

Miscellaneous Matters Committee
September 8, 2022

A meeting of the Miscellaneous Matters Committee of the Board of Finance was held on September 8, 2022 in Meeting Room 1 of City Hall West. The following were in attendance: Commissioners John Smith, Marie O'Brien and Mark Whitford. City: Diane Waldron

1. Call to Order

Chairman Smith called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

2. To discuss the request for funding from the Cemetery Commission and to take any action as necessary.

John explained the Board of Finance understands the City of Bristol owns the Chapel, and annual allocation is given to the Cemetery Commission to maintain the cemeteries. The Chapel was awarded two projects under ARPA funds however, the Cemetery Commission does not maintain the Chapel as that falls under the management of the West Cemetery Association although City owned.

Mike Saman explained the Cemetery Commission manages the gravestones at four cemeteries in town but there are additional cemeteries maintained by West Cemetery. Mike Saman discussed the Civil War Monument and the eagle, he has costs to repair the monument and the eagle in phases as getting the eagle down will be a process in itself, as the weight is unknown. John suggested reaching out to D'Amato to use their lift. Nasso Company will look at the monument.

3. Adjournment.

Commissioner O'Brien made a motion seconded by Commission Whitford "to adjourn" at 4:45 p.m. Motion approved.

Jodi A. McGrane

Recording Secretary