



Salisbury Cemetery Trustees

Meeting Minutes – October 3, 2019

Present: Trustees - Rick Chandler, Chair; Anne Bickford, Secretary

Absent: John Bentley, Sexton

Guests: None

The meeting was called to order at 4:05 PM. The September 5, 2019 minutes were read. Trustee Bickford made a motion to approve the September 5, 2019 minutes. **Chair Chandler seconded the motion. All voted in favor.**

Old Business:

- Maplewood Cemetery Wall - Chair, Chandler noted Sexton Bentley finished sealing the wall.
- Congregational Cemetery - Chair Chandler noted he spoke with an abutter, Bret Walker, who indicated the brush and grass clippings could be placed in the piles on his property. This will make it easier for maintenance to be done. Brush needs to be cleared to make access through the bar gap.
- Fall Clean-up - Chair Chandler made a motion to plan on having a clean-up day on Saturday, October 12th, if we can get some volunteers. Trustee Bickford seconded. All voted in favor
- Budget for 2020 - Chair Chandler was unable to attend the Board of Selectmen's October 2, 2019 meeting to present the proposed budget. Chair Chandler noted their budget will remain the same as 2019. Chair Chandler noted there is no increase.
- Maplewood Road Work - Chair Chandler spoke with Road Agent MacDuffie about road work needed in the cemetery. Road Agent MacDuffie noted the work will be done within a couple of weeks.

New Business:

- John F. Haskell Grave Marker - John F. Haskell, Civil War Veteran died in 1901. The Salisbury Historical Society was able to obtain a government issued tombstone to properly mark his grave at Maplewood Cemetery in the Bean/Smith's corner section. Chair Chandler and Dave Mervin placed the new tombstone on September 26, 2019.

The next meeting is scheduled for November 7, 2019 at 4 PM.

Chair Chandler made a motion to adjourn at 4:40 PM. Seconded by Trustee Bickford. All voted in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Anne Bickord
Cemetery Trustee/Secretary