The Somers Cemetery Committee Agenda

PO Box 308, Somers, CT 06071 January 7, 2015, 2:00 PM, Town Hall

Persons Attending:

Approval of minutes October 8, 2014

Cemetery Reports

<u>CFO Mike Marinaccio</u>-Cemetery member appointed to Investment committee is David Morgan Status of investment committee.

<u>CFO Treasurer assistant Brian Wissinger</u>: Profit and loss statement; cost involved for each lot sold <u>Cemetery Assistant Treasurer Report</u>: George Warner

<u>Chairman Report</u>: Complaints must be in writing to Cemetery Committee, care of Town Hall. Not accepting any more irate phone calls. We shall miss cemetery committee member Ed Sullivan, who resigned Dec. 9, 2014. December 11, three Cemetery Committee members met with the Selectmen to discuss cemetery procedures and regulations. Donna Hanks is leaving town hall employment as of Friday, Jan. 9, 2015.

Jay D'Aleo, Cemetery Sexton report

Old Business:

- a. Violations of the cemetery regulations. The landscapers do not accept responsibility.
- b. Removal of flags from graves done by American Legion, David MaCaffrey Commander
- c. New signs for cemeteries: review wording and bids
- d. other

New Business:

- a. Changing policy to allow trades of <u>empty</u> cemetery lots only in Center. Set protocol for trades with Treasurer Cemetery/CFO Somers.
- b. Should there be an additional fee for this service? Discussion, Vote to change regulations
- c. Request by David M. Reed for a trade of his empty lot in Center Cemetery , #777 A, for two lots in another place for monument . Mr. Reed to return the original Burial Certificate. Buy new lots and receive new Burial Certificate.
- d. Send out to bid: Landscaping contract 2015-2017, specify that a bond is necessary to cover repairs of stones; a leaf clean up and flower cleanup in spring and Nov. 1, each year. Spring date set by Cemetery Committee with landscaping contractor.
- e. Send out to bid: grave digging contract 2015, specify bond for repairs, and broken armed service emblems. Replace flags and service emblems in same location. One or two year contract.
- f. Other

Audience Comments

Adjourn

Next Meeting April 22, 2015, 2:00 PM Town Hall