

CEMETERY COMMISSION

The Hyde Park Cemetery Commissioners supervise the costs and maintenance of four Cemeteries in the Town of Hyde Park – the Village Cemetery, Jedediah Hyde Cemetery, Center Cemetery, and the Holbrook Cemetery.

Cemeteries in the Town operating under their own Association are the Hooper Cemetery, Plains Cemetery, North Hyde Park Cemetery, and St. Teresa’s Cemetery. Each of these Cemetery Associations receive \$1,375.00 from town support received by the Cemetery Commissioners.

We meet at least three times during the year, beginning with a Site Walk in the early spring to evaluate what needs to be done within each of the four Cemeteries. Cleaning of stones, as well as repairs, especially to older stones, continues to be a yearly project.

Grave lots are presently \$250.00 per lot. We ask that corner markers be purchased and installed; therefore, making the lot easier to determine at the time of a burial.

Over the years, trees and bushes have been planted on loved ones graves. Many have now become overgrown and cover the stones or extends onto another lot. If you have someone buried in one of our Cemeteries, please take the time to check to see if something planted now needs attention.

Our sincere appreciation to Robert & Sons Lawn Care for the wonderful job they do in caring for the appearance of the Cemeteries supervised by the Commissioners.

We also want to thank Hillside Trash (Ethan & Donna) for overseeing the trash removal.

Hyde Park Cemetery Commissioners
Judith T. Lanphear, Secretary
Robert C. Foss, Treasurer
Mary Foss
Nioka Houston
Christine Cooney

<u>2017 Financial Report</u>	
<u>INCOME</u>	
Sale of Lots	\$ 2,000.00
Town Appropriation	\$17,800.00
Interest	\$ 46.02
TOTAL INCOME	<u>\$19,846.02</u>
<u>EXPENSES</u>	
- Caretaker	\$ 7,000.00
- Rubbish Removal	\$ 20.00
- Appropriations	
-Hooper	\$ 1,375.00
-Plains	\$ 1,375.00
-St. Teresa’s	\$ 1,375.00
- New foundations - Village	\$ 5,709.00
- Repairs - Village (water)	\$ 55.88
- Cusson's Accounting: copying Jedediah Hyde, Books A/B/C/D	\$ 150.00
- JBW Excavation: tree removal - Village, Staymat - Village & Jedediah Hyde	<u>\$ 3,568.07</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>\$20,627.95</u>
NET INCOME	<u>(\$ 781.93)</u>
BENJAMIN CAMPBELL FUND	
Balance as of 12/31/2016	\$ 4,313.00