

## Minutes – Cemetery Commission Meeting

Wednesday August 14, 2024 In attendance: Kathy Johnston, Neil Humphrey & Avis Hayden

Topics discussed:

1. Commissioners moved and seconded to accept the proposal from Cassan to remove the brush (not trees) on the far side of Lawrence Cemetery. Notified Cassan of this decision.
2. Cornerstones for DiMonda and Waite have come in. Will make appointments to get those laid.
3. Work order from Cassan for July was signed.
4. Neil worked on deeds for the Martelle and Cone families. Two new plots were purchased. Three other plots were transferred. All deeds approved and signed.
5. Commissioners discussed whether or not perpetual care funds covered the cleaning of stones and agreed that it does not. It does, however, cover the repair of damaged stones. Avis contacted Bill Budde who will submit a list of the damaged stones to the Commission for consideration at the September meeting.
6. Commissioners discussed the need to accurately map the current-use portion of Ira Allen Cemetery. The current map is not properly aligned to the contours of the land any more due to the addition of roads. One option is to hire a drone mapping service. Another is to see if there is someone who can use google maps to assist with redrawing the plots. Avis contacted a colleague of hers to see if this latter option is feasible.
7. Commissioners moved and seconded a decision to hold the meetings starting at 9 am (not 10 am) on second Wednesday of each month.

Next scheduled meeting is Wednesday September 11 2024, at 1900 am at the Town Office.

Respectfully Submitted,

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