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Cemetery Committee Meeting August 25, 2022

Attendees: Debra Bradford, Bob Healey, Francis Mengo, Ralph Soucier

- Ralph YTD Update on burials, lot availability, and discussed Rules looking to get input from the Committee for any changes necessary for improvement.
- Group- discussed the need to limit the number of flowers on the plots because of high maintenance hours moving these items.
- Bob- Mentioned some people are doing things like installing small rocks and planting items not allowed according to the Rules.
- Group- would like to post on Web Site and Social-Media that the deadline for items on the plots need to be removed by Veteran's Day as Public Works will start cleaning up before winter.
- There are concerns about residents walking in the Cemetery during mowing and string trimming maintenance. Some are walking in next to the sections that mowing is being done.
- Due to the incident with the mower being taken after hours, It may be required to close and lock the main gate after dark and re-open again before the start of the day. We are not sure who would take that responsibility on?
- There is a couple of sections of the perimeter fencing that has areas that people can fit through to pass into the Cemetery which need to be blocked off. Public Works can assist when time permits.
- Cameras were talked about, but unsure how to wireless communicate to a router would be possible?
- Rule change needed on Planting flowers. Ralph will update the Rules.

Minutes of the meeting will be posted on the Town's Web Site and copied to The Town Manager.