Veterans Memorial Trust Minutes June 19, 2012

Newmarket Veterans Memorial Trust Committee Approved Minutes – June 19, 2012

Roll Call: Chair; Janice Rosa, Vice Chair; Phil Nazzaro, Secretary/Treasurer; Rochelle Sharples, Members; John Carmichael, Patrick Marsh and Wayne Rosa. Member Dave Wade excused.

Chair Rosa opened the meeting at 7pm and welcomed two guests to speak.

Dwight Simes from Northeast Paranormal Associates spoke on an interesting fund-raiser that is free of charge to the committee. His group of associates, with many talents, would investigate a local town building to see if "spirits" reside there. The committee decided the town hall building would be a good place to start. NPA would come in atleast 3 times to investigate to see if in fact there are spirits residing there. If and when this is decided by NPA, a date would be set for the committee to sell tickets for community members to attend a tour of the building to witness spirits themselves.

A town hall employee of 22 years also attended the meeting and relayed some witnessed strange going ons in the building and thought the town hall building would be a great place to start.

A tentative date of investigation would be June 26th. The committee was in total agreement to move forward with this.

Chair Rosa thanked the guests for coming and meeting resumed.

Old Business: Chair Rosa reported the Bronze GAR plaque was paid for out of our budget and also our website work was paid for as well. Remaining balance in fund would be returned to the town unreserved general fund.

Chair Rosa reported that we need to put in our CIP requests for 2012-2013. Wayne Rosa made a motion that we stay with the 10K request for the New Memorial. Motion seconded and passed.

Patrick made a motion to accept the minutes of May 15th meeting. Motion was seconded and passed with one abstention.

Sat. Sept. 22, during the Heritage Festival, will be the dedication of newly refurbished GAR Memorial. This event will take place at 9:30am. Flowers will be purchases and the Police Department will be contacted concerning traffic in that area.

Wayne brought up the fact that the committee needs to think about doing the New Memorial in stages due to high costs of completion. Vice Chair Nazzaro made a motion to have Wayne look into prices for engineering proposal costs so we can get this project moving. Motion seconded and passed.

New Business: Rochelle made a motion to reimburse Chair Rosa \$44.91 for the purchase of laminating supplies. Motion seconded and passed.

Chair asked the committee to come to July meeting with a list of goals for the upcoming year.

Patrick made a motion to adjourn at 8:40pm. Motion seconded and passed.

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Next Meeting: July 17, 2012 at 7pm.

Respectively Submitted:

Rochelle Sharples, Secretary

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