

Minutes of Washington Cemetery Trustees' Meeting

Date: May 20th, 2019 – 7:00 p.m.

In Attendance: Phil Barker (chair), and Kitty West (bookkeeper)

Minutes Approved: Minutes were approved for April 29th 2019 as written.

Old Business:

Someone from Peterborough Marble will be in Washington on Wednesday, May 22nd to do engravings. Phil will discuss with him the work needed on our monuments.

As Phil will have his excavator at the East Washington Cemetery in the latter part of the month he would like to install the gate posts at that time, if Kevin is available. Phil will also loosen the existing, overgrown pile of soil in the Paul section.

Phil talked with Ed Thayer about getting a delivery of sand, loam and gravel for the East Washington Cemetery. He also asked to have a limb cut from a branch overhanging the lane in the New Center Cemetery.

Kevin and Kitty will put the flags on veterans' graves this Wednesday.

New Business:

The locks have been changed on the town hall but the keys have not been distributed yet, so we were unable to access the building for our meeting. It was held, instead, at Phil's house.

There will be a full burial in the East Washington Cemetery on May 30th.

Phil proposed an addition to our Cemetery Rules; that there be no burials on Memorial Day, Flag Day, and Independence Day, as many people visit the cemeteries on those days.

Phil found a typographical error in our book of Cemeteries, but at the moment could not remember where he found it.

Meeting Adjourned at: 7:41 p.m.

Bookkeeper,
Kitty West