

MINUTES OF : Meeting of the Cemetery Commissioners

MEETING POSTED: YES

DATE: 1/14/2015 TIME: 2:00pm PLACE: Town Hall Room 126

MEMBERS PRESENT: Brewster Conant, Bill Klauer, Joe Will, Connie Ingram

ALSO PRESENT: Shawn O'Malley, Allura Overstreet, Tom Tidman, Member of the Board of Selectmen Franny Osman

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER AT:

Review and sign minutes from 12/10/2015 meeting. Signed.

Reconsider the vote on the repurposing of 2 warrant articles for Kennedy Service building renovations taken at the last meeting in December.

Motion to reconsider Decembers vote, 2nd, pass.

Brewster Conant would like to express his concerns once again about expending trust fund money on a municipal building. After much discussion, motion to affirm the vote of 12/10/2014, 2nd, 2 in favor, one against, motion carries. The 12/10/2014 vote stands.

Discuss the return of Old Per-Care money spent on paving in 2014, or re-classing the amount.

Brewster Conant is concerned about spending money from the Old Per-care account for the paving expenses last summer. Most of the paving was completed in the older sections in both cemeteries, everyone is in agreement that the allocation was valid.

NEW BUSINESS:

An update of the Crew activities and any concerns since the last Cemetery Commissioners meeting.

A few complaints on the "drastic" trimming of the burning bush hedges in Woodlawn. The skating rink at NARA is up and running.

Discuss the possibility of requiring the Town to take 50% of all Cemetery Trust Fund earnings and deposit those earnings into the **non-expendable** balance of each trust fund.

The Commissioners would like to arrange a meeting with finance to discuss and understand any repercussions this would entail going forward. Discussion tabled for now.

Review Cemetery fees and discuss surveys of surrounding towns' fees.

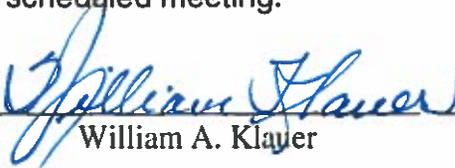
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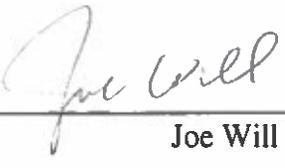
Discuss future projects for 2015.

Hedge rows for the new section in Mount Hope.

Brewster Conant states he formally resigns as of the end of this meeting. He will forward a formal letter of resignation before the next scheduled meeting.

Brewster Conant


William A. Klauer


Joe Will

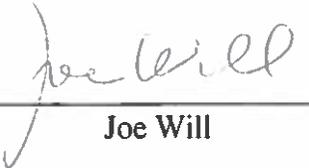
Documents presented:
Letter to Selectmen
Cemetery Survey
Warrant Articles
Rate Schedule

Meeting adjourned at: 3:45pm

Next meeting scheduled for: February 11, 2015

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