



**TOWN OF
BROOKLINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE**

Cemetery Trustees

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**Minutes
*April 7, 2016***

Brookline Public Library
6:30PM

Present:

Keith Thompson, Chair
Gale Taylor, Vice Chair
Brian Rater, Secretary
Tad Putney, Town Administrator

Absent:

Jerry Farwell, Sexton

December Minutes

Gale moved to approve December minutes. Keith seconded. All approved.

Election of Officers

Brian moved that Keith be elected Chair. Gale seconded. All approved.
Gale moved that Brian be elected Secretary. Keith seconded. All approved.

Boy Scouts

The local Boy Scout troop has approached the Cemetery Trustees about photographing Lakeview Cemetery and its tombstones as part of a national project to archive grave sites on the World Wide Web. They plan to carry this out on April 16th, 2016 and to set up a temporary tent for the day. The trustees are very excited to have this work performed, but cautioned that, in the event of a funeral that day, the work would need to be scheduled around the funeral.

Pine Grove Fence

There was an inquiry from a member of the public asking how often the Pine Grove fence is power washed. Tad will contact Jerry to set up a power wash of the Pine Grove fence.

Sidewalk

Tad updated us that the town is putting in a sidewalk along Pine Grove and that a few trees will need to be removed as part of this project.

Dogs

There was discussion about whether or not dogs should be allowed in the cemeteries. Tad suggested that we could check with other towns to see what their policies are.

Cemeteries Walk-through

Our annual cemeteries walk-through will be June 1st after the meeting.

2016-2017 meetings

We set the following meeting dates, each to be held at the Brookline Public Library:

June 1st 2016 at 6:00, followed by the Cemeteries Walk-through

September 14, 2016 at 6:30

December 14th 2016 at 6:30

March 29th, 2017 at 6:30

Next Meeting

Our next meeting will be June 1st.

Gale moved that adjourn. Keith seconded. All approved.

Adjourned at 7:02.