

TOWN OF BENNINGTON

CEMETERY TRUSTEES

Minutes of the Meeting- October 8, 2024

Minutes accepted on December 10, 2024

Present Robert Christian, Chairman
 Karen Belcher

Chairman Christian called the meeting to order at 6:33 p.m.

The minutes of the September 16, 2024 meeting were reviewed and accepted with a minor correction.

It was noted that the tree work has not been done yet, but some clean-up has been done by the stone wall.

In reviewing the budget line items the Trustees noted that there is \$550 available in the maintenance and supplies line. Mr. Chicoine is able to get loam for the cemetery so Karen Belcher made a motion that Robert Christian purchase grass seed and lime in the amount not to exceed \$550. Robert Christian seconded the motion and all were in favor.

The billing for the September mowing has been received and signed for.

It was noted that the Cemetery Trustees are requesting to keep the tree line item at \$6,000 for next year. It was also noted that there are a group of birch trees on the hill by the Renshaw lot that are dead and need to be removed. The Trustees will ask that they are added to the list of trees that are being removed this year. It has also been brought to the Trustees' attention that there are bushes by the Gibbons lot that are dead and need to be removed.

In other business, a notarized letter was received concerning the three lots owned by the Hickenbottoms stating that the intention of the family is that the lots will be passed down through the generations until such time as they are all filled.

A reminder was given that there will be no Cemetery trustees Meeting in November.

As there was no other business at hand, the meeting was adjourned at 7:05 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by

Debra Belcher
Cemetery Trustee Recording Secretary