

Ashe County Farmer's Market Meeting

Minutes – January 13, 2009

Following signed in to the meeting:

Linda Bennett, John Roberts, Jr, Mary Roberts, John Roberts, Bernard Calhoun, Maude Calhoun, Tony Maglione, Joanna Maglione, Patty Shay, Ronnie Norris, Scott Walworth, Ken Pooler, Katherine Pooler, Stacy Martin, David Bauguess, Ann Rose, David Pickett, Lee Burgess, Ron Cox, Sharon Cox, Joe Essick, Opal Essick, Amanda Wineberg, Jeanne Berry, Wayne Berry, Okay Thomas, Maxine Thomas, Joe Stanley, Mary Stanley. (More people seemed to be in attendance but failed to sign in; Luther Krider and Wilma Krider?)

Joe Stanley opened the meeting and mentioned several people that had illness or problems and asked us to remember them in prayer. Then opened the meeting with a prayer and asked for healing for these individuals.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved as read.

Report from Ron Joyner about the web site; about how he was progressing and what was left to do at this time.

Nomination committee: Made a report to the group by presenting a slate of four people to nominate to serve on the board. They were:

Linda Bennett, Scott Walworth, Tony Maglione, and Dave Pickett.

Joe Stanley asked for any nominations from the floor. Hearing none then he asked for a motion to close the nominations.

Motion to close nominations made, seconded and passed.

Motion to accept these individuals on the board made, seconded and passed.

Joe thanked the board members who were leaving.

Joe reminded the committees that they needed to be meeting and getting things ready so we can have everything ready by expo. Joe read out a list of who was on each committee and who the chairperson was at this time.

Jeanne Berry gave an explanation about the grants committee and what they were going to try to do for the market.

Called Patty Shay to the front; at this time the meeting was adjourned and a meal in honor of Patty Shay was announced. It was a covered dish meal and there were quite a few people that came just for the meal. We also presented Patty with a certificate of appreciation for all that she had done while manager of our market. The process to find a new manager has already started and hopefully will be completed before the expo.