# STATE CEMETERY BOARD REGULAR MEETING OF THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2007 PUBLIC SESSION AGENDA 9:30 AM SOMERSET ROOM 6TH FLOOR

#### I. ROLL CALL

II. APPROVAL OF PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES OF JULY 12, 2007

#### III. OLD BUSINESS

A. Provisional Orders issued June, 1999 for non-filing of Annual Reports

Deckertown Union Memorial Park Cemetery (CA #155)

Salem-Evergreen Cemetery (CA #276)

New Asbury Meeting House Cemetery (CA #349)

Odd Fellows Cemetery (CA #330)

Receipt of further statement

B. Delinquent in filing Annual Reports since 1998

Re: Mount Zion Cemetery (CA #206)

Report from Board member Paul M. Desbiens

C. Cemetery has never filed Annual Reports

Re: Barber Burying Ground Association (CA #285)

D. Cemetery has no money and no activity

Re: Wantage Cemetery (CA #161)

Correspondence from Melissa Rockwell, CTA, Township of Wantage

E. Old Tennent Cemetery (CA #201)

Certification of Robert McLean in opposition to Mr. Coates Motion for Injunctive Relief submitted by Michael T. Warshaw, Esquire to the Superior Court of New Jersey, Ocean County

Letter and Old Tennant property map from Michael T. Warshaw, Esquire to Honorable Judge Frank A. Buczxnski, Jr., P.J.Ch.

Correspondence from Peter J. VanDyke, Esquire to Honorable Frank A. Buczynski, Jr., P.J.Ch.

Correspondence from Michael T. Warshaw, Esquire to Peter J. Van Dyke, Esquire

F. Hillside Cemetery (CA #398)

Correspondence from George Pierce, President

G. Diocese of Metuchen

Re: Establishment of crematorium

# Correspondence from Deacon Russell B. Demkovitz

H. Reconstitution of Board

Re: Mercer Cemetery (CA #266)

New Board being formed

I. Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation

Re: Rosedale Cemetery (CA #42)

J. Application for sale of a portion of cemetery property

Re: Pleasant Hill Cemetery Association (CA #225)

K. Correspondence from Thomas E. Stover, Esquire

Re: Green's Chapel Cemetery Association/Mt. Herman Cemetery Association Mt. Hermon United Methodist Church to Seventh Day Adventis Church March, 2005

L. Application for the approval of lease of non-dedicated cemetery property

Re: Mount Hebron Cemetery Association d/b/a Liberty Grove Memorial Gardens (CA #312)

Correspondence from Tammy DePaolis, Executive Assistant

Correspondence from T Mobile

M. Application for cemetery merger

Re: Harleigh Cemetery Association(CA #61) to the Cemetery Association of the Polish National Catholic Parish of Resurrection of Christ

N. Inquiry from William D. Peek, Esquire

Re: Private Mausoleum

Response from Richard M. Ralph, Executive Director, Fairview Cemetery

O. Correspondence from Peter Platten, Esquire

Re: Application of Eglington Cemetery, (ĈA #98), of Gloucester Township, Gloucester County (a/k/a/ Eglington Cemetery Company) for the sale of a strip of land 10' x 250' to Michael J. Butcher, an individual approved by Board March 8. 2007

P. Concerns with Bulk Sale application

Re: Bulk Sale of graves from the Claremore Club, Inc. (Beth El Cemetery, CA #13) to the Temple Sinai Board denied application on July 12, 2007

Correspondence from Robert J. Lenrow, Esquire requesting re-consideration

## IV. NEW BUSINESS

A. Approval of New Jersey Cemetery Board meeting dates for 2008

B. Application for the lease of a portion of cemetery land

Re: Arlington Cemetery (CA #51) to Omnipoint Communications, Inc. (T-Mobile)

C. Requesting approval for the sale of a portion of cemetery property

Re: Hollywood Memorial Park (CA #101) & State of New Jersey

D. Correspondence from Board member June Nikola

Re: Establishment of Mausoleum Trust Fund

E. Correspondence from Henry Vander Plaat, Board of Directors, Fair Lawn Memorial Cemetery & Columbarium (CA #108)

Re: Construction of a mausoleum

F. Correspondence from consumer Brigette Glass

Re: Establishment of a Memory Garden

G. Approval of Bulk Sale

Laurel Grove Cemetery (CA#30), Totowa, NJ to the Syrian Orthodox Archdiocese, Teaneck, NJ

Executive Director Dianne L. Tamaroglio approved the bulk sale of 375 interment spaces for \$443,960.00 (134 graves @\$1,065.00 per grave & 241 graves @\$1,250.00 per grave) The required amount will be deposited into the Maintenance & Preservation Trust Fund of Laurel Grove Cemetery.

H. Requesting an extension for filing of Annual Report

Re: Newton Cemetery Company (CA #186)

I. Requesting approval for Amended and Restated Certificate

Re: Princeton Memorial Park (CA #134)

J. Amendment of Charter

Re: Floral Park Cemetery (CA #170) Washington Cemetery Management Corporation (CA #172)

Letter from James Mackevich, Esquire to be handed out

## V. PUBLIC COMMENT

#### VI. FOR YOUR INFORMATION

A. Correspondence from Adam Guziejewski, Government Relations Assistant, NJ State Funeral Directors Association, Inc. Re: Increase in the reimbursement rates for public assistance funerals and burials

B. Notification of Civil Action

Re: Carlos Rivera and Hilda Rivera v. Clinton Cemetery Association (CA #55) Docket No. ESX-L-004265-07

C. State Board of Mortuary Science

Open Session Meeting Minutes–June 5, 2007

Open Session Meeting Minutes–July 10, 2007

D. Legislative 2nd Quarter Report

E. Magazine Articles

The Forum August, 2007

F. Newspaper Articles

Mapping History and a Path to Adulthood

The New York Times August 5, 2007

G. Correspondence from Martin Brothers, Licensed Cemetery Broker

Re: Gravesolutions

H. Internet Article

Burlington City attorney disbarred for misappropriation Re: Louis A. Colaguori, attorney affiliated with Hayes Riverview Cemetery

I. Passage of Chapter 98, an act concerning burial, removal, and transit permit fees and amending R.S. 26:6-17

# VII. ADJOURNMENT