

TOWN OF ASTATULA CEMETERY COMMITTEE MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING Tuesday March 12, 2019 TOWN HALL

Confirmation that the meeting was properly posted, Chairman Winkle called the Regular Cemetery Committee Meeting to order at 6:05 pm. Invocation was said, and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Members Present:

Charlotte Winkle, Chairman Jennifer Anthony, Secretary David Jones Patricia May

Also Present:

Jane Whaley, Deputy Town Clerk

Roll call was performed, and it was determined that a quorum was present.

MINUTE APPROVAL

Approval of minutes for February 5, 2019 Cemetery Committee Meeting

MOTION by Member May to approve the minutes; SECONDED by Member Jones

For: May, Jones, Winkle, & Anthony

Against: None

MOTION CARRIED 4-0

Fence Repairs

No updates. Town is in search of hiring a public works employee.

Corner Marker requirement

Tabled until next meeting.

Columbarium

Town Council is still considering the idea. Town is getting a price quote from Southern Monuments on a smaller 48 space columbarium, that can be added to as necessary.

Garbage Can

Committee discussed adding two more regular size garbage cans to aid with easy cleanup.

Newsletter mailed on March 4, 2019

Town newsletter was mailed including the letter regarding the cemetery ordinance rules and guidelines. The letter seems to be well received by the townspeople.

Twenty-year plan for cemetery

Discussion included possible improvements to cemetery including a nice sign and manicured shrubbery at the entrance. The possibility of paved roads in the future, the placement of a columbarium, the potential for a Veterans Memorial Garden area, and placing flags on the graves of Veterans for Memorial Day.

The Cemetery committee also discussed the need to confer with the Town Council to understand what the expectations are of the committee.

Discussion

The committee will think of different specific ideas on a 20-year plan for the cemetery to present to the Town Council at their scheduled June meeting.

The committee will think of summer fundraiser ideas (car-wash, hotdogs, etc.)

ADJOURNMENT

Jane Whaley, Deputy Town Clerk