# Waterbury Cemetery Commission Minutes Aug 2, 2023, 4pm Steele Room (Municipal complex)

Present: Jan Gendreau, Amy Kinsell, Barbara Walton, Jill Chase, and John Woodruff

Absent: Tom Leitz,

The July 7, 2023, minutes were approved.

## **Cemetery Maintenance Update**

## **Hope Cemetery**

Mattie, from Vista Tree Care (website is <a href="https://www.vistatreevt.com/">https://www.vistatreevt.com/</a>) did all the pruning and cutting in Hope that were targeted as well as a tree that fell when we did a walk through. Jan will invite Mattie to October mtg of cemetery commissioners the whole group can meet her, and we/she understand what is expected.

Due to flooding in the lower part of the cemetery the Peck stone was overturned, and some erosion around the foot marker occurred. John will upright the stone and replace the soil.

### **Loomis Hill Cemetery**

Highlander in early June cut up down trees and moved debris; brush hog and weed wacked. Placed white marker flags for mowing. Mattie found two trees that need to be cut down.

# Maple Street and Route100 Cemeteries

Mattie visited both cemeteries committee will need to put in next years' budget work that needs to be done in 2024.

### **Ricker Mtn Cemetery**

Jan, Jill and Barb visited the cemetery and found a stone (Cole) that needs to be reset. James Woodman will be contacted about the resetting.

### **Burial Work on the Weekends' Discussion**

Committee discussed the need to increase persons working on the weekend to \$100.00 or 1 1/2 hourly wage increase during the burial time worked.

### **Assignments**

John will check with Mattie on the removal of two trees in Loomis Hill and James Woodman resetting Cole stone in Ricker Mtn and Peck stone in Hope.

Jan will contact Mattie about meeting in October.

Next meeting: September 6, 2023 – 4pm

Respectively Submitted,

Barbara Walton