

Ad Hoc Cemetery Committee
Minutes, October 21, 2013

1. Call to Order

Chairman Don Jones called the meeting to order at 7 p.m. Members present were Don Jones, Jackie Lowell, David Sutter and Selectman Pam Dunning. Cindy Collamore and Carol Ann Rines were absent.

2. Approval of Minutes

Postponed until the next meeting.

3. Veterans' Graves

Don Jones reported that Bill Cossette, Commander of the American Legion, has records of veterans' graves by cemetery and will lend the book containing the records to Don Jones so that the Town and the committee can make copies. Cossette said the Legion places flags on the graves of veterans before Memorial Day and removes them after Veterans Day. Pam Dunning said the Wiscasset Public Library has records of veterans from the Revolutionary and Civil wars.

4. Map of Cemeteries

A map of Wiscasset cemeteries has been completed as far as possible using the map Jane Tucker made. David Sutter will attempt to locate the missing cemeteries and will locate cemeteries using GPS .

5. Other Business

Pam Dunning said there was concern that people who had inherited cemetery lots or who owned lots purchased by someone else would not be aware of the rules. Partial rules will be posted at the entrances to cemeteries and the rules have been published in the newspaper.

According to the Town Manager, the signs for the entrances to the cemeteries have not yet been ordered.

David Sutter will contact John Mosier, State Archeologist, about possibly locating graves that are not documented on the map.

6. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 8 p.m.