

# MEETING NOTES

## EAST TENNESSEE CLEAN FUELS COALITION

### 22<sup>nd</sup> Chattanooga Stakeholders Meeting ~ March 2, 2007

Where: CARTA Conference Room on Market Street (just across from the Choo-Choo)

When: Friday, March 02, 2007 -- 11:00am-1:00pm

Lunch: Those who could went to Porker's afterwards for lunch

In attendance – total of 17 people (☺ denotes new attendee)

Ross Benton – Benton Oil Service  
Ken Blankenship – Hamilton County  
Wes Caldwell – Freedom Biofuels  
Pat Conroy – JAT Oil  
Rick Cooper – City of Chattanooga ☺  
Mark Hairr – ATTI  
Linda Hinckley – CARTA  
Jim Holman – McCallie School  
Bert Kaiser – JAT Oil  
Peter King – Interested citizen  
Pete LaRochelle – McCallie School  
Scot Newell – Interested citizen  
John Oehmig – Interested citizen ☺  
Jonathan Overly – ETCFC  
Colleen Price – USDA Rural Development ☺  
Alan Roderick – EPB of Chattanooga  
Shannon Sewell – McCallie School  
Dan Simpson – ATTRP-UTC  
Alan Wade – USDA Rural Development ☺

### MEETING CONTENT

1. Jonathan reviewed the agenda very briefly and kicked right into what was the main topic at hand for the day: state funding for public and city/county biofuel stations and equipment.
2. Jonathan provided some background information for the discussion, including that...
  - The city of Chattanooga has on the order of 150-200 FFVs that are ready to use E85 and just need a supplier
  - While EPB only has 3 FFVs on order, they plan to begin purchasing more FFVs and want to segue from using propane to E85 in their fleet (they started using B20 in August 2006 in their entire fleet)
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3. With Conroy and Kaiser from JAT and Ross Benton from Benton Oil in attendance, the discussion started on how we could get bulk ethanol into the Chattanooga market
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*Meeting notes taken and written by Jonathan Overly.*