

# *Welton Cemetery Meeting Minutes*

## **April 18, 2018**

Ms. Kimpton called the meeting to order at 11:00 AM.

**Roll Call:** Marcianne Kimpton – present; Arleen Richardson – present; Newell Beaumier -- not present

**Council Representative:** Bonnie Richards – not present

**Visitors:** Lisa Hernandez, Chris Paquette, Roberta Dobay

**Clerks Report:**

Ms. Richardson made a motion to accept the March 21, 2018 minutes, seconded by Ms. Kimpton. By voice vote, the motion passed.

**Old Business:**

The question of repainting the eagles at the Cemetery came up again. Ms. Kimpton wondered if the local Boy Scout Troop has a member striving for their Eagle Badge who might be able to paint the eagles. It was decided that Ms. Kimpton would contact Mr. Boehnlein of the American Legion to see if that would be permissible.

Ms. Richardson reported that she spoke with Dave Brent. He is aware that the Cemetery Board would like to have the new sign erected.

Ms. Hernandez reported that after speaking with a contact at a local funeral home, it was learned that there are currently no State laws regarding “green” burials.

**New Business:**

Ms. Dobay asked if flowers had been ordered for the Cemetery. Ms. Hernandez will contact those council persons on the Streets and Roads Committee, as well as the Street Commissioner to enquire.

Ms. Dobay would like to become an Auxiliary member of the Cemetery Board, without any voting rights. Mr. Paquette did not think that that was allowable, but that Ms. Dobay could continue to attend meetings as a visitor.

Ms. Kimpton was recently at the Cemetery and was concerned to find a large area of road missing where the paved road ends. Ms. Kimpton later found out this was the result of snow plowing over the winter. Ms. Kimpton would like the Street Department to repair.

The next meeting will take place on May 9, 2018. The reason for the date change is to ensure that flowers have been ordered and plans are underway to clean up the Cemetery after winter, and in time for Memorial Day.

**Adjournment:**

Ms. Richardson moved to adjourn and Ms. Kimpton seconded the motion. By voice vote, the motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 11:40 am.

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Board President

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Cemetery Clerk