



# MINUTES

STATE OF GEORGIA  
COUNTY OF DOUGLAS  
DOUGLAS COUNTY CEMETERY PRESERVATION COMMISSION  
MARCH 3, 2017

The Douglas County *Cemetery Preservation Commission* convened at 1:00 p.m. for its regularly scheduled Commission Meeting.

**Board Members Present:** Sandy Whittington, Marcia Atkins, John McFall, James Campbell.

**Board Members Absent:** Rusty Brannon, Cheryl Brannon, Teresa Noles, Roseanne Foley, Suzanne Sammons (non-voting associate), Don Scarbrough (non-voting associate.)

There being no quorum, the minutes from the December 2, 2016 meeting could not be approved.

Group reviewed cemetery work accomplished since the December meeting – eight cemeteries including Ayers-Stovall, Old Providence, Mt. Sinai, Jones-Cook, Miners, Winn-Enterkin, Mt. Carmel, and Pepper. Inmate crew was not available four days because of observed holidays, and work was rained out one day.

Tentative schedule through the end of May – to include Willoughby, McLarty, Boyd, Moss, Fairview, Hudson-Dobbs, Holly Springs, Liberty Grove, James, and Liberty Methodist Episcopal.

There was a discussion about Willie Watkins Funeral Home possibly attempting to construct a columbarium at Liberty Methodist Episcopal cemetery, and of Wes Tallon's letter expressing the concerns of the cemetery commission in regard to this apparently empty but actually very full burial ground. No one who received that letter has responded as of this meeting date.

The next regular meeting of the cemetery commission will be on June 2, 2017, at 1:00 p.m. Field work continues every Thursday, weather permitting.

**ADJOURNED AT 1:40 p.m.**

**Marcia Atkins**

**James Campbell**

**Sandy Whittington**