

Cemetery Trustees
Meeting Minutes
11/14/17

Meeting opened at 5:30 PM

Present were Susan Weeks, Guy Pike and Charlotte Allen

Minutes of Nov7 2017 were approved with spelling corrections.

Carpenter Tree Service was unanimously approved for removal of two large trees which endanger the Morill Cemetery.

Sue and Sexton Greg Buck have verified a burial site for Baker-Gagne Funeral Home and verified the location of the new fence. A change in the Sexton's job description would remove turning the cemetery water on/off as the Code Officer currently does it and has no issue with doing it going forward. A change in the right of burial will stress that the Sexton must be involved in all burial arrangements. He will draft a letter to the various funeral directors to remind them of this.

Discussion of the Selectmen's concerns with the abandonment procedure led to the conclusion that they must give us a better idea of what they want for information.

Sue will get on the Selectmen's agenda to discuss the acceptance of donations. The prospective donors need to be specific as to the terms of the donation, for example.

Charlotte reported that she has been unable to contact Bill Stockman about replacing the dead maple at the cremation sites. She will continue to pursue the matter.

A public hearing will be tentatively scheduled for 5:15 PM on Dec. 5 to advise of changes to the schedule of cemetery fees. The next meeting would take place at 5:30 on the same day.

Public attendance/ input is always welcome.

Submitted by Guy Pike, Secretary, Cemetery Trustees