

Town of Orford
Cemetery Commission
Meeting Minutes January 13, 2024

Members Present: Brenda Smith, David Smith, Linda Pease

Others Present: Chase Kling, Selectboard Representative

Call Meeting to Order

The meeting was called to order at 9 a.m.

Approval of Minutes

Motion made by Brenda, seconded by David to accept the minutes of December 9, 2023 (as amended). Motion passed 3/0.

Updates

Final Cemetery Commission 2023 Annual Report approved 3/0. The report will be submitted to the Selectboard's office for inclusion in the 2023 Annual Report.

At the Selectboard's final budget hearing Monday, January 15 the Orford Cemetery Commissioner's will ask for a \$5,000 increase in the Cemetery Commission's budget for temporary help for mower duties in 2024. Motion passed 3/0.

Projects for 2024 – further discussions

1. War Veterans Memorial: Emily Bryant will be contacted regarding Mapping of area, including road, to the Memorial area.
2. Fencing South side of the West Cemetery. David has checked out materials/costs of new vinyl fencing – 500 feet, 3 rails, about \$20,000. Preliminary work such as digging, setting posts, etc. can be done before setting vinyl.s

Motion made by David, seconded by Brenda to adjourn the meeting at 9:40am. Motion passed 3/0.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Pease