

**Dunbarton Cemetery Trustees
Meeting Minutes
1011 School Street - Dunbarton, NH 03046
October 3, 2023**

Present: Justin Nault, Bruce LeDuc, Judy Keefe, Alternate Linda Gray, Secretary

Opened Meeting: 7:00pm J. Nault called to order.

Old Business:

Review and accept minutes from Sept. B. Leduc moved to approve, J. Nault seconded, all approved.

Public Comment- Don Larsen formally requested permission for Wreaths Across America to mark and place where wreaths will go on the 2nd Saturday in Dec. with permission for the volunteers to walk into all the cemeteries to place the wreaths. Also wants to place wreaths on the fence posts at both East and Pages Corner. Then in March to pick up all the wreaths and tripod stands. Consensus by all granted permission.

Mail Basket

New Business

Review outstanding action items assigned to members from previous meetings:

East Cemetery – Justin has provided list of plants to choose from to help in soil erosion. Justin and Judy K. will go Tues at 11 am to decide what may go where.

Unknown burial plaques – Judy shared we have more uncovered names of people who are in the cemeteries, discussion ensued on how to honor those.

Gustave Gruhn ashes – Judy shared that we have the cremains, the deceased request is to be scattered over his mother's grave. So far we have not found the exact location of where that may be. We have documentation that one lot was sold, holding one full body of the mother and cremains of a sister and his father. We need to continue to search for a location.

Review Budget

\$895. left in general budget. NHCA membership dues was paid, \$20. Per member, that was three members and two alternates.

\$2167.20 in Cemetery expendable fund.

Review mailbox and/or approve payment of invoices. None

Recent activity:

NH Cemetery Association fall meeting is Wed. Oct 11, J. Keefe, L. Gray and M. Lessard will attend.

Other business

Next meeting Tuesday Nov 14, 2023 7PM (due to election date Nov. 7)

Adjourned: J. Nault moved to adjourn; B. Leduc seconded. 7:44 pm All approved.

Respectfully Submitted, Linda Gray