

Cemetery meeting - 10/2/25

Present - Ken Gagnon, Lillie LeBlanc, Alison Ferrell, Claudia Istel

Meeting started 10:35

Meeting notes for 8/31/25 were approved

Sexton report:

Sold a plot to Tim Perry plot, 14-EA-D for his wife cremains
Call from John Balla, will get a stone for Matt

There was an email request from Tracy Kaletsky from Alstead about a green burial for herself down the road. After much discussion, we decided to not approve the request. Not a resident, and we have to be mindful of what space we have remaining. Alison will respond.

Bills: Planters for R. Metcalf - \$120, Mountainside mowing - \$260. Still seems to be a bill or two outstanding.

Ken has mapped out the Knoll area which we would sell for cremains. His map has 6x12 plots. There was discussion on whether we should sell them as smaller since they are cremains. He has metal corners in 24x24 marks so that you can find them with metal detectors. Alison will research what other cemeteries are doing. The group was leaning towards 6x6 and doing metal pins, not corner markers.

Ken used a monument cleaner on Nye rd (\$300) with a back pack sprayer. All of Nye Rd and some of the old cemetery. Estimate that the rest would take \$1000. Ken will send receipts to Alison who will create an invoice to pay him. Additionally we will create a third quarter invoice for Ken's stipend,

Review of budget to create next year's budget: For 2025, there was \$2,000 in budget for monument work - \$2,500 (which was encumbered from 2024) was used for Keene Monument - of the \$2,000 left, Ken is using \$1,300 on supplies, so \$700 is left.

\$3,000 in tree maintenance we have not used - we could have Brett Russell look at two dead maples and some other minor tree work Ken has been looking at. Ken will call him up.

We think next year's budget should be close to the same as this year

Meeting finished 12:00, Next meeting Thursday 10/30 at 10:30

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