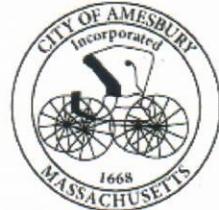


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An Order to transfer \$15,700 from Cemetery Trust Accounts to pay for tree maintenance in Old Corner Cemetery

Summary:

An Order to appropriate and transfer \$15,700 from Cemetery Trust Accounts to the General Fund for the specific purposes of care, maintenance, and improvement of the Old Corner Cemetery.

Whereas, the Amesbury Cemetery Advisory Committee has responsibility for the cemeteries within the City and has identified the need for removing and trimming trees, and grinding stumps; and,

Whereas, the Amesbury City Council is authorized under M.G.L. Ch.114, Section 15 to expend money for improvements of cemeteries and the Treasurer of the cemetery (or municipality in such case that there is no cemetery board) acts as custodian of such funds as noted in M.G.L Ch 114, Section 43K; and,

Whereas, proceeds of the sales of lots and plots may be used for the improvement and maintenance of a cemetery as noted in M.G.L. Ch 114, Section 43C; and,

Whereas, the Amesbury Cemetery Trust Account has accumulated funds from the sale of cemetery plots in excess of \$21,200 (as of June 23, 2021); so therefore,

Be it Ordered by the City Council of the City of Amesbury assembled and by the authority of the same, as follows:

That the City of Amesbury authorizes the transfer and use of \$15,700 from Cemetery Trust Accounts (Sale of Cemetery Lots 2384140) to cover the expenditure of such funds for tree removal, stump grinding, and other tree maintenance at the Old Corner Cemetery subject to coordination with the Department of Public Works and the procurement rules as outlined in Chapter 30B.