Cemetery Commission Minutes

May 29, 2018 1:00 pm, Town Hall

Called to order at 1:10 pm

In Attendance: Polly Freese, Ethel MacStubbs, Ruth Behrsing

- 1. Approve Minutes --5/11/18 Minutes approved as amended. All if favor.
- 2. Treasurer's report; Millers paid, Brian got his first installment for lawns keeping.

Old Business

- 3. Status of Survey; Ruth and Ethel still need to meet.
- 4. Millers told to wait on pump problem. They were advised that they could order it so it would be on hand and we have approval to buy it when needed. So far the patch on the tank is holding so they will wait till it goes.
- 5. New business: Warren will prune in cemetery 2, in the front left, and cemetery 3 needs some cherry pruning. Warren will fix the stone that is in three pieces in number 2, right of the gate, similar to the one he fixed already.
- 6. Gates proposal; Larry Kullgren made a proposal: \$1200-\$1400 for gates. That is for material and he will donate his labor. He will donate as it's the cemetery and he wants to do this for Betsy as well. The gates will be two swinging gates like main gate. We will still need to get 4 granite posts as well, but can use the old ones as the stoppers. Ruth made a motion to accept and seconded by Polly. All is favor. Funds will come from the Cemetery Maintenance Trust Fund, and we have \$17,800 in that account.
- Discussion on the enforcement of rules and regs. Remove glass bottles if found. Will put in shed for 1 month and date it. Is the town liable if something happens after dark in the cemetery? Polly will ask Jamie.

Other business.

17LN Eggleston gives permission for her son, Eric D Welch and his partner to be interned in the lot. They would have to be cremated.

Stones in cemetery one are pushing out corner. Tony Ludwig will give an estimate of what to do.

Warren brought in bill for \$100 out of 4195-06 Landscaping Maintenance account. Ruth makes motion to pay Warren, Polly second, all in favor.

July 21st, 2pm Ricky MacAddam will have his ashes added to the family plot. No sexton is needed.

Have a PPT on green burials at the library? Ethel has the connection. Jodi Philbrick may have to take the smaller fence down as the grounds keeper has trouble.

Meeting adjourned 2:12 pm