

Minutes of Washington Cemetery Trustees' Meeting

Date: October 29th, 2019 – 7:00 p.m.

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

Minutes Approved: Minutes were approved for September 30th, 2019 as written

Old Business:

Kitty gave Phil a copy of the story Bill Mulcahy wrote on how he researched and found so much information on Clifford Charles Butler.

Peterborough Marble plans to start work in our cemeteries on November 5th or 6th.

The highway department, under the supervision of the selectmen, have done absolutely nothing in the Dole and Russell Graveyards (which are town cemeteries) since the town voted to give them charge of the cemetery maintenance at the 2018 town meeting.

We okayed the payment of a bill received for the gravel used in building the new lane across the new section of the New Center Cemetery.

New Business:

Our meeting, scheduled for Monday, October 28th was postponed to Tuesday, October 29th at Phil's request.

According to the Cemetery Rules the cemeteries will be closed from November 1st to April 31st. Exceptions can be made by the cemetery trustees on an individual basis. We voted to allow a burial in the New Center Cemetery on November 9th.

Steve Carson, from Holt Woodbury Funeral Home, gave Phil a heads up that a burial is planned, and the hole has been dug, in the East Washington Cemetery, without prior authorization of the cemetery trustees. Phil plans to attend.

Meeting Adjourned at: 7:36 p.m.

Bookkeeper,
Kitty West