

TOWN OF NORTHBRIDGE
TRUSTEES OF SOLDIERS' MEMORIALS MEETING

Tuesday, March 12, 2024

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NORTHBRIDGE TOWN CLERK

MEMBERS PRESENT: Tom Farley, Ken Harrigan, Jeffrey Manion, and Dick Trier.

GUESTS:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The minutes of the Tuesday, January 9, 2024 meeting were unanimously approved. (Manion/Harrigan)

I. DISCUSSION ITEMS AND PROGRESS REPORTS

A. FINANCIAL REPORT

- No new report.

B. LASELL FIELD MEMORIAL

- Dick Trier shared copies of another picture of John Lasell that was an enlarged version of the picture in the WWII Veterans book. He said he would give Tom Delfanti this image for the monument upon the trustees' approval. All agreed.

C. WORLD WAR I MEMORIAL

- No current information.

D. 2023 ANNUAL REPORT

- Dick Trier noted the copy of the Trustees report for the 2023 Northbridge Annual Report included in our meeting packet.

E. 2024 OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD

- The trustees reviewed last year's nomination criteria and agreed to use the same format and guidelines.
- Dick Trier a picture of the new plaque that the Audette family used to upgrade the one we provided last year. The trustees agreed to develop similar bronze plaques going forward.
- Ken Harrigan said he would talk with Bill Audette to find out who developed their new plaque and the cost.
- Dick Trier said he would reach out to the town clerk to request copies for distribution and promotion.
- Tom Farley agreed to promote the OSA on cable TV and with the town veteran groups.

F. MONUMENT MAINTENANCE

- No new report.

G. COMMUNICATIONS/ CORRESPONDENCE

- Dick Trier reviewed the 2024 Trustees Roster including reelection dates.
- Ken Harrigan noted that we needed a flag and wreath stanchion at the Vail Field Memorial. Dick Trier volunteered to talk to Jamie Luchini about getting one installed.
- Tom Farley noted that a new POW flag has been installed at Memorial Park.

II. OTHER DISCUSSION ITEMS

A. NEW DISCUSSION ITEMS

B. NEXT MEETING:

- **Next Trustees Meeting: Tuesday, April 9, 2024**

C. Adjournment: 7:48 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Richard Trier

Richard T. Trier, Secretary

Approved: *04/09/24*