Fairmount Cemetery Board of Directors

Regular Meeting

Wednesday, January 18, 2023

Fairmount Cemetery Office Conference Room 1120 West Avenue N San Angelo, TX 76901

After posting the required legal notice, Fairmount Cemetery Board of Directors held its regular meeting on Wednesday, January 18, 2023. Members present: Board President, Kam Stribling, Vice President, Donna Crisp, Jackie Martin, Tina Bean, Kay Rork, Eva Choate, Amy Deadman, Susan Mertz, Beverly Stribling. Absent were: Cora McGowan, Ann West, Rebecca White, Angela Williams, Martha Visney. Also present was Jeremy Walker, Cemetery Manager

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m.

Donna Crisp moved and Beverly Stribling seconded a motion to approve the minutes of the December 7, 2022 meeting and the Consent Agenda items. The motion carried unanimously.

Jeremy Walker presented the cemetery operations and financial reports for the month of December. (See Attached).

Tina Bean moved to amend Fairmount Cemetery Rules and Regulations to allow only USA national flags to be flown at Fairmount Cemetery. Kay Rork seconded the motion. After discussion, the motion passed unanimously.

Beverly Stribling moved that a flag pole receptacle to hold a telescoping flag pole (all provided by the Heritage Chapter of the Freedom Through Vigilance Association) be installed at Medal of Honor recipient Jack Mathis' grave for flying the Medal of Honor flag at the times deemed appropriate by USA military rules governing the use of that flag. Kay Rork seconded the motion. Discussion followed. Storage of the flag and pole and the flying of the flag will be the responsibility of the Heritage Chapter of the Freedom Through Vigilance Association. The motion was approved unanimously. (See attached)

In the absence of Courtney Mahaffey, President of Friends of Fairmount, Kam Stribling reported on Friends of Fairmount activities. Stones and Bones tours are still being delayed by SAISD because of COVID related changes in the schools. Friends of Fairmount is hoping that the program will be activated again in the spring. Wreath sales were profitable, and wreaths decorated Fairmount Cemetery for the December holidays.

Jeremy Walker announced that a luncheon will be given to honor George Monsivais for his twenty years of work at Fairmount. Board members will be invited to attend. George will receive a plaque commemorating his service.

The next Fairmount Board meeting will be held February 15, 2023 at the Fairmount office.

Kam called for future agenda items. Hearing none, the meeting was adjourned at 10:11 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Breely Stribling, Recording Secretary