

Cemetery Committee Meeting Minutes
June 28, 2017

Present: Grace Keene, Marianne Perry, Brenda Lake, Andy Tolman, Deb Doten, Pam Osborn, John Moran, Karen Peterson

Absent: Sandra Rouke

Staff Present: Anna Carll

There was a review of the May 17th Meeting Minutes. Changes will be made and forwarded to the committee. The minutes will be approved at the August Meeting.

The berms have been weeded at the East Readfield Cemetery. Thank you to all who helped.

A considerable amount of time was given to the draft Cemetery Rules and a draft ordinance developed by Andy Tolman. Recommended changes will be incorporated and sent to Committee members for review at the August Meeting. Thanks to Andy! This work is off to a great start.

Sexton Report:

The Stone Leaning and Cleaning Workshop done in collaboration with the Maine Old Cemetery Association had 14 people in attendance. Twenty stones at the Readfield Corner Cemetery were cleaned and/or leveled.

There is exciting news from Larry Perkins. The United Methodist Church Council has dedicated \$5000 to the East Readfield Cemetery from the Fifield Trust. The money will be used to fix 34 stones, trim three trees and create a planting in the edge of Route 17. Many thanks for this generous donation!

Next Meeting: August 16, 2017 at 9:00 a.m in the Town Office