CITY OF GRAND HAVEN
LAKE FOREST CEMETERY BOARD
MINUTES
November 9, 2020

Members Present: Rita Fortino Brook, Kathryn Roberts, Ron Streng and Cynthia Crane

Member Absent: Connie Vanschelven

Guests Present: Mr. and Mrs. Gary Goode and John Zuijema

The meeting was called to order at 3:00 PM by Rita Brook

The Minutes of the October 12, 2020 meeting where presented and read out loud at the
November meeting for approval and unanimously approved.

OLD BUSINESS

- Mr. Goode continued discussion about a plan for the memorial cremation garden to be
  placed on Block 55, lot 54, graves 1-4 in honor of Mr. Goode’s first wife. The plot is 16’
  by 10’ (four graves) and the plantings was presented revisited. Plantings would be dear
  resistant. Conversation continued regarding garden specifics. The garden would be
  open to public use with no recognition plaques or plates outside of a memorial plaque
  for Mrs. Goode. A fully funded perpetual care fund would be required. Specific
  perpetual care fund size and plan would be left up to city staff to recommend to City
  Council. Grand Haven Garden House is still scheduled to maintain the plot, guarantee
  the plantings and provide mulch annually. It is hoped that this may come before a
  December City Council meeting for their approval so that planning may be completed
  over the winter and a spring construction. The plan was unanimously approved by the
  board.

NEW BUSINESS

- none

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Connie and
supported by Ron to adjourn at 3:47 PM. Motion carried. The next scheduled meeting for
December 14, 2020 is proposed to be cancelled unless agenda items are requested to be acted
on. The next scheduled meeting is proposed to be the January 11, 2021 meeting.