



The Town of Coopertown
2525 Burgess Gower Road
Springfield, TN 37172
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SPECIAL MEETING
Board of Mayor & Aldermen
July 15, 2015
6:30 PM

MEETING MINUTES

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Mayor Sam Childs.

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Roll Call

City Recorder, Kathy Smith called roll.

Present:

Alderman Guyor
Alderman Owens
Mayor Childs
Vice Mayor Ruth, arrived at 6:45

IV. New Business

1. Review Top Six Police Chief Resumes and Select Top Three or Fewer

Alderman Guyor presented the findings of the Selection Committee to the Board.

The Board discussed the qualifications of each of the top three candidates as presented.

Mayor Childs asked for a vote from each Alderman as to who they would choose in 1st (first), 2nd (second), and 3rd (third) place.

The Vote Was:

Alderman Owens: 1) Clay Anderson 2) Leonard Keeler 3) Laurence Dennis

Vice Mayor Ruth: 1) Clay Anderson 2) Laurence Dennis 3) Leonard Keeler

Alderman Guyor: 1) Clay Anderson 2) Leonard Keeler 3) Laurence Dennis

Mayor Childs asked for a motion to allow him to contact the number one candidate, interview the individual and if the candidate answers the interview favorably and still wants the job, to offer the job to that candidate. If the candidate does not interview favorably or no longer wants the job then the second candidate would be interviewed and the process repeated until the job opening was filled.

Alderman Owens motioned to allow Mayor Childs to interview the candidates in prioritized order until the job is filled.

Vice Mayor Ruth seconded the motion.

The roll call was:

Alderman Owens	“Yes”
Vice Mayor Ruth	“Yes”
Alderman Guyor	“Yes”

The motion passed unanimously.


V. Adjournment

Mayor Childs adjourned the meeting at 7:25

Minutes submitted by: Kathy Smith, City Recorder

Minutes approved on: 7-28-2015

Signed: 
J. Sam Childs, Mayor

Attest by: 
Kathy Smith, City Recorder