

## **Francetown Cemetery Commission Minutes of May 12, 2021 Meeting (FINAL)**

Present: Polly Freese, Bridget Howell, Ethel MacStubbs. Meeting commenced 3:00 p.m.

Review of minutes of April 8, 2021. Minutes approved subject to typo correction.

1. Andrea Grant reported that the tree trunks left after cutting of maples (approved at prior meeting) were cut up and the remaining trunks and refuse are gone. Discussion on whether we can and how we could plant replacement trees. Ethel going to consult Andrew Grant about possibility of planting replacement trees and best place to plant them.

Price was \$4,750 for all three trees. The money will come out of the Cemetery Maintenance trust fund. Ethel will submit to Trustees of Trust fund request for payment to Andrew Grant Tree Service.

2. Another tree in No. 2 cemetery (one against wall) needs to come down. Andrew Grant quoted us \$250 to take down whole tree and Trustees approve.

3. Upcoming burials.

George Cilley. Saturday, May 15 at 11:00 a.m. Cremains. Plot/Lot 331A (Betty and Carl buried there).

Nancy Howell Wright. Burial August 14, 2021. Cremains. Ceremony scheduled at OMH. Family only with gather for burial.

Harry Woodbury's brother in law, Mr. Henry Cruciani died. Burial will be in August.

4. Other issues.

Card checking details- we need to walk cemetery 3 to figure out discrepancy in cards for Clarence Edwards burial site. According to book, 230A is vacant - so we will determine if he is in 195.

5. Bridget is going to work with Ruth Behrsing to update database as to cemetery plots to add burials in 2020 and 2021 to date. Bridget will get Ruth's opinion on how best to update hard copies in white binders.

Meeting adjourned 5:30 p.m