

Cordesville Community Citizens Meeting Minutes

March 19, 2026

The meeting was called to order by President, Melanie Lott at 6:05 p.m. with prayer and the pledge to the flag.

Old Business

- The minutes from the previous meeting passed as printed on a motion from Frank McKnight with a second from Anne Turner.
- The treasurer's report passed as presented on a motion from Anne Turner with a second from Frank McKnight.

New Business

- Sgt. Harris spoke on the Berkeley County Sheriff's Office's continued efforts to reduce speed along Hwy 402. He informed us that there have been no major crimes in Cordesville. He is committed to getting the speed sign in our area. Several residents offered their property. He distributed cups provided by Sheriff Lewis and the Berkeley County Sheriff's department.
- Cordesville Cares – Frank McKnight explained the purpose of the program and covered the work that had been done at the sign. Melanie Lott thanked Frank McKnight and Charles Lott for cleaning up the area and planting the roses. We received a request for a wheelchair ramp in the Cherry Hill Area. Expect to have more information on this once Hope Repairs does the visit mid-April.
- Education – Melanie Lott explained that we will have to have more folks committed (completing and returning paperwork for Trident Literacy) to re-establish us as a partner.
- Fundraisers – Tarsha Taylor drew for the vacation and Omar Shaheed III won.
- Grants – We did receive the \$14,500 Afee Grant from Mr. Johnny Cribb, Berkeley County Supervisor.
- Building – Melanie Lott went over the schedule and items that had been purchased. We expect to be in the building by end of April or first part of May. We will need assistance in putting furniture together.

The meeting was adjourned and ended in prayer at 6:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Melanie Lott, President