

Minutes of the Spring Green Cemetery Committee Meeting of the Township of Spring Green

Proceedings of the Spring Green Cemetery Committee Meeting, held at 6:02 pm on Monday, December 14, 2015 at the Town Hall located at E4411 Kennedy Road, Spring Green, and Wisconsin:

1. **Call to Order:** Mike Bindl, Committee Chair called the meeting to order at 6:02 pm.
2. **Legal Posting:** Jenny Pappas, Clerk certified compliance with the open meeting law.
3. **Roll Call:** Members present were Mike Bindl, Kolby Hirth and Tim Johnson. Also present was Jenny Pappas.
4. **Adopt Agenda:** Bindl moved and Hirth seconded to adopt the agenda as presented. Motion carried.
5. **Approval of Minutes:** Johnson moved and Hirth seconded to approve the October 26, 2015 Cemetery Committee minutes. Motion carried.
6. **Discussion/possible action on selecting a snow plowing contractor:** Bindl went over information regarding snow plowing received from three contractors. The consensus of the Committee was to utilize Brent Winkers for snow plowing as he offered the best price, along with several free services and he is already familiar with the cemetery. The Town Board discussed snow plowing at the November Board Meeting and their consensus was also to utilize Winkers. No action taken.
7. **Review Ordinance Chapter 17 – Town of Spring Green Cemetery:** Hirth discussed green burials and posed the question as to whether they should be allowed in the Spring Green Cemetery. Hirth stated she would obtain more information regarding green burials if the Committee was agreeable. Johnson moved and Bindl seconded to authorize Hirth to contact Gene Farley regarding green burials. Motion carried. The Committee discussed the need to obtain more detailed information on the cemetery: maps, lots, graves, etc. The Committee discussed the allowable number of cremains per grave and suggested contacting other communities/churches to see what they do. Johnson stated he would contact Roger Kolan and ask what others do and why.
8. **Discussion/possible action regarding replacement for Cemetery Liaison position:** The Committee discussed Kevin Lins as the replacement for the Cemetery Liaison position. No action taken.
9. **Set next meeting date:** The consensus of the Committee was to hold the next meeting on Monday, January 25, 2016 at 6:00 pm. No action taken.
10. **Adjourn:** Bindl moved and Johnson seconded to adjourn at 7:59 pm. Motion carried.