

Cemetery Board Minutes

July 7, 2022

5:00 P.M.

The Cemetery Board Meeting was held at the City Library meeting Room, as per notice in the Valentine Midland News Paper.

Notice of Meeting was given. Notice of the Open Meetings Act was provided as per law.

Board Members in Attendance: Katie Rhodes, Ron Brown, Peggy Snell, and Rick Joseph. Also present was Neil Wescott.

Meeting called to order at 5:12 P.M.

Minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed and approved by Rhodes and Joseph.

Citizen Comment: None

Discussion was had on the resignation of Ellen Froning on 6/17/2022 per her letter to the City Clerk. Present Members of the Board will present a prospect to be discussed at the next meeting.

Landscaping was discussed and Snell will look at the discounted trees at Bomgaars and purchase if there are any that would be a good choice. Brown and Joseph will plant.

Neil Wescott offered to pay for the flagpole for the columbarium, he also volunteered to do the platform for the flag pole located in the center of the cemetery. He will be compensated for his expenses. Rhodes will then discuss with Jerry Dahlgren about the brick work to finish the platform.

Tim Hand will put up the hay on the South side of the cemetery.

The columbarium entry was discussed and the need for bollards to prevent cars from advancing too close and the need for some parking. Joseph will talk to Danielski's about rock and Brown will talk to Allard's about bollards.

Headstone repair has not materialized as agreed upon with Hoffman Monuments. Snell will look for an alternative.

Pricing for the Columbarium was discussed and there were some other questions that Snell will do some research on.

Signage was also discussed and further research will be done on signs telling the rules and review of policies.

Meeting adjourned at 6:34

