

**EASTON CEMETERY COMMITTEE
SPECIAL MEETING**

Minutes

Wednesday, September 20, 2023

7:00 PM

Easton Public Library Community Room

Present: Nanette DeWester, Joan Kirk, Deirdra Pres, Frank Pagliaro

Absent: Elizabeth Boyce, Jamie Weinstein

Guses: Gary Haines

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM by Chair, Nanette DeWester.

1. Review and approve minutes

Correction: Item 5 – **Volunteers will pay \$10.00 for a T-shirt.**

Minutes approved with correction. (Deirdra/Nanette)

2. Update on cemeteries

Grass cut at Gilbertown, Center St and Lyons.

Center St – Gary will clean out the area by the stone wall.

Gilbertown – Contact Highway Department to remove tree stump behind the ball park back stop.

Lyons – Waiting to hear from Wayne Lyon to help fix a broken stone.

Waiting for a proposal to clean the sandstone monuments.

3. Update on site visit.

Deirdra met with officials from the state at Den Cemetery. Need to clear a path around the site by Aquarion. Do an update of the graves with a GPS. This information is needed to justify an application for a grant. Grant money could be used to repair the stone wall.

Discussion on getting a post grad student to do an archeological study on Den Road.

4. Budget update

Nothing to report. Nanette will have Jamie contact Christine Calvert for a report.

5. Fundraising update 5K run/walk

Fifteen tickets sold. Fliers will be put in mailboxes on North Park Ave. Prizes for children's race. Medals/gifts for winners in each category. Water donated by Aquarion. Suggestion to order T-shirts/sweatshirts on line and pick up the day of the race.

6. Planning preservation talk tour of Union

Undecided as to the day for the talk.

7. Other Business

None

Meeting adjourned at 8:25 PM.

Submitted by,
Joan Kirk