

CITY OF GRAND HAVEN
LAKE FOREST CEMETERY BOARD

MINUTES

May 10, 2021

Members Present: Connie VanSchelven, Cynthia Crane, Ron Streng, Derek Gadjos, Kathryn Roberts and Mayor Monteza

Guests present: Kamden Cornelisse, Judy Brower, Jim Porenta, Christine Bouwkamp

The meeting was called to order at 3:00 PM by Ron Streng

The Minutes of the March 8, 2021 meeting were accepted

OLD BUSINESS

- The “for profit” videographic production within the cemetery is under no pressure to be developed. Derek and Todd are going to work on this
- The cemetery Plot Gifting Policy has not been completed

NEW BUSINESS

- Kamden Cornelisse from KFFH presented a variance for an additional marker on the Button family plot. It would be placed below the stone of David Button and flush with the ground. Earl would move the baby monument. Moved Crane/support Roberts to accept. PASSED
- Ron Streng gave an update on the Richard Boone interment. The service is scheduled for 10:30 on Wednesday morning 5/12. He expects it to be a large burial with full military rites. Ron asked to have GHPD on hand to help with traffic. Mayor Monteza will accept the flag on behalf of the City and it will be placed at the American Legion. Any extra funds left over are to go into a fund with the Community Foundation to be used for similar circumstances.
- Judy Brower hopes that the cleanup will be complete by Memorial Day although they are short staffed. It was noted by Jim Porenta that Denise VanWoerkom has been working on cleanup.

CALL TO AUDIENCE

There were no requests to address the Board.

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Cynthia and supported by Connie to adjourn at 3:30 PM. Motion carried. The next meeting is scheduled for June 14 at 3:00 PM.