

WILLIAMSTOWN CEMETERY COMMISSION

February 24, 2022 * * Minutes - Draft

Present: John Perkins CH, Susan Lyons, Daphne Herwig, Orvil Lasell, Matt Couillard

The Meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M. at the Town Office.

Minutes: Minutes from November 18, 2021 were reviewed. Motion made by Orvil L. to accept as written. 2nd by Daphne H. Minutes were approved.

Budget Status Report: Budget Status Report for 02/18/2022 was presented.

Warrants: None to report

Income: None to report

New Business:

John P. We are no longer included in the Town Budget, so I will have to present our Budget at Town Meeting. We have been holding ours pretty steady so there shouldn't be any problem.

Orvil L. The difference between the Total Income and Total Expenses has to do with Burial Services. We have no control over burials. These dollars go thru our Budget and are not being paid for by the Tax Payer's dollars. Lot Sales income goes to Perpetual Care

John P. I am going to be extra busy this year as we are doing a re-modeling at our home and would like to ask for someone to serve as an Assistant Chair.

Orvil L. We can think about this and discuss it at our next meeting.

Susan L. The new Rules & Regulations, Lot Prices and Grave Opening Authorization form were mailed out to all the Funeral Homes.

John P. Question on lots that were sold previously - - should we make it a rule to have the new burials put in the corner posts on those lots without them? Something to think about.

I had a call from Judy Covey regarding the MacKenzie Lot in the Village Cemetery. She would like to put an upright stone on the lot and have spaces for 4 cremations. I have looked at the lot and think that this would work out for the stone to be placed on the left of the current monument. Also explained that the stone would need to be approved. Will need to research this further.

Susan L. I have copies of the current Virtus Reports to pass around. This fund continues to do well!

Other/Old Business:

Susan L. We still need to take care of the woodchuck problem in Village.

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John P. Any other business? None - - .

Daphne H. I'll make the Motion to adjourn this meeting - - 2nd by Matt C.

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 7:45 P.M.

NEXT MEETING: March 24, 2022
