

TOWN OF VERNON CEMETERY COMMISSION

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Minutes of Special Meeting

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The special meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by Acting Chairman Norine Edwards. All members were present: Bruce Luddy, Norine Edwards, Stuart Edwards, Wayne Reiske and Judy Hany. Also present were Carol Nelson, Cemetery Agent and Jim Wood, Cemetery Maintainer.

The Brautigam Mausoleum is badly in need of repointing. Mortar is has fallen out or is in poor condition at the joints. The pins holding the structure in place will deteriorate unless the mortar is cut out and replaced. Prices were obtained from Torrison Stone & Garden in Durham in the amount of \$5350 and from Henry Gonder of Bolton in the amount of \$3,500. Both craftsmen come recommended. Two other contractors were contacted and were not interested in the project. Acting Public Works Director Dwight Ryniewicz has inspected the mausoleum and approved the contract.

There is a trust roughly in the amount of \$4100 for the care of the mausoleum and lot in the care of the Finance Department. Family descendants will be contacted by the Cemetery Department requesting donations to the trust for inevitable future care.

A motion was made by Norine Edwards, seconded by Judy Hany and unanimously voted to approve the proposal from Henry Gonder for the repair and repointing of the Brautigam Mausoleum in the amount of \$3500, the funds to be paid through the Brautigam Trust.

A motion to adjourn was made by Judy Hany, seconded by Norine Edwards with the meeting adjourned at 10:10 a.m.

Approved:

December 3, 2019



Carol S. Nelson, Secretary