

CEMETERY BOARD MEETING

July 27, 2006

Present: Bill Lulham, Chairperson; John Austin, Jack Boursmith, Gene Sanderson, Bob Volek, Joe Sawyer; Shauna Bayless, Recording Secretary.

Absent: Tim Crawford

The meeting was called to order at 3:00 p.m. at the Garden of Memories Columbarium

NEW BUSINESS

1. Landscaping for Columbarium: After discussing the available area and possible plants that could go around the columbarium, the board decided to first have approximately ten feet of sod taken out from around the columbarium by the DPW and replaced with black dirt. This would help contour the area and make for better drainage. Only about two feet can be taken from the area behind the columbarium because of platted graves in that area.

After the dirt is placed, the board will have a work session where they will put black edging around the area to be landscaped and put landscaping paper or plastic down to hold approximately four inches of red mulch. The remainder of the area will be seeded.

The board will hold off planting until after the mulch is finished.

Sawyer said that he will discuss all of this with Crawford and make arrangements to get the sod out and dirt down.

Volek suggested that Jim Postema be called to find out if he can get the concrete walk repaired before the landscaping gets started.

Austin stated that he was making more arrangements with Kelly Kuechman to get more barrels for the cemetery. He asked Bayless to write a thank you letter to him.

Meeting adjourned at 3:45 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Bill Lulham, Chairperson.

