

**Town of Norton
Cemetery Commission
Report of Meeting
June 22, 2022**

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Time: 4 PM

Location: Norton Highway Department
70 Rear East Main Street, Norton, MA 02766

Members Present: Chairman Daniel Rich, Mary Ellen Stentiford,
Joyce Bernardo, Joseph Oliveri

Others Attending: Keith Silver, Highway Superintendent, Joshua Glaser,
Jarrod Ferreira, Robert Kimble, Joanne

Meeting called to order by Daniel Rich at 4:03 PM. Dan thanked everyone for attending.

New Business

1. Joanne and Keith expressed an interest in reviewing the Cemetery Rules and Regulations as it was revealed that the town of Norton's Price List Of Cemetery Fees may not be sustaining the costs of our cemetery services. Joanne also suggested that more definitive wording regarding identification for the purchase of Deeds and the establishment of a hierarchy of beneficiaries.
2. Joshua expressed the need for more clarification on the location of burial markers and simplified language used in various aspects of the document.
3. Proposal to purchase signs prohibiting dogs from all cemeteries in town.
4. Bob Kimble presented a plan and estimated cost of having many of the broken grave stones repaired and cleaned by Gravestone Services of New England, LLC. Since the estimated cost exceeds

\$50,000, the state registry must grant approval. The Hicks Fund will be utilized to cover costs.

5. Joshua and Jarrod will compile a list of items needed to improve the appearance and maintenance of the cemeteries. The Hicks Fund will be used to pay for these expenditures.
6. Danny will address a misunderstanding that occurred during a recent burial service by contacting the parties involved.

Next meeting scheduled for Tuesday, August 23, 2022.

Joseph Oliveri 8/23/2022
Joseph Oliveri, Secretary

Approved:

Daniel Rich 8/23/22
Daniel Rich, Chairman Date

Joyce K. Bernardo 8/23/22
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Mary Ellen Stentiford 8-23-22
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