

AS ACTED UPON DURING A DULY NOTICED OPEN MEETING OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF HENRIETTA, COUNTY OF MONROE, STATE OF NEW YORK, HELD AT THE HENRIETTA TOWN HALL AT 475 CALKINS ROAD, HENRIETTA, NEW YORK ON FEBRUARY 13, 2019 AT 7:00 P.M.

RESOLUTION #4-85/2019

On Motion of
Councilman Page

Seconded by
Councilman Adair

WHEREAS, Whitaker, Brown, Bushman, Martin/Brininstool, and Tinker Cemeteries all have histories dating back to the 1800s and are all currently maintained by the Town of Henrietta, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Henrietta Town Code at Section 295-37, the Henrietta Historic Site Committee proposed that a Henrietta Historic Cemetery District be created in order to protect and preserve Henrietta's heritage as these cemeteries are where many of Henrietta's early pioneers and veterans are buried, and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was duly advertised for and held on February 13, 2019, to hear all interested parties on whether a Henrietta Historic Cemetery District should be created comprised of Whitaker, Brown, Bushman, Martin/Brininstool, and Tinker Cemeteries, and

WHEREAS, the Historic Site Committee provided supporting information demonstrating the historic character of the property and was present and did inform the public and the Town Board about the cemeteries and their merits as historic sites, and

WHEREAS, the Henrietta Town Board, as owner, consents and authorizes the cemeteries to be designated as historic sites in the Town.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the following cemeteries be hereby designated as historic sites as part of a newly created Henrietta Historic Cemetery District:

Whitaker Cemetery – East Henrietta Road (176.06-1-23);

Brown Cemetery – Goodburlet Road (176.19-1-13);

Bushman Cemetery – Telephone Road (188.04-1-10);

Martin/Brininstool – Erie Station Road (188.02-1-47);

Tinker Cemetery – Castle Road (162.12-1-17).

BE IT FURTHER, RESOLVED, that since Martin/Brininstool is an active cemetery, the following policy be added to its operating procedure:

Any new headstones or monuments must be of substantially consistent design and material as existing headstones or monuments already present at the cemetery. If there is a question as to whether a new headstone or monument is or is not substantially consistent, the Henrietta Historic Site Committee has the sole determining authority.

BE IT FURTHER, RESOLVED, that the Historic Site Map for the Town be updated accordingly and that a certificate of designation of historic site be filed in the offices of the Town Clerk and the Building Department.

Duly put to a vote:

Councilman Page	voting	Aye
Councilman Adair	voting	Aye
Councilman Barley	voting	Aye
Councilman Stafford	voting	Aye
Supervisor Schultz	voting	Aye
	Carried	