

Cemetery Commission Meeting Minutes

April 12, 2016

Meeting called to order at 9:03 a.m. by Chairman Upham.

Members present: Ken Upham, Fred Beal, Joan Gladu Morton

New Business:

1. Robin Reynolds and Arthur Meach told the Commissioners that they had purchased a plot in Precinct Cemetery for \$750.00 in 1989. They said that John Beech bought their lot, then fair traded it for another. They purchased Lot 62 and now they have lot 12, which they never paid for. Robin Reynolds has a letter signed by her stating that she owes \$1250 for a lot and perpetual care. She says that she only owes for perpetual care they do not have their deed, nor do they have any receipts for payments. A motion was passed to do more research and bring it up at the next meeting. We will check with the Town Clerk and Treasurer re the Meach plot. We will send a letter to Robin Reynolds re our meeting with her and Arthur Meach.
2. Jessie Pollucci brought photos of Haskell Cemetery, diagonal to the Royal Wampanoag. It still has an old Town of Lakeville sign, which needs to be replaced.
3. Discussion of payments and schedules for Chris Reed for grave openings. He likes to bury all winter and would like to be paid more for winter openings and extra if plowing is necessary.
November - April \$100 more
\$200/plowing
Taken under advisement.

4. Motion made and seconded to have Chris Reed probe the Reynolds/Meach plot.

5. Annual reorganization - Ken will remain as Chairman.

The financial report was reviewed and accepted.

Old Business:

1. Discussion to prioritize cemetery repairs / improvements. Check with the new fence company on Rte 44 for proposals.
2. Cornerstone Community Church has approved the work at Mullen Hill Cemetery. Highway Dept. will start there around April 1st.
3. Controversy re Cornell plot at Precinct Cemetery. We need ownership deeds.

Meeting adjourned at 10:32 a.m.

Next meeting will be on May 17, 2016 at 9:00 a.m.