

## Walpole Cemetery Trustees Meeting, July 10, 2019

Present; Dale Woodward, chair, Linda Edkins, John Sheldon

All members were present.

Wednesday evening the trustees gather to review the head stones to be repaired or reset. Dale brought flags to mark each stone to be repaired. A brief discussion regarding the standing of the current budget was had. The monies that had been carried over for stone repair was used for brush clearing on the east line of the Old Cemetery. We have waited for John Clegg to make the repairs that he committed to and it was decided to notify him we will no longer be interested in his services. We will request pricing from Keene Monument.

A walk of the Village Cemetery produced a list of 19 head stones. Although there are many more in the Old Cemetery that will need attention, it was decided to stop at this point and get a price for repairs. If there was funding available to continue, we could then add to the list.

The town hearse storage was also discussed. The shed in the Drewsville Cemetery is where it once was stored and isn't used at this time. It is sound enough for short term storage and has been offered to the Walpole Historical Society. A meeting should be arranged between both groups and Dale will make contact with Christie Winmill.

On Monday, July 22, 2019, John Sheldon and Linda Edkins met with Christie Winmill and Thomas Spiltoir of the WHS at the Drewsville Cemetery. It was a rainy day and found the little barn to be dry inside, a good sign for storing the hearse. Christie and Thomas were interested in the space and would be in contact regarding getting the hearse moved in

Respectfully Submitted,

John Sheldon, Clerk