



Chairperson  
Kathrine Kohrs

# TOWN OF LEDYARD CONNECTICUT

741 Colonel Ledyard Highway  
Ledyard, Connecticut 06339

## Ledyard Beautification Committee

### ~ AGENDA ~

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Tuesday, August 5, 2025

5:00 PM

Town Hall Annex - Hybrid Format

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#### REMOTE MEETING INFORMATION

**Zoom Meeting Link:**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83270962073?pwd=xBmaNGGAXjUfdlArrz1X5Saum0P48Z.1>

**Meeting ID: 832 7096 2073**

**Passcode: 305267**

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**I. CALL TO ORDER**

**II. ROLL CALL**

**III. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

**IV. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

1. Motion to APPROVE the Regular Meeting minutes from June 3, 2025, as written.

**Attachments:** [LBC minutes 6-3-25](#)

**V. OLD BUSINESS**

1. Future Projects Discussion.
2. Any Other Old Business to Come before the Committee.

**VI. NEW BUSINESS**

1. Rotary Foundation Grants.

**Attachments:** [Rotary Foundation grant - planting 6-23-25](#)  
[Rotary Foundation grant - historical exhibit 6-23-25](#)

2. Any Other New Business to Come before the Committee.

**VII. ADJOURNMENT**

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# TOWN OF LEDYARD

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**File #:** 25-2123

**Agenda Date:** 8/5/2025

**Agenda #:** 1.

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AGENDA REQUEST  
GENERAL DISCUSSION ITEM

**Subject:**

Motion to APPROVE the Regular Meeting minutes from June 3, 2025, as written.

**Background:**

The vote on the minutes was missed during the May meeting.

**Department Comment/Recommendation:**

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# TOWN OF LEDYARD

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## Ledyard Beautification Committee Meeting Minutes

Chairperson  
Kathrine Kohrs

### Regular Meeting

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Tuesday, June 3, 2025

5:00 PM

Town Hall Annex - Hybrid Format

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#### I. CALL TO ORDER

The Regular Meeting was called to order by Chairperson Kohrs at 5:01 p.m.

#### II. ROLL CALL

**Present**     Committee Member Carol Ann Schneider  
                 Committee Member Jennifer Eastbourne  
                 Chairperson Kathrine Kohrs  
                 Committee Member Jennifer Bingham  
                 Committee Member Lauren Hawes  
**Excused**     Committee Member Carol Christiansen  
**Absent**       Committee Member Sarah Martic

Jennifer Eastbourne was present via Zoom.

#### III. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None present.

#### IV. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Motion to APPROVE the Regular Meeting Minutes from April 1, 2025, as written.

**RESULT:**     APPROVED AND SO DECLARED

**MOVER:**       Carol Ann Schneider

**SECONDER:** Lauren Hawes

**AYE**             5     Schneider Eastbourne Kohrs Bingham Hawes

**EXCUSED**     1     Christiansen

**ABSENT**       1     Martic

2. Motion to APPROVE the Regular Meeting minutes from May 6, 2025, as written.

Approved as amended to remove Jen Bingham as present from roll call.

**RESULT:**     APPROVED AND SO DECLARED

**MOVER:** Carol Ann Schneider

**SECONDER:** Lauren Hawes

**AYE** 5 Schneider Eastbourne Kohrs Bingham Hawes

**EXCUSED** 1 Christiansen

**ABSENT** 1 Martic

## **V. OLD BUSINESS**

### **1. Future Projects Discussion.**

Chairperson Kohrs spoke with Scott Johnson, Parks and Recreation Director, and will work with him to come up with a date to hold a "fill a dumpster" day at the Senior Center.

Mr. Eastbourne signed the Committee up for a Farmers market booth on September 17, 2025. Farmer's Market. Donations will be requested for the daffodil planting on October 25, 2025, during the market event. Promotion for donations will begin before the Farmers Market event day. A sign-up sheet for planting event volunteers will be available at the market. Chairperson Kohrs asked the Committee to think of ideas to engage event attendees.

Town Wide Back to School Bash (includes all of the Ledyard Schools). Ms. Hawes said that all Community Groups were asked to run some sort of activity. Each activity earns a stamp and if all stamps are collected the students receive a prize. The event date is August 23, 2025, from 3:00 to 7:00. Fundraiser for LEAF (Ledyard Educational Advancement Fund). There was an idea to ask some of the Middle School Club students to attend the event. Ms. Hawes said it would be a good opportunity to talk about the Committee with parents and create some interest.

Chairperson Kohrs reported that she submitted a grant application to the Rotary Club. She requested \$600.00 to purchase crocus bulbs for America 250. The locations are still to be determined but preferably two locations, one in Ledyard and one in Gales Ferry.

Town Hall Stairwell - Chairperson Kohrs confirmed with Mayor Fred Allyn III that there is no Historical significance with the old Connecticut State flag and that it could be moved. Chairperson Kohrs made a suggestion to create a year-round sign that reads "Welcome to Ledyard" or "Ledyard, the Town for Four Seasons". Other ideas include a mural or a "buy a brick and decorate it".

Company sponsors - The Committee needs to reach out and see if sponsors are still interested.

### **2. Any Other Old Business to Come before the Committee.**

None.

## **VI. NEW BUSINESS**

1. Any Other New Business to Come before the Committee.  
None.

## VII. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to ADJOURN the Regular Meeting at 5:30 p.m.

**RESULT:** APPROVED AND SO DECLARED

**MOVER:** Kathrine Kohrs

**SECONDER:** Lauren Hawes

**AYE** 5 Schneider Eastbourne Kohrs Bingham Hawes

**EXCUSED** 1 Christiansen

**ABSENT** 1 Martic

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**File #:** 25-2124

**Agenda Date:** 8/5/2025

**Agenda #:** 1.

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AGENDA REQUEST  
GENERAL DISCUSSION ITEM

**Subject:**

Future Projects Discussion.

**Background:**

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**Department Comment/Recommendation:**

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**File #:** 25-2125

**Agenda Date:** 8/5/2025

**Agenda #:** 2.

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AGENDA REQUEST  
GENERAL DISCUSSION ITEM

**Subject:**

Any Other Old Business to Come before the Committee.

**Background:**

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**Department Comment/Recommendation:**

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# TOWN OF LEDYARD

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**File #:** 25-2200

**Agenda Date:** 8/5/2025

**Agenda #:** 1.

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AGENDA REQUEST  
GENERAL DISCUSSION ITEM

**Subject:**

Rotary Foundation Grants.

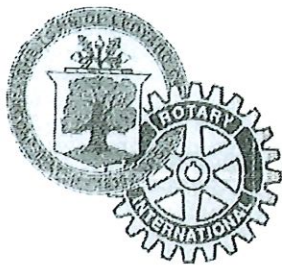
**Background:**

The Ledyard Beautification Committee was the recipient of two grants from The Rotary Foundation; each grant was for \$1,000. One grant was for a planting project the other for America 250.

**Department Comment/Recommendation:**

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# LEDYARD ROTARY FOUNDATION, INC.

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June 23, 2025

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Ledyard Beautification Committee  
ATTN: Kate Kohrs  
741 Colonel Ledyard Highway  
Ledyard, CT 06339

Dear Ms. Kohrs,

Please find the enclosed check #2236 in the amount of \$1000 from the Ledyard Rotary Foundation. The Board was able to grant an increase to your request to provide funding for support of your planting project in recognition that the committee has no budget of its own.

Sincerely,

Samuel Kilpatrick  
President, Ledyard Rotary Foundation

Encl: (1) Ledyard Rotary Foundation check #2236

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PAY TO THE ORDER OF

Town of Ledyard

\$

1000.<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

DOLLARS

One Thousand and <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Putnam Bank

MEMO

For Ledyard Beautification Committee



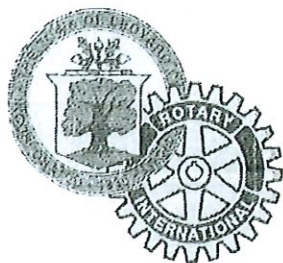
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Ledyard Celebrates 250 Committee  
ATTN: Kate Kohrs  
741 Colonel Ledyard Highway  
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Dear Ms. Kohrs,

Please find the enclosed check #2237 in the amount of \$1000 from the Ledyard Rotary Foundation. The Board was able to grant an increase to your request to provide funding for support of your historical exhibit project in recognition that the committee has no budget of its own.

Sincerely,

Samuel Kilpatrick  
President, Ledyard Rotary Foundation

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TO THE  
ORDER OF

Town of Ledyard

One Thousand and 00/100

DATE 6/23/2025

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1000. 00/100

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MEMO LEDYARD CELEBRATES 250 Committee

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**File #:** 25-2126

**Agenda Date:** 8/5/2025

**Agenda #:** 2.

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AGENDA REQUEST  
GENERAL DISCUSSION ITEM

**Subject:**

Any Other New Business to Come before the Committee.

**Background:**

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**Department Comment/Recommendation:**

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