

CEMETERY ADVISORY BOARD
PARKS AND RECREATION CONFERENCE ROOM
MARCH 18, 2004
4:00 P.M.

The following members of the Cemetery Advisory Board were present: Mr. Eric Londeen, Mr. Dennis Irvin, Ms. Donna Schenck-Hamlin, Ms. Judy Atwood, Mr. Tom Roth, and Mr. Patrick Gormely. Mr. Stephan Konz was absent at this meeting. Also present at this meeting was Mr. Mike Mohler, Cemetery Sexton, and Mrs. Debbie Dugan, Administrative Supervisor.

Ms. Schenck-Hamlin called the meeting to order.

It was moved by Mr. Londeen, seconded by Mr. Irvin to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting held on November 20, 2003. On vote, motion carried 6-0.

SEXTON'S REPORT

Mr. Mohler explained that revenue, as of February 29, 2004, for Sunset Cemetery was \$2,525 and \$10,547 for Sunrise Cemetery.

Mr. Mohler further explained that the area west of Section D is being laid out, grave seeding will begin soon, filled graves three times over the winter months, and seasonal laborers will begin work around the first of April.

The Board held discussion on road construction, painting lot numbers on the curbs, and suggested having a map of the cemeteries available for the meetings.

SINGING TOWER

Ms. Schenck-Hamlin explained that she had run off a list of Carillon recordings from the Internet for the Board to review and inquired about the possibility of purchasing CD's. She stated that she has not been able to find a selection of bells/chimes in this area. The Board stated that if CD's needed to be purchased, the KSU Foundation would be able to pay for them as part of the agreement.

Ms. Schenck-Hamlin stated that she and Mr. Mohler had compiled selections of music, which included trumpet/brass. The Board listened to the music.

Mr. Irvin left early due to prior commitments.

Mr. Roth informed the Board that he would be able to get a discount from Barnes & Nobles Book Store. Ms. Schenck-Hamlin will work with Mr. Roth on music selections and receiving a discount.

Mr. Gormely suggested playing music from the Singing Tower on the 4th of July. The Board held considerable discussion on this issue.

It was moved by Mr. Gormely, seconded by Mr. Roth to plan to play appropriate music on the 4th of July at noon, 3:00 p.m., and 6:00 p.m. Mr. Roth made an amendment to the motion to include the song titles of America, America the Beautiful, and Star Spangled Banner in bells/chimes interpretation. On vote, motion failed 2-3, with the no votes being Mr. Londeen, Ms. Atwood, and Ms. Schenck-Hamlin.

The Board stated that the public is welcome to bring selections of music to the Board for their review.

The Board also suggested that additional personnel be trained on the equipment in the Singing Tower.

The next meeting will be held June 17, 2004.

It was moved by Mr. Londeen, seconded by Mr. Roth to adjourn the meeting. On vote, motion carried 5-0.