

Cemetery Trustee Zoom Meeting
Thursday, June 18, 2020

6:30 pm

Present online:

Cynthia Krill, Trisha Whisman, Russ McAllister, Terry Verville

Terry and Cynthia asked Trisha to become a trustee member of the Cemetery Committee she accepted and Cynthia second the motion. Need Selectmen to confirm her position.

Terry sent in a request for money from Expendable Trust Fund to The Trustee of the Trust Fund for Cemetery clean-up in Appleton and Butler and straightening of badly needed headstones (Request attached for more information). The funds were approved by the TOTTF. A PO will be submitted, work will begin right away.

A question was raised by Cynthia if perpetual care funds can cover cleaning headstones, Terry will contact Aaron Gill about this.

One of the entrance posts to Butler Cemetery was broken/knocked over and will it need to be repaired or will it just need to be erected again. Terry will assess the post, and let Russ know if the post needs to be removed for safe keeping until it is reset.

Need to talk to Barry La Valley (lawn care & maintenance) to remove blown leaves, etc., from Appleton onto private property.

Wilkins Cemetery has leaning headstone issues as well, and a serious (widow maker) hanging tree limb that needs to be removed.

Peterborough Marble & Granite Works will be contacted regarding the headstone repairs.

Cynthia said the Library is purchasing Past Perfect software for the purpose of document town information and history and she would like to personally purchase a second software user, for the cemetery committee to compile all info about the cemeteries. This is a gift from Cynthia in memory of her mother. This software will allow the public to access information in one place about the town, history, cemeteries, etc. Thank you, Cynthia!

Next months meeting will be a site walk in Appleton & Butler cemeteries.
Meeting adjourned 6:50 pm.

Terry Verville