

APPROVED March 6, 2018



Fremont Cemetery Trustees
Meeting Minutes
October 10, 2017

Present: Cemetery Trustees Matthew Thomas, Steve Harms, Bruce White and recording secretary Jeanne Nygren.

Trustee Harms called the meeting to order at 4:06 pm in the first-floor meeting room of the Fremont Town Hall, this was seconded by Thomas.

Mr. Harms motioned to approve the minutes of the September 6, 2017 meeting as written. The motion was seconded by Thomas with unanimous favorable vote.

The submitted bid for the Leavitt Cemetery project was opened at the Selectmen's meeting on October 5, 2017 due to no quorum of the Cemetery Trustee meeting of October 3, 2017. Harms moved to award the submitted bid from Blue Sky LLC for the fall clean-ups at Village Cemetery for \$1,200.00 and \$750.00 for Leavitt Cemetery. This was seconded by Thomas. The vote was unanimous 2-0.

The Trustees were grateful that the gates were finally repaired and installed at Village Cemetery.

A lengthy discussion ensued on the suggestion by the Budget Committee to consider aerating and over seeding at Village Cemetery. To hire an outside company could be an expensive project, and the Trustees didn't feel this was necessary. White has been doing some loaming and seeding in weed spots, and sprinkling with starter seed as an experiment.

He plans to continue weeding and spreading fertilizer again in the Spring that may eventually in time bring back the soil. White is pricing out a fertilizer spreader and Harms is okay in purchasing in this year's budget.

A discussion on removal of the wall at Leavitt Cemetery occurred and White will try to obtain estimated pricing to appropriate funds in another year's budget to have the wall removed.

If a meeting is necessary prior to the start of the winter season, the Trustees will be notified.

A motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:12 pm was made by Harms. This was seconded by Thomas. The vote was unanimous 2-0.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeanne Nygren
Recording Secretary