TOWN OF NORTHBRIDGE

TRUSTEES OF SOLDIERS' MEMORIALS MEETING

Tuesday, March 21, 2023

MINUTES

MEMBERS PRESENT: Tom Farley, Jim Gallagher, and Dick Trier.

<u>APPROVAL OF MINUTES:</u> The minutes of the Tuesday, February 28, 2023, the trustees unanimously approved. (Gallagher/Farley).

I. DISCUSSION ITEMS AND PROGRESS REPORTS

A. FINANCIAL REPORT

• Jim Gallagher presented our current Financial Report, noting that the only bill applied to the current fiscal year was \$225 for five signs. Jim asked if we had received an estimate from Kuik Electric for the Desert Storm Lighting yet.

B. MEMORIAL SQUARES UPDATING

 Dick Trier noted that Jami Luchini let us know on March 13th that all the signs and the new squares have been installed.

C. MONUMENT MAINTENANCE TO INCLUDE WWI ROCKDALE

- Dick Trier noted that he would ask Jamie Luchini for an update on Kuik Electric to get an estimate on lighting the two monuments at town Hall.
- Note: Kuik Quote received 3/24/21: \$2,077.12 Trustees advised to move ahead.

D. "OUTSTANDING VETERAN RECOGNITION"

- Tom Farley and Dick Trier presented the award proposal to the Selectmen on March 13th with unanimous support being voiced by the Selectmen.
- Dick Trier said he would ask the town for help printing and promoting the award at town hall, on the web page and at the coming Expo on March 25th.

E. LASSELL FIELD MEMORIAL

- Tom Farley presented a sketch of the memorial his grandson designed along with information about John Whiten Lasell.
- Tom and Dick met with Bob Latimore on March 16th at the Middle School to develop a plan.
- Dick Trier noted that he and Tom planned to go to Camosse Masonry on Monday, March 27th to look at bricks.

F. OTHER PRIORITY PROJECT UPDATES

World War I Memorial in Whitinsville:
No new action currently.

G. COMMUNICATIONS/ CORRESPONDENCE

II. OTHER DISCUSSION ITEMS

- A. NEW DISCUSSION ITEMS
- B. NEXT MEETING:
 - Tuesday, April 18, 2023–7:00PM, Town Hall
- C. Adjournment: 8:03 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Richard Trier

Richard T. Trier, Secretary

Approved: 4/18/23