

City of Hancock

Cemetery Board of Trustees Meeting

January 10, 2023

5:00 P.M.

Members Present: Carol Carli, City Manager Mary Babcock, Paul Nelson, Sexton Aaron Witting

Absent: Mary Pekkala, Betty Boxer-Toutant

Items Discussed:

- * There were not enough members present for a quorum so issues were discussed, not voted on.
- * A letter from city residents, John and Anne Childs, was read concerning their wish that the Hancock cemetery add a green burial section to our cemetery.
- * Sexton Witting asked to change the stamp sand areas in the veteran's section to grass. He feels that caring for grass is a lot easier and is more attractive than the sand.
- * Vault repairs were discussed. The back door has been replaced, the lights and windows have also been addressed.

- * The informational cemetery map at the cemetery office needs to be replaced this spring.
- * Water system aging was also discussed. Various ways to address this were discussed and will continue in the spring. This discussion included financing the water system upgrade.
- * The water tank needs cleaning up and the letters need repainting. This will also be taken care of during the 2023 cemetery season.
- * The bike trail near the cemetery was discussed. Parking and bikers understanding the cemetery is a solemn place, are concerns that members expressed.
- * The next meeting will be on April 11, 2023

Carol Carli, Member