

## Supervisors Report June 6, 2018

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SPACES										
ITEM	MOUNT PISGAH	BETHLEHEM	E.R.	FOUR MILE	KINTZ	ROZET	SAVAGETON	WRIGHT	TOTALS	REVENUE
YTD 2017	20	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	24	\$3,675.00
YTD 2018	46	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	49	\$9,225.00
MAY 2017	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	\$1,500.00
MAY 2018	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	\$1,900.00

SPACES SOLD MAY 2018		
QUANTITY	LOT PRICE	TOTAL
1	\$400.00	\$400.00
15	\$100.00	\$1,500.00
		\$1,900.00

BURIALS										
ITEM	MOUNT PISGAH	BETHLEHEM	E.R.	FOUR MILE	KINTZ	ROZET	SAVAGETON	WRIGHT	TOTALS	REVENUE
YTD 2017	38	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	39	
YTD 2018	38	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	40	
MAY 2017	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	
MAY 2018	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	

CREMATION GARDENS			
DATE	GARDEN	ITEM	REVENUE
MAY 2018	Inspiration Garden	Circle Niche Wall no. 17	\$1,400.00
	Unity Garden	Red Cored Upright no. 10	\$3,200.00
		May 2018 Monthly Total Items Sold:	2
		May 2018 Total Revenue:	\$4,600.00
MAY 2017	Inspiration Garden	Garden Block no.12	\$900.00
		Beveled Garden Wall no.1	\$1,600.00
	Unity Garden	Medium Estate Boulder	\$4,000.00
		Paver no. 109	\$300.00
		May 2017 Monthly Total Items Sold:	4
		May 2017 Total Revenue:	\$6,800.00
CREMATION GARDEN TOTALS			
		YTD 2018 Total Items Sold	5
		YTD 2018 Total Revenue	\$8,400.00
		YTD 2017 Total Items Sold	9
		YTD Total Revenue	\$13,600.00

### Grounds Report

May was all about Memorial Day. The number of hours worked was staggering, and a huge effort was put forth by all employees. With the mild spring, the cemetery has never looked better. Everything got to bloom this year and the color was stunning. No late frost as in previous years to dampen the spring bloom. The employees worked about 60 hours/week the week of Memorial Day, and everything went off without a hitch. We accomplished everything we possibly could by the end of the day on Saturday. I am so proud of them. The comments we received from the public were very flattering. Now that Memorial Day is over, we've moved on to normal summer operations. All of the seasonals are hired and working. We have more this year due to increased irrigation demands (water features) as well as Dawn being held in the office more because of Britney's absence. We've begun leveling graves, planting trees tuning the irrigation system, planting flowers and trimming trees.

### Garden Entrance Signs

The garden entrance signs are here and installed. They made it the week before memorial day. They look amazing! And people have noticed and thanked us for putting the names of the gardens up so they know which one is which.

### Sculpture committee, artist reception, sculpture base prep, etc.

We completed the installation of the veteran sculpture near the front gate. It turned out spectacular! The public seems to really enjoy it. Many, many people stop and look at it and get out and take pictures of it. There has never been that much traffic in that garden since I've worked here.

The sculpture pieces have arrived and will begin to be installed immediately. It's going to be a good first year for the program. The quality of the pieces is exceptional and there seems to be a lot of enthusiasm from the committee, as well as the public.

#### **Britney Update**

Britney is scheduled to return to work on July 2.

#### **Insurance quotes, and modifications**

We have cancelled our inland marine section of the insurance that covers the equipment, etc. However, the insurance of the sculptures (owned or otherwise) will be added to that section, so we will still have an "inland marine" section listing the owned and travelling sculptures.

#### **Snowmelt system damage**

At a funeral recently, we had a patron leave her car in gear as she got out to visit with someone while waiting for a funeral to arrive. Her car moved forward and hit the large plastic boulder near the front entrance which houses the plumbing apparatus for our snowmelt driveway system. This resulted in about \$9,000 worth of damage. No one was hurt, except for the lady's pride maybe. Her insurance company will be paying for the repairs.

#### **Landfill remains**

We received a call from the landfill this last month that they had located a set of cremated remains in some refuse. Someone noticed it and pulled the urn from the refuse and called us. It still had the cremation tag on it, and we agreed to take them and bury them. I contacted the funeral home who prepared the remains and got the vital information concerning the deceased and we placed them in Block M cremation grave near the front gate. We sandblasted a piece of sandstone left over from garden construction for a simple memorial, and placed a cross on his grave, as he was a veteran.