

# **Minutes of Washington Cemetery Trustees' Meeting**

**Date:** June 29<sup>th</sup>, 2020 – 7:00 p.m.

**In Attendance:** Kevin Lawrence (chair), and Kitty West (bookkeeper).

**Minutes Approved:** Minutes were approved for May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020 as written.

## **Old Business:**

One of the items on our Spring walk through was the condition of the ground in the East Washington Cemetery. In areas, the top soil is so worn out, that grass will not grow. We are researching putting loam down, with the highway department doing the work.

John Kaufhold has quoted us prices for corner markers. A set of four unmarked are \$100. Lettered corner stones are \$195, for a set of four. John said that, if we wish, he can set them when he is in the cemetery.

Kevin has not gotten a quote on the cost of posts to be placed at the entrance and exit of the New Center Cemetery yet.

## **New Business:**

We voted to hold our meetings on the last Tuesday of each month, at 7 pm, on the band stand, until the town hall opens up.

John Kaufhold, from Peterborough Marble, mentioned to Kevin that there are no row markers on the backside of the Paul Section, in the East Washington Cemetery, and that the rows appear to be drifting. Once he was made aware of it, Kevin could see that the rows are not quite straight.

Kevin is trying to learn as much as he can about laying out lots, grave sites and monuments. Phil has been giving him some pointers. Kitty asked Kevin to write up a description of the process for each so we can add it to our Cemetery Trustees' Manual.

Meeting Adjourned at: 8 p.m.

Bookkeeper,  
Kitty West

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