Tuftonboro Cemetery Trustees End of Year - Meeting Minutes December 28, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 AM at the Tuftonboro Town Offices.

In attendance: Chairperson Susan Weeks and Trustee Carol Bush. Trustee Charlotte Allen was unable to attend.

Sue shared an article she is writing for the January issue of the Tuftonboro Times informing readers of our 2019 efforts to maintain Tuftonboro Cemeteries.

Sue reported that she met with Gary Brooks of Gary Brooks Tree Service. His rates for tree work are \$1,200 a day or \$1,500 a day with a Bobcat including stacking wood and brush.

The trustees unanimously voted to authorize Gary Brooks Tree Service to proceed with tree work on four cemeteries for an amount not to exceed \$4,500. Sue will have a contract drawn up for this work and signed by Mr. Brooks prior to the end of this year.

The four cemeteries are: the Andrew Roberts Cemetery off Route 171, the Bean Cemetery on Tibbetts Road, the McKenny – Glidden Cemetery off Route 171 and the John H. Graves Cemetery on Phineas Graves Road.

There is \$2,500 left from our 2019 budget for tree work, plus up to \$10,000 in our 2020 budget for tree work.

The next project involving tree work will likely be the Edward Grant Cemetery at Camp Sentinel. This work needs to be done prior to the camp opening for the season.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:05 AM.

Submitted by Carol Bush, Secretary, Tuftonboro Cemetery Trustees