## Minutes of the Oswego Township Cemetery Board CLOSED SESSION MEETING

July 19, 2022

The Closed Session meeting was called for the purpose of Cemetery Employee Compensation. The Closed session started at 10:25 am.

Cemetery officials in attendance were: Supervisor Joe West, Trustees: Joyce Frankino, Bill Helgeson and John Hodgson. Deputy Clerk Donna Stanley was also present.

Supervisor West asked Trustee Hodgson to update the board on the history of the Cemetery employee raises and benefits. Board all agreed that Cemetery employees are doing an excellent job.

The board agreed that the employees should receive \$1.00 per hour increase especially considering today's economy.

Staff has also requested an increase in the Urn burial stipend. After discussion, the board agreed that \$75.00/each for 2 employees to dig a hole for urn burials in addition to their hourly pay is adequate. The goal is not to break even with what we charge but to make money to maintain graves in perpetuity.

The board agreed to purchase a refrigerator for the Cemetery shed per a request by Mark Gilmour.

A motion to adjourn the closed session meeting was made by Trustee Hodgson, second by Trustee Helgeson. All Trustees present voted to adjourn the meeting at 10:44 AM.

Respectfully submitted by:

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Cemetery Board Secretary