



## **Fayette County Sheriff's Office**

**Barry H. Babb, Sheriff**

**October 13, 2014**

### **Press Information**

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On October 13, 2014 at approximately 10:07 AM, Mr. Rodney Joyner age 55 from Fayetteville was found unresponsive while being housed in the infirmary at the Fayette County Jail. Infirmary staff performed CPR and Fayette EMS was contacted. He was transported to Piedmont Fayette Hospital where he was pronounced deceased at 11:04 AM. Mr. Joyner had been found guilty and was sentenced 10 years, to serve 2 years on September 30, 2014 in Superior Court for the Sale of Methamphetamine and the sale of Marijuana. He turned himself in on October 11, 2014. Mr. Joyner was awaiting transfer to a State correctional facility. The Georgia Bureau of Investigation will be conducting an in custody death investigation as is the normal procedure for the Sheriff's Office. Autopsy results are pending.

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