City of Bangor Cemetery Committee Meeting Minutes June 23, 2025

- 1. Call To Order: Meeting called to order at 7:07 PM.
- **2. Pledge of Allegiance:** Pledge started by committee member Bob Emmert and recited by all present.
- 3. Roll Call: Present: Bob Emmert, Lynne Farmer, Amber Garcia, Darla McCrumb, William Murphy Jr. and Steve Lowder. Absent: Fred Hicks and Dillon Rock.
- **4. Approval of the Agenda:** Motion by Jr Murphy to accept the agenda as presented. Support by Amber Garcia. Motion Carried.
- **5.** Approval of the the May 27,2025 Minutes: Motion by Darla McCrumb to accept the May 27, 2025 minutes as presented. Support by Bob Emmert. Motion Carried.

6. Old Business:

- **a.** Permanent Cannon and Cannon ball signs at Rod's getting made. They will come with white brackets to attach to posts up by the cannon. The signs are \$40.00 per sign.
 - **b.** Financial report given to each member and discussion followed.
- **c.** Discussion on new American flags and new POW flags for the cemetery. After a discussion it was decided that Steve Lowder can keep ordering them through the City.
- **d.** Photos of the Cemetery cleaning June 7th were passed around for everyone to view.
- **e.** Sprayer bill for two new hand held sprayers and two spray heads for the hoses were presented. These were approved at a past meeting. Total bill \$66.97. Approval not to exceed \$75.00 at previous meeting.

7. New Business:

- **a.** Chairperson Lynne Farmer presented a note from Kathie Cramer Reside and a copy of the check for \$500.00 for the cemetery Committee in Memory of her mother and Father Larry and June Cramer, grand parents and brother Michael Cramer. Discussion followed on what we should do for the cemetery in their honor. No decision made.
- **b.** Chairperson Farmer has a card for the committee to sign thanking Kathie for her donation.
- c. New green section markers for the new cemetery, Arlington Hill West. Chairperson Farmer asked DPW Director Lowder if they had the signs in the DPW building? He stated yes. Discussion followed to purchase wooden posts and have the DPW put up the section markers in the new cemetery.

8. Reports and Committees:

- a. Public comment: Dave Burnaby was present but did not wish to comment.
- **b.** Sexton and DPW Report: Steve Lowder reported that mowing and weed trimming were on going in the cemetery and that they had had two cremains burials.
- c. Committee Member Comments:

 Amber Garcia Thanked Bob for his time on the committee. Darla McCrumb told Bob "Thank You" and that his service was much appreciated.

 Jr Murphy Thanked Bob for his contributions to our community, stating he had made Bangor a better place. Steve Lowder said he had already made his comments. Bob commented that he leaves our committee with a heavy heart. He stated that he has enjoyed every bit of it and hopes the committee just that she has appreciated everything Bob has done for the past 11 years. He will be greatly missed. Bob said he hopes he can keep power washing the graves in the cemetery.
- **9.** Adjournment: Motion to adjourn at 7:50 by Jr. Murphy. Support by Steve Lowder. Motion Carried.

Of course you may!! We had a toast to Bob with Non alcoholic punch. Cheers!!!!

Respectfully submitted by Lynne M. Farmer.

And a Thank You card.