

Cemetery Trustee Minutes

August 11, 2022

- Meeting opened with Albert “Skip” Belanger, Dave Menter, Justin Kane, Wayne Almon (alternate), James Hajjar (alternate) and Joyce Keegal present.
- June 9, 2022 meeting **minutes** not available, motion made by — to not approved, second by Dave.
- July 7, 2022 meeting **minutes** approved.
- **Light bill** approved (signed previously).
- **Budget** review
- **Cemetery Activity** discussion:
 - Joyce did a short presentation on Brentwood historical remains currently held at the UNH FAIR Lab. Discussion about **Remains Reinterment** Tonry cemetery. Cemetery trustees to meet Sat, Aug 27, 2022 to view and discuss possible locations for reinterment. Possible location would be the walkway near section 4, with a bench and interment along the walkway. Other possible location in section 5. James suggested fundraising.
 - **Mill Rd headstone** is now at the cemetery shed and will be cleaned. . Discussion on where to place it. Will consider this at the Sat, Aug 27, 2022 meeting.
 - Joyce did a short presentation on the **Abraham Morrill** stone in Veasey Cemetery. Trustees will also consider this stone and others found at the Sat, Aug, 27, 2022 meeting.
- **Any other business** discussion:
 - **Thank you** sent to Harry Lindsay for the ceremonial flag.
 - **Needs Assessment:** Joyce to put together a survey to put in the Brentwood Newsletter asking the town to give feedback on what the town would like a new cemetery to provide. Things to think about: # acres, layout, etc.
 - Discussion about scheduling a **Q & A forum** at the library for residents. Joyce to inquire with the library about providing the venue..
 - Discussion about **Lyford cemetery**. Trustees agreed to visit Lyford cemetery in the fall and look for missing/misplaced stones and to possibly update GPS coordinates.
 - Wayne suggested repairing the **hydrant** at the flagpole.
 - Inquiry about siding fixed on the shed.
 - Discussion about the granite block at Ladd Cemetery. Remove the stump and look at having a telehandler possibly placing the block back.
 - Any/all burials in Ladd cemetery should be deferred to a funeral home and/or Skip Hayes/Chris Alex.
 - Discussion on kiosk project for Sanborn cemetery.

~Next meeting scheduled for Sept 1, 5:00 pm.~