

Town of Orford  
Cemetery Commission  
Meeting Minutes March 9, 2024

Members Present: Brenda Smith, David Smith, Linda Pease

Others Present: Chase Kling, Selectboard Representative, Seth Carter, Trustee of Trust Funds

**Call Meeting to Order**

The meeting was called to order at 9:30a.m.

**Approval of Minutes**

Motion made by Brenda, seconded by David to accept the minutes of February 10, 2024. Motion passed 3/0.

**Updates**

1)Seth Carter, Trustee of Trust Funds, reported that the Orford Cemetery Commission has \$14,000 in our Cemetery Trust Fund budget for 2024.

2)Commissioners will share information on green burials at our May meeting after attending the NH Cemetery Association Spring meeting on April 18<sup>th</sup>.

3)Veteran's Memorial – we need to form a subcommittee/task force of people interested in helping to create a Veteran's Memorial.

4)New fence on the south side of the Main Street cemetery – budget and timeline to be determined. Project is set to begin 2025.

5)David will meet with Kurt to visit Dame Hill Cemetery to document veterans' gravestones. We will review the list at our April meeting and then provide the list to P&C Gravestone Preservation.

Motion made by David, seconded by Brenda to adjourn the meeting at 10:20 a.m. Motion passed 3/0.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Pease