



The Town of Coopertown  
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## MINUTES

### COOPERTOWN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MEETING August 23, 2012

*The mission of the Community Development Committee is to visualize, develop, propose and facilitate community activities in concert with all appointed committees that garner public 'good will' and active participation for Coopertown residents and visitors and its neighboring communities.*

#### **I. Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order by Acting Chairman, Leroy Canfield at 6:15 PM.

#### **II. Roll Call**

Attending Members: Leroy Canfield, Acting Chairman  
Valorie Buck  
Linda Lee, Alderman

Also Present: Sam Childs, Mayor  
Ann Crutcher  
Jimi Chappell (new member)  
Beverly Harden (new member)  
Lee Buck  
Gail Holman (speaker for Historical Committee)

Absent: Betty Winters, Secretary  
Maria Harrington

#### **II. Approve Meeting Minutes from July 10, 2012**

Acting Chairman, Leroy Canfield made the motion to accept the minutes as read.  
Valorie Buck seconded the motion.

No Discussion.

All in favor signified by saying 'Aye.'  
The motion carried unanimously.

### **III. Old Business**

1. Neighborhood Watch  
Event postponed until after the election.
  
2. Fall Festival  
Event postponed until the summer of 2013.  
Valorie Buck updated the committee regarding the community festival plans/ideas.

Interim Chairman Leroy Cantrell asked for a motion to carry Old Business as is.  
Mayor Childs made the motion.  
Linda Lee seconded the motion.

All in favor signified by saying 'Aye.'  
The motion carried unanimously.

### **IV. New Business**

1. Creating an event to bring the town together forming a sense of community.

Acting Chairman, Canfield turned the meeting over to Valorie Buck to do an update about the Community Festival. Discussion continued about the upcoming festival. Mayor Childs suggested June 1 as the tentative date.

Linda Lee made a motion to accept June 1<sup>st</sup> as the date of the upcoming community Festival.

Jimi Chappell seconded the motion.  
All in favor signify by saying "Aye."  
The motion passed unanimously.

2. Election of officers

Linda Lee made the motion to select Valorie Buck as the new Chairman of the Community Development Committee.

Mayor Childs seconded the motion.

Leroy Canfield nominated himself.

Nominations for Chairman are closed.

All in favor of Valorie Buck signify by raising your hand.

The motion passed unanimously for Valorie Buck.

Mayor Childs made the motion to nominate Leroy Canfield as Vice Chairman.

Linda Lee seconded the motion.

All in favor of Leroy Canfield being retained as Vice Chairman signify by saying "Aye."

The motion passed unanimously for Leroy Canfield.

Linda Lee made the motion to nominate Betty Winters as Secretary.  
Mayor Childs seconded the motion.  
All in favor of retaining Betty Winters as committee Secretary signify by saying  
"Aye."  
The motion passed unanimously for Betty Winters.

The new officers for the Community Development are:  
Chairman – Valorie Buck  
Vice Chairman – Leroy Canfield  
Secretary – Betty Winters

Interim Chairman, Canfield requested a motion to conclude New Business and  
Adjourn the meeting.

**V. Adjournment**

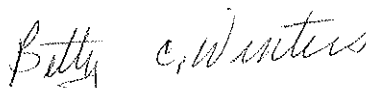
Acting Chairman, Canfield requested a motion to adjourn the meeting.

Linda Lee motioned to adjourn the meeting.  
Mayor Childs seconded the motion.  
All in favor signify by saying "Aye".  
The motion passed unanimously.

Adjournment was at 6:50 PM

The next meeting will be September 11, 2012 at 6:00 p.m.

These minutes are respectfully submitted by:



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Betty Winters, Secretary