

6/25/25

MEMBERS:

Jessica King, Chairman
Rose Hallings
Jean Allison
Cindy Ingalsbe (excused)

The meeting began 6:08 PM.

MINUTES:

Ms. Allison made a motion to approve the April 10, 2025 minutes seconded by Ms. Hallings.
All present members voted "aye" to approve.

CEMETERY TOUR:

Due to the weather on May 3, 2025 the cemetery tour has been rescheduled to May 24, 2025 at 10:00 meeting at Hathaway Cemetery.

HATHAWAY CEMETERY:

Mr. Tim Ford knows that the sign is ready and he will move forward getting it put up.

POWER CEMETERY:

The plaque is finished and Ms. Allison will let Mr. Dave Cooper know.

PAYNE CEMETERY:

The members discussed the for sale signs posted on the property. The property owner is selling all the land around the cemetery. The members agreed to keep a watch on the property.

NY STATE NATIVE AMERICAN BURIAL SITE:

The members discussed the New York State Unmarked Burial Site Protection Act. The Historic Preservation members received a letter introducing a valuable resource created by the New York Native American Burial Site review Committee: a comprehensive fact sheet and poster designated to raise awareness and to promote understanding of the 2023 Unmarked Burial Protection Act and the best practices surrounding the protection of unmarked burial sites.

Ensuring these sites are protected is not just a moral responsibility but now a legal mandate that speaks to the dignity of all who came before us.

They have asked the commission to display the fact sheet and poster and to encourage their team or network to learn more about this critical topic.

POTENTIAL NEW MEMBER:

The members reviewed a request from a new potential new member.

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HISTORIC MARKER SIGNS:

Ms. Allison said she found out that Mr. Tim Ford repainted the historic marker at 4 points on Cline Road. Mr. Ford said he may be able to repaint the marker on County Road 41 this winter.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:45 PM to begin the presentation on "Water Way of Change-Women of the Erie Canal".

The cemetery tour will be on May 24, 2025 at 10:00 meeting at Hathaway Cemetery.

The next meeting will be on June 12, 2025 at 6:00 PM.

Mary Richter Clerk of the Board recorded the minutes.