



Knoxville Meeting Minutes - 07/11/2015

Cedar Bluff Library Branch

1:30PM-3PM

Called by: Peter Campbell, LEGO Ambassador

Attendees

Peter Campbell, Clay England, Judy Hill, Michelle Frostell, Richard Frostell, Chris Howard, Katie Mitchell, Marty Mitchell

Minutes

- Pete hosted this meeting to gauge interest in starting a chapter in Knoxville, with the current club President's (Chris Bolton's) approval and support.
- In addition to the people in attendance, at least one other person locally has expressed interest: Donny Hatfield, who is currently a contributor to the club's Facebook group.
- The options of forming a chapter of TNVLC vs launching an entirely new LUG was discussed and the unanimous decision of those in attendance was to form a chapter of TNVLC, based in Knoxville and bound to the club's bylaws.
- As acceptance of the bylaws is all that is required to gain membership, all in attendance were accepted as new members of TNVLC and have been added to the distribution lists and membership roster.
- The club's next event, Boomsday, was discussed briefly. More concrete participation plans for the Knoxville members will be firmed up at the next meeting, to be held in August. Several members from Huntsville and Nashville have already expressed interest in participating.
- The possibility of participating in NormalPalooza was also discussed. It would make sense for the bulk of responsibility for this event to fall to the Knoxville group due to the proximity and time zone. We are not scheduled for this event yet, so this will need to be discussed further with the club at large.
- The meeting concluded with a brief show and tell centered around a few MOCs Pete brought as a backdrop to the meeting, including Huntsville's Southside Square, Municipal building and his NS Diesel engine and coal cars.