LYME CEMETERY COMMISSION

June 8, 2010

Present: Jennifer Cooke, Bill LaBombard, Jean Smith

It was arranged that all Perpetual Care invoices should be submitted to Jean Smith OK and then sent on to Dina for payment. This prevents tracking down unaccounted for payments at the end of the year when Dina has had to go back through the year's records to establish the total of the Perpetual Care expenditures for the year.

It was agreed with Bill that he would take care of getting the broken granite fence post in the Old Cemetery fixed, probably by drilling and epoxying the broken pieces together. Also, that he would pursue getting the broken gate at the Beal Cemetery repaired.

It was agreed to contact Jim Amber about planting hydrangeas on the western border of the Porter Cemetery. Also, there was agreement that we should contact Bartlett Tree to proceed with their plans about pruning the oak trees and pruning back the wooded buffer between the Highland Cemetery and the Highway Garage.

Jennifer and Jean are still searching for a bench for the Memorial Garden.

In view of the increased number of white pine tree branch and tree falls in the Old and Highland Cemeteries in the past few years, it was agreed that we should contact Jim Henderson to survey and make recommendations for trimming and removing trees and tree material that might cause damage in the future.

There was agreement that new signage for all cemeteries should be looked into and the suggestion was made that granite posts with the engraved cemetery name would be appropriate.

Jonathan Appell had agreed to come again this year to do work restoring the stones in the Old Cemetery. No date has been set.