

Waterboro Cemetery Committee

September 9, 2013

Present: Kelly Mayo, Donna Mayo, Jon Gale, Angela McCoy, and the Director of Parks and Rec

Meeting Started at 7pm

1: Need to figure out a way to keep up to date on new burials. Where both Pine Groves and Elder Gray are still active plots. Donna will E-mail Jim or Nancy about our options.

2: Jon Gale and the Director of Parks and Rec were concerned about what the criteria is for which cemeteries the Town takes care of. Which Cemeteries are the Town currently taking care of, and why? Jon Gale will be bringing this up at the Selectmen meeting.

3: As most of us all know, we have been suffering tremendously due to the NJROTC Cadets not helping us anymore. Kelly will be e-mailing Senior Chief Jordon to get an update and to see what she can do about getting the cadets back to helping us.

4: Will be going to Sedgley to see if the chain has been put up.

5: End of year projects:

Hamilton/Carll/Ricker- We will be going in to begin the extensive repair of the many stones that are down. This will take longer than just this year to do, but it will be a great start.

William Thing- This Cemetery was extensively vandalized a couple years back, and its time to begin restoration!

Roberts-Wakefield- There is currently a tree down and is stabilizing itself on another tree. Although it is stable now, it wont be for much longer. There is no telling when it will fall down.

6: Donna has been working very hard on getting replacement stones for our Veterans. When we get these new stones, the big question is, where to have the stones shipped. Everyone feels that the Town Hall would be a good place.

7: Russ has informed us that he will continue to take care of Hamilton Carll Ricker until he cant anymore this year, and will continue it next year as well.

8: Mr. Valley has recently passed away. He was the caretaker for the Valley Cemetery. We will be going up in the next couple of weeks to do the documenting and to ask the family if they plan to keep up on the cemetery.

9: At the Selectmans meeting, Mr. Woodsome expressed concern about a cemetery on Things Mills that was in bad shape. We will be emailing him to get more information on just which cemetery this is.

10: Donna will be seeing about placing signs in the High School for Community Service to help us get some more interest.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:35pm

Next meeting set for October 14, 2013 at 7pm