

Meeting minutes from the Buffalo Cemetery Committee.

Committee discussed the following:

Public Input

Steve explained that at another cemetery there was a group of women that they called the "weed" women and they performed weed cleanups at the cemetery. He just wondered why there wasn't several women or men in town that would want to do this for the cemetery.

How to get people to follow rules

The committee explained that rules were in place to make the care and maintenance more efficient for the cemetery. People adding multiple memorial flowers that are directly into the ground are difficult to weed eat around without damaging the flowers. Ideas were to highlight in bold letters the rules and spread the information around.

Entrance Beautification

Committee would like to update the brick entrance with some sort of sign. Teel suggested there was a part time seasonal employee that had great carpentry skills and that maybe he would be interested in doing that.

Vet Markers

The committee discussed ways to get the veterans markers back on the appropriate graves. The Clerk mentioned that Kathy Hutchison had said she knew where some of them went. Teel said that he would reach out to her.

Tree Stumps

Ferkel said there were several stumps to be removed at the cemetery and he would be working on renting a stump grinder and getting these lined up. Unless the committee wanted him to get bids to get them done sooner.

Painting Shed

Teel said that he would reach out to his contact at the Waste Commission to get some tan paint to paint the shed at the cemetery with the sprayer.

Fixing Headstones

Teel asked to check the liability of working on headstones with the city attorney. The Clerk will reach out to the attorney for his legal opinion. The clerk explained to the committee that Judy had spoke with a resident that has experience in cleaning and adjust the monuments and would be willing to help out. Clerk would get a contact number for Teel.

Adjournment

Motion by Miller and seconded by Teel to adjourn the meeting at 5:54pm