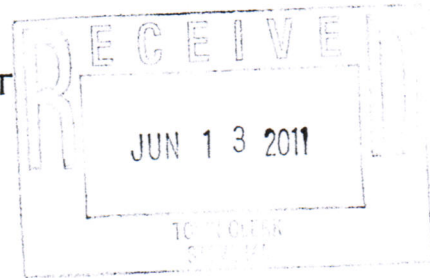




TOWN of STOW  
CEMETERY DEPARTMENT  
Stow, Massachusetts 01775



Cemetery Committee Meeting, May 18, 2011

The Cemetery Committee Meeting was held on this date at their office in the Town Hall.

The meeting convened at 7:00 PM with members Chairman Fred Dodge, Roy Dudley and William Clayton present. Also present were Superintendent Robb Gledhill and Associate Stephen Gray.

Bill Clayton updated the proceedings to finalize the Land purchase approved by Town Meeting. The Town Administrator advised us to work through the Town Council, Jon Witton. He's been in touch him and he will keep us advised of the progress leading to the final closing.

A little discussion on what exactly we would do with the land and its affect on the abutter. No decisions as of yet and general opinion is it would be way in the future.

The abutter Mr. John Anderson came before the committee to voice his concerns. He was pleased that we got the land and really had no real complaints. He expressed his concern about young people in the cemetery at night which he has witnessed and would like us to put up some signs that relate to the cemetery being closed after hours and police take notice. He also was in the process of surveying his property and we asked if we could get a copy of same. He agreed.

We later talked about signs not only for the above but signs that identify the cemeteries. Ie; Brookside, Lower Village, & Hillside. The Superintendent has been working on these but cannot find the dates they were started. We told him that we don't need the dates on them. He will continue his research without the dates and get us some costs.

The Superintendent was asked to remove the old truck box from the property.

We have tried to get out of the contract with Waste Management and find that we would have to pay several hundred dollars to do so. It's a three year contract that somewhere along the line we agreed to. (Fine print) was the culprit. We will let it run out.

The meeting adjourned at 8:45 PM

Minutes taken by William Clayton