

The Commissioners of the Cemeteries

The North and East Burial Grounds Commission
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AGENDA

<u>WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12, 2023, 6:00 PM</u> >>><u>WEATHER DEPENDENT</u>: MEETING BEGINS at WEST SIDE NBG<<< CONCLUDES at: Chapel at North Burial Ground

1081 Hope Street Bristol, Rhode Island

- 1. A WALKING REVIEW OF THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE WESTSIDE OF NORTH BURIAL GROUND.
- 2. WALKING REVIEW and UPDATE: Noted trees to trim or clear; Gravestone repair and restoration.
- 3. UPDATE STATUS: Hope St Wall Restoration project and article in Apr. 6, 2023 Bristol Phoenix.
- 4. MOVE MEETING to INSIDE CHAPEL on HOPE ST
- 5. **USUAL REVIEWS and UPDATES:** Minutes of Mar 2023; Monthly Census Use and Sales Income. Monthly Rev and Exp for Mar 2022; Perpetual Care Fund; Note: Invoice remains pending from DPW for repaying North/South Roads NBG; Update CemeteryFind Program status;
- 6. THE CREMATION GARDEN (CG): UPDATE | STATUS | REVIEW of ONGOING PROJECTS: ALL Projects SUSPENDED Pro Temp in light of NBG Westerly expansion
- 7. NBG PROJECTS: UPDATE | STATUS | ADMINISTRATIVE | REVIEW of ONGOING PROJECTS: Warren Monument carving of Gate 4 wording remains pending since May 2022; perimeter stonewall work ongoing and repair of White Washed wall resumed, installation of NW corner survey marker pending. Replace Dog care and waste management signs. Trees along north wall pending survey.
- 8. **DISCUSSION & CONSIDERATION**: Further discussion of restoration of EBG Iron Fence at East Burial Ground; Cemetery Awareness Month, Walks, Interfaith Service, Veterans Day, etc.
- 9. **UPDATE** | **ONGOING:** NO grass cutting (April May until Memorial Day) in order to attract pollinators to both North & East Burial Grounds (Wood St). Letter to Editor.
- 10. **DISCUSSION** | **REVIEW** | **BUDGET**: pricing for the Right to Burial and cemetery services for both Full Body Burials and Cremains and associated Operational Expenses.
- 11. **ONGOING REMINDER TO OUR FAMILIES:** US Flags are available for the graves of veterans at the NBG's Superintendent's office or from The Bristol Council of Veterans
- 12. **UPCOMING COMMISSION MEETINGS FOR 2022-23:** The Commission meets on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6:00 at The Chapel at North Burial Ground: **2023**: 5/10; 6/14; 7/12; 8/9; 9/13; 10/11; 11/8; 12/13.

<u>Dates for upcoming meetings</u> and Agendas are posted at the following locations: Bristol Town Hall | Bristol Post Office | Bristol Town Website | RI Secretary of State Website: http://sos.ri.gov/openmeetings/?page=view entity&id=4502

Respectfully Submitted. Charles C. Cavalconte, M.Div., Chair Posted: April 7, 2023

