



**CEMETERY ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 10, 2025 9:00 A.M.**

Call Meeting to Order:

Chairperson Dedoe called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call:

Present: Dedoe, Travis, Bates, Smith

Absent: Drew Saunders, Cemetery Sexton

Approval of Minutes:

Motion by Member Dedoe, supported by Member Travis to approve the July 9, 2025 minutes.

Vote: 4-0 . **Motion Carried.**

Public Comments:

None.

Correspondence:

None.

Sexton News:

No report from Sexton.

Member Dedoe brought up about Mr. Dove and removing trees on the family plot. We need contact information to let them know they will have to pay to have the cedar trees removed. Member Dedoe reported all veteran's markers and flags have been removed. Member Travis requested another spraying of driveways to get rid of grass till spring.

Old Business:

a. Attorney Meeting

Not able to attend. Supervisor Manoleas will see if we can meet at his office. Discussion held.

b. Bushes Around Rueter Lot – Ruby Cemetery

Member Dedoe reported that Cathy contacted the family and they gave permission to remove the bushes. The family was not keen on having the statue cleaned up. Will check with family to see if they want to sell graves back to the township. Discussion held.

Member Dedoe asked the Township Supervisor to let the sexton know they can remove the bushes on the Reuter plot.

New Business:

a. Continue Discussion – Area/Section Posts

Discussion held. Member Dedoe & Member Travis presented cost for posts & signs.

Motion by Member Dedoe, supported by Member Bates to recommend to the township board to purchase 3 posts, 3 sleeves and a set of letters to get started on marking sections in Ruby Cemetery. Vote: 4-0. **Motion Carried.**

Adjournment:

Motion by Member Dedoe, supported by Member Smith to adjourn the meeting at 10:12 a.m. Vote: 4-0. **Motion carried.**

Stacey Smith, Township Clerk