco.

Representative Sheffield pictured with David Jones of Belltec in Belton, Texas.

