Lyme Cemetery Trustees Meeting Minutes

Present: Lara Dwyer, Laurel Ross, Michael Hinsley

Jim Amber has committed to and been paid for securely installing the gate at Highland Cemetery. Lara will call to confirm this is done as a priority this year. We will also meet with him at Highland to discuss yearly work, and the plan for future landscape.

The water lines that supply water to Highland Cemetery were inadvertently disturbed due to local construction. A water hydrant is also broken in the Old Cemetery which will also need to be repaired. Dina has contacted Curtis Shepard to assess and give us a quote for repairing both issues.

Jonathan Apell will be coming to do his annual restoration of damaged headstones this summer. Laurel will call to confirm dates and discuss specifically in which cemetery work should be done.

Henderson's Tree Service has continued pruning old pine trees in Highland Cemetery. We will call them to assess some potentially dangerous trees in the Old Cemetery.

Lara, Laurel and Michael plan to meet for a day of headstone cleaning in the Highland Cemetery this summer. Multiple gravestones are in need of cleaning. Lara and Laurel temporarily fixed the fallen gates in the Old Cemetery, we will follow up with a more permanent solution.

We spoke with Patty regarding updating the cemetery database. She will contact Jean Smith and Harvey Brotman to move database to town offices so we are all able to update and access the database.

Respectfully submitted,

Lara Dwyer