

## PRINCE GEORGE'S CHAPEL CEMETERY COMMITTEE

### MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 20, 2022

The meeting was called to order by President Melody Chandler at 9:57 a.m. in the Dagsboro town hall. Those in attendance were Cindi Brought, Brian Baull and Paulette Hickman. Gayle Chandler attended via telephone.

A motion was made by Paulette and seconded by Melody to approve the agenda and minutes from May 14, 2022. All were in favor.

The treasurer's report was discussed. A motion was made by Gayle and seconded by Paulette to approve the most recent grass cutting bill; the motion passed. Gayle asked about the status of our bank CD's and was assured that the town was keeping an eye on the interest rates. A motion was made by Gayle and seconded by Melody to accept the treasurer's report; the motion passed.

The Delaware Cemetery Board has an upcoming meeting. The Delaware Preservation Fund sent an application to apply for funding. A discussion ensued over application ideas.

The Chapel driveway was filled in with stone and dirt but will still need more work. The State filled in an open grave with dirt. The town has an open grave that needs to be filled with dirt. A motion was made by Gayle and seconded by Melody to purchase dirt to fill in any deteriorating graves; the motion passed.

The Chapel front door had to be repaired due to decay. The hole in the roof was repaired. Tours ended in October and will resume in April. No contract between the town and the State has yet been signed due to the State not providing one.

Lloyd Memorials is handling the installation of the corner markers at a cost of \$300 for four. An updated September 2022 price list of the local cemeteries gives the costs per lot, casket internment, cremation internment and corner markers. Funeral homes will not order the corner markers but will collect the money, and the town will continue to handle all the rest. A motion was made by Paulette and seconded by Gayle to engage Lloyd Memorials to install the corner markers and to increase the town's price to process the installation; the motion passed. A discussion ensued about the cost of opening a grave, the cost per lot and

administrative costs. These topics will be researched and brought up at the next committee meeting.

A motion to adjourn was made by Melody and seconded by Paulette; the motion passed. This meeting was adjourned at 10:26 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Gayle L. Chandler