

Victor Village Cemetery Preservation and Restoration Committee

Meeting Minutes

July 29, 2019

Present: Wilma Townsend, Bob Kelly, Babette Huber

Excused: Jeff Rader, Gary Hadden, Dave Tantillo, Charles Callari

Bob Kelly called the meeting to order at 3:30 pm.

Approval of Minutes:

Motion to approve minutes of the April 29, 2019 meeting of the Victor Village Cemetery Preservation and Restoration Committee meeting by Wilma Townsend, seconded by Bob Kelly, amended so that under Old Business it states "expenditures as of November 3, 2018" rather than "2019"; the motion carried.

Old Business:

- a. Update on mapping and review of cemetery maps: This project is complete. Cemetery locations are available as an overlay with online town mapping; the Planning Board is aware.
- b. Tribute to Eleanor Barry was sent to Alice Hunt; she responded with a nice letter
- c. Cemetery article for the town newsletter has been submitted. The article is a reprint of an earlier Dianne Parks/Bonnie Waters overview of the Old Village Cemetery.
- d. Results of cemetery walkthrough: Our consultant from Tribute Care, Richard Doyle, walked with Chuck Callari and Bob Kelly through the village cemetery. The overall condition was good. There are two woodchuck holes in the southeast corner.

New Business:

- a. Budget priorities for 2019: investigate plaque for the abandoned Fishers Cemetery; Babette will contact the County for permission; plaque will cost \$1,400 to \$1,500.

The committee will update the pamphlet on the Old Village Cemetery and create new pamphlets for the cemetery.

Motion by Wilma Townsend, seconded by Bob Kelly: The Cemetery Preservation and Restoration Committee requests \$2,475 be budgeted by the Victor Town Board for cemetery care in the 2020 budget. The motion carried.

- b. The cemetery committee is down from five members to three. Members will make recommendations for new members at the next meeting.

c. The committee agreed that Bob Kelly will contact Allie Dillman to determine whether we can do more to map and explore the old Murray/Ellis cemetery that is on the Dillman property.

d. It was discussed whether we should change the date/time of our meeting to Monday afternoons.

Our next meeting will be on Monday, August 19, 2019 at 3:30 p.m. at the Village Hall.

Motion to adjourn at 4:00 was made by Wilma Townsend and seconded by Bob Kelly. The motion carried.