Minutes of Washington Cemetery Trustees' Meeting

Date: June 22, 2015 - 7:00 p.m.

In Attendance: Phil Barker (chair), and Kitty West (bookkeeper). We also had some guests; Maureen Marcoutte, daughter of Bob and Kay Onnela, and Lisa Millwood and Machelle Milton,

granddaughters of Bob and Kay.

Minutes Approved: Minutes were approved for May 18, 2015 as written.

Old Business:

There was a public hearing on June 18th on the Dole Graveyard and the graveyard on the Marlow side of Ashuelot Pond. Sophia Souza, the Land owner where the later mentioned graveyard is located, was in attendance as well as Phil and Kitty. Immediately following the hearing, the Selectmen, at their weekly meeting declared the two graveyards abandoned. They are now town cemeteries.

Phil has placed two trash containers in the East Washington Cemetery.

Stone Vault has been out to see the monuments that need straightening and/or repairs in the East Washington Cemetery. He has not yet given us an estimate of the costs for each.

Gwen forwarded an email to Phil from Diane Fletcher in regards to the interring of Tony and Karen Fox's ashes in the near future.

We signed the authorization to pay form for cemetery maintenance for June.

New Business:

Our guests were here to see if Roberta Onnela Millwood, Bob and Kay's daughter, could be buried in the lot with her parents.

We had two burials in the East Washington Cemetery this month, a full burial and a cremation.

Kitty attended the annual Cemetery Trustees Seminar in Concord on June 4th, and brought back some tidbits of information. An expense reimbursement form was turned in for her travel expenses to and from the Seminar.

Phil found a flag holder missing a flag in the East Washington Cemetery and placed a flag there.

Meeting adjourned at 7:56 p.m.

Bookkeeper, Kitty West